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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST — For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; possibly showers; fresh winds.
Sunrise, 6:47; sunset, 4:44.
YESTERDAY — Maximum temperature, 66; minimum, 50 deg. Wind velocity, 5 p. m., south; velocity, 8. Rain, midnight the temperature 50, light rain.
Temperature at 5 a. m. the temperature 50, hazy.
FORECAST—For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy; unsettled; probably rain; fresh southerly winds.
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He Says Gatun Dam in Panama Ditch Cannot Be Built as Designed.

Thinks Clay Rock Will Stop Dredges and Jelly-like Silt Is Fatal.

Criticises Locks as Inadequate and System as Unfair and Tyrannical.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Lindon Wallace Bates, who surveyed the Northern Pacific and Oregon Pacific, built the mammoth steam dredge "Beta" for the United States government, assisted in the enlargement of the Suez Canal, and is contracting engineer for the Galveston Raising Works, declares that the great Gatun dam in Panama cannot be built as designed.

He says the clay rock cannot be excavated with dredges as proposed; that estimates on the character of rock are mere guess work, being based on only four borings, and that the use of jelly-like silt from Simon Bay in dam construction will be fatal.

The locks, he says, are too small for even its needs.

He describes the contracting system as unfair and tyrannical, and says that it paves the way to wholesale stealing of the nation's funds.

PROPOSES NEW SCHEME.

He closes his argument as follows:

"A low impounding structure and lock at Mindi are easily possible and cheap. If constructed, they will enable the head on the Gatun dam to be reduced from eighty-five feet to twenty-nine feet, one isolated lock can be substituted for the perilous three, a most unique, commodious and splendid harbor can be constructed here, with fresh water within and salt water without, and a healthy site for a new city on American soil will be furnished.

"Ten million dollars will be saved by elimination of excavation due to diminishing the dam volume and cutting off the extra masonry needed to prop the lock flight.

"Can the commission summon the needed courage? De Lesseps once stood at the parting of the ways."

ITALY ASKS TO REDUCE TARIFF.

PROPOSES RECIPROCAL PLAN TO BEAR AND EAGLE.

Uncle Sam Scans Proposition to Open Way for Petroleum, but Decides That He Would Get Worst of Three-sided Bargain and Refuses Roman Overtures.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Italy has notified Russia and America of a proposed reduction of duty on petroleum, conditional on the correlative reduction of duties on the chief Italian imports to the two countries.

Russia unhesitatingly accepted Italy's terms, but America refused, suspecting that the reduction was solely for the benefit of Russia. Moreover, America, owing to the most favored nation clause in her treaty, is enabled to claim the same treatment as Russia independent of other agreements.

The reduction scheme is delayed while the claim that it benefits Russia exclusively is being considered.

CITIZENS SEIZE COAL.

Marching in Body They Take and Distribute Fuel, Then Compel Agent to Accept Payment.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BUTTE (Mont.) Dec. 8.—A Miner special from Billings states that a squad of citizens this afternoon forcibly seized a carload of coal and distributed it in one-ton lots. In a body the squad then proceeded to the offices of the coal company and compelled the agent to receipt for the payment of the fuel. An alarming shortage of coal exists here and unless relief is soon forthcoming, other cars reaching this city are in danger of confiscation.

SEVEN MEET DEATH.

Six Others Injured in Dynamite Explosion in North Carolina Railway Tunnel.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BRISTOL (Tenn.) Dec. 8.—Seven men were killed and six injured in a dynamite explosion in a tunnel on the South & West Railroad near Alta Pass, N. C., today. Three of the killed are negroes.

PURCHASES "FREE PRESS."

DETROIT, Dec. 8.—Control of the Detroit Free Press was purchased today by P. H. McMillan, Ed. Stair and H. Stephens of this city. Mr. McMillan is the youngest son of the late United States Senator James M. McMillan, and brother of W. C. McMillan, one of the leading Republican candidates for United States Senator.

ITALIAN ATTEMPTS FLIGHT.

With His Long-tailed Bird He Believes Problem of Aerial Navigation Is Solved.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ROME, Dec. 8.—Count Almerigo of Schio, who, since 1874, has been experimenting with airships, believes he has found the solution of aerial navigation. His new machine, which is in the shape of a ship, contains a fifty horse-power motor and a rudder ten yards square.

Besides this there is a kind of tail about thirty-five yards square, which may be used as a rudder, and at the end of this an arrow to keep the ship in balance. This airship, it is said, can remain in the air for five hours without recharging, attain a height of 3000 feet and a speed of twenty-five miles an hour. Experiments will soon be made with the machine.

ELECTION WAS A CRUSHER.

DEFEAT OF WILSON DISMAYS WALKING DELEGATES.

Francis Drake Has Gone to Oakland to Work for a Living—Declares That Is Will Take Labor Unionism Five Years to Recover from Wilson's Candidacy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Walking Delegate Francis Drake, erstwhile coworker with Tom Fennessy and Arthur Hay in Los Angeles, has arrived here, and says he has shaken the dust of Los Angeles off his feet for aye. He is disgusted with the defeat of Wilson. He really thought Wilson would be elected Mayor. He and many other labor union demagogues staked all their hopes on it. He will now go to work in Oakland. He says that Arthur Hay, financial agent of the International Typographical Union, will soon lose his job and will have no more money to spend, the I.T.U. being disgruntled at his administration of the "Times-Fighting Fund" without results. He adds that Hay threw his last throw in the Wilson fight, and lost. "It will be five years," said Drake today, "before unionism in Los Angeles will recover from the effects of the blow that Wilson's defeat gave the cause. I don't believe now that Los Angeles will ever be a labor union town. The city has gone to the bad. There is no chance for the unions there. The people are against them."

The discouragement spoken of by Francis Drake, who has been the chief pillar of the Los Angeles Typographical Union, is general in union circles in this city. The typographical fanatics actually thought that Wilson would be elected. They had a barrel of money to spend—the annual assessment of the International Typographical Union to keep up the Los Angeles fight against The Times amounting to $25,000. Instead of devoting this money to "fighting The Times," the local financiers of the union have been spending it for booze, investing it in real estate for themselves and blowing it in for such idle purposes as the election expenses of Stanley Wilson. The rank and file of the typographical union are waking up. They are generally hard-working and honest men, who have been duped by such leaders and booze-fighters as Arthur Hay. They are pressing these squanderers of their hard-earned money for an accounting, and the exposures will disrupt the typographical union's camp. Drake is the first of the group of bloodsuckers to see the handwriting on the wall and several others have accompanied him in voluntary exile. It was a fortunate thing for Los Angeles that the rout of the Wilsonites in last Tuesday's election was so decisive.

HEAVY DEFICIT IN NEW YORK.

IS $6,702,175 BELOW THE LEGAL REQUIREMENT.

Bank Statement Reveals Largest Shortage in Thirteen Years—Wall Street Hopeful Some Action Will Be Taken by Secretary of the Treasury—Slight Drop in Stocks.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The heaviest deficit below the legal requirement in the legal reserve of the associated banks of this city in thirteen years was disclosed by today's bank statement, the deficit amounting to $6,702,175, as against a surplus of $1,449,300 one week ago.

While it is not unusual for the bank statement to show that the banks hold less than the law requires them to keep in reserve, it is quite unusual for the deficit to be so large.

The largest previous deficit was on August 12, 1893, when the reserves were $16,500,000 short of the legal requirement.

That Wall street is hopeful that some action will be taken by the Secretary of the Treasury to relieve the money market was indicated by the movement of the stock market after the publication of the bank statement. Instead of a slump in stocks there was only a slight drop, which was checked in a few minutes.

The scarcity in money is attributed to several causes. There has been a steady drain to the West on account of crop movements, heavy dividends have been declared this month and unusually heavy speculation in mining stocks has helped to pump the banks dry.

FEAR FOR STEAMERS.

DETROIT (Mich.) Dec. 7.—Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the steamer Lake Michigan, with twelve men, and the wooden steamer Sydney C. McLouth, with twenty men.

EX-SENATOR BROWN SHOT BY A WOMAN.

Prominent Utah Man Lying in a Critical Condition.

Assailant Follows Him to Washington City, Where She Shoots Him Down in His Apartments at the Hotel Raleigh—Claims He Was the Father of Her Two Children—Would-be Murderess Shows Little Concern.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALT LAKE, (Utah) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Arthur Brown, shot in Washington today by Mrs. Anna Maddison Bradley, was one of the most brilliant members of the Western bar. Women and drink were his undoing.

Brown fell in love with Isabel Cameron, a niece of former Senator Don Cameron of Pennsylvania, who was clerk in a news stand in the Kalamazoo postoffice. This caused a domestic tempest, and the first Mrs. Brown went to his office and there attempted to kill him with a revolver. The bullet grazed him.

Brown came to Utah in 1876. Miss Cameron came here soon after. Mrs. Brown finally secured a divorce, with maintenance. Brown then married Miss Cameron, and they have a son, "Mac," who was a student last year at the University of Chicago, and whose marriage with a telephone girl there attracted some attention.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Former United States Senator Arthur Brown of Utah tonight lies in a critical condition in the Emergency Hospital with a pistol shot wound in the abdomen, inflicted by Mrs. Anna M. Bradley of Salt Lake, who arrived here today from that city.

The shooting occurred in Senator Brown's apartment in the Raleigh Hotel, where Mrs. Bradley also had registered under the name of "A. B. Brown." She was arrested.

Senatbr Brown was conveyed to the hospital, where he was immediately put upon the operating table. Two shots were fired, one grazing his left hand and the other entering the abdomen and lodging in the pelvic cavity.

After working over him for nearly two hours, the surgeons decided that, for the present at least, they would make no further attempt to find the bullet. It was stated tonight that while Senator Brown's condition is critical, there is reason to believe he may recover.

STORY OF SHOOTING.

Mrs. Bradley arrived shortly after noon. After being assigned to a room she immediately went to Senator Brown's apartment. There were no witnesses to the shooting, but a maid heard the shots and at once notified the management.

According to her statement tonight at the Police Station, where she talked freely with the newspaper men, Mrs. Bradley came to Washington to demand that Senator Brown marry her. She said that their relations were well known in Salt Lake.

"I asked him if he was going to do the right thing by me," she said, maintaining remarkable composure.

"In reply he put on his overcoat and started to leave the room, and I shot him. I abhor acts of this character, but in this case it was fully justified."

EXPRESSES NO SORROW.

While expressing no sorrow for her act, she declared that she was glad to know that Senator Brown might recover.

"I was practically penniless when I got here today," she said, "having only $1.25, and after paying the cabman all the money I had in the world was $1."

SISTER IN SALT LAKE.

She said she urged Senator Brown to marry her, that he had been instrumental in the divorce between her husband and herself, and that as his wife was dead he could do the "right thing" by her. This, she said, he refused to do.

Mrs. Bradley is a brunette, about 35 years old and frail. Her first act after being taken to the Police Station was to send for Senator Sutherland of Utah, who called on her tonight and had a long talk with her.

Senator Sutherland regretted being brought into the case, but said that Mrs. Bradley had sent for him because he was the only man here whom she knew. To him she unburdened herself and told the story of her relations with Senator Brown. She alleged that two of her children owe their parentage to Senator Brown, and that she had named one of them after him. Mrs. Bradley was reluctant to speak of her former husband, but questioning brought out the fact that he was living in Nevada with a second wife, by whom he has several children. Further questioning disclosed the fact that Mrs. Bradley for two years, from 1900 to 1902, had served as secretary to the State Republican Committee, and also at one time was editor of the official organ of the State Federation of Women's Clubs.

She declared that she had a sister in the newspaper business in Salt Lake, but that she would not communicate with members of her family because she knew that they would come to her assistance. Up to a late hour tonight she had not obtained counsel.

Manager Theodore J. Talty of the Raleigh was notified of the shooting within two or three minutes after it occurred, and hurried to Senator Brown's room. He found Brown fully dressed, lying on the floor in the center of the room. Mrs. Bradley was standing near the dresser. She was attired in street costume, including her hat. One of her hands was gloved. Senator Brown, as Mr. Talty stooped over him to inquire what the matter was, feebly indicated Mrs. Bradley and remarked calmly "She shot me."

A hurried examination of the wounded man was made by Mr. Talty. In opening the coat and waistcoat, he discovered that a bullet had penetrated the abdomen. He sent for some brandy and poured it down Senator Brown's throat. The wounded man was growing rapidly weaker, and Mr. Talty directed a servant to summon the Emergency Hospital ambulance.

VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS.

Senator Brown, despite the shock of the wound, retained consciousness. He made no statement to Mr. Talty beyond the one indicating that he had been shot by Mrs. Bradley.

The woman continued in the room while Talty was attending to Senator Brown, but offered no assistance. Finally Mr. Talty ordered her to leave the room. She declined with absolute coolness.

"I will remain here," she said. "I am the mother of his two children."

Mr. Talty was too busy administering to Senator Brown to attempt to enforce his order, but in glancing about the room he discovered a revolver lying on the bureau. He put it into his pocket and later turned it over to the police. It was a 32-caliber weapon.

When arrested Mrs. Bradley made no resistance. She was asked for a statement of the incident, but referred all those who inquired to Senator Sutherland of Utah.

SEND FOR CHILDREN.

Late tonight M. S. Gunn of Helena, Mont. who came here with former Senator Brown, telegraphed Miss Alice G. Brown, a daughter, who is in Columbus, O., and Arthur Brown, Jr., a son, who is a student at Chicago University, to come to Washington at once. At midnight Senator Brown's condition was unchanged.

GRIDIRON CLUB HAS A HIGH-TIDE BANQUET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—With the President and Vice-President of the United States, the Ambassadors from Italy, Great Britain, Russia and Japan, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Senators, Representatives in Congress, and many of the great captains of industry present, the twenty-third annual dinner of the Gridiron Club tonight at the New Willard marked the high tide of the club's achievements.

Satire, burlesque and straight comedy were the dominating notes in the most successful dinner this famous club of Washington correspondents has ever given.

There were sharp contrasts, the tribute to dead members of the club abutting closely upon a burlesque Cuban revolution and an examplification of what happens in the "lawn tennis cabinet," which meets with the President every day, Sundays excepted.

In the Cuban burlesque, a member of the club impersonated Gov. Magoon of Cuba. Sitting on a red-hot stove, he "held down the fort," while the club selected a cabinet for him composed of the "tame ducks," gentlemen who failed of election in November and club members impersonating William Randolph Hearst, who was nominated for Governor of the Island; Babcock, Moody, McCleary and Gen. Grosvenor.

Moody was selected for the place of "trust buster or trust matador," the Cuban revolutionists insisting that he was not a "trust matador," but a "picador," the difference being that a matador kills, while the picador only teases.

Probably the strongest feature of the dinner was the gridiron "simple speller and dictionary," which was issued in the form of a booklet of some forty pages containing quaint spellings and cuts illustrating the definitions.

The initiation of two new members gave an opportunity for a quiet dig at the War Department for the discharge of three colored companies of the Twenty-fifth Infantry at Brownsville, Tex.

Among the guests were Secretaries Hitchcock, Shaw, Taft and Wilson, and United States Senators Aldrich, Blackburn, Crane, Foraker, Heyburn, Kittredge, Scott, Spooner and Tillman; Representatives Babcock, Dawes, Esch, Gill, Grosvenor, Littauer, Loudenslager, Lowden, McCleary, Parsons, Sherman, Sullivan Towne and Weeks; Assistant Secretary of State Bacon, John Barrett, Minister to Colombo; Oscar S. Strauss, New York; Lieut.-Gen. Corbin, Charles G. Dawes, Chicago; Stuyvesant Fish, New York; David R. Francis, St. Louis; James R. Garfield, John W. Gates, New York; Perry Belmont, New York; John H. Edwards, Edward H. Harriman, William Loeb, Jr., secretary to the President; Willis L. Moore, chief of the Weather Bureau; Paul Morton, New York; Albert Shaw, Review of Reviews, New York; W. D. Purdy, Assistant Attorney General; Theodore P. Shonts, chairman of the Isthmian Canal Commission; H. St. George Tucker, president of the Jamestown Exposition; Frank A. Vanderlip, New York, and Timothy L. Woodruff, New York.

Samuel G. Blythe of the New York World was elected president; Charles A. Boynton of the Associated Press was elected chairman of the Executive Committee.

ST. PAUL BUILDS TO SLOPE AT SEATTLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The first official announcement of the route to be taken by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad in its extension to the Pacific Coast was made today. It has been known that this was the purpose of a recent large bond issue and that the plan had been under contemplation for a long period, but today's announcement makes the fact of the extension a certainty.

The long addition to the line of the present system starts at Glenham, S. D., and runs a winding course through the States of Montana, Idaho and Washington, terminating at Seattle.

Grading already has been completed and track laid from Glenham to a point about twenty-six miles west of the Missouri River, the crossing being made on a temporary pile bridge.

It is expected that the construction work will be completed to Butte, Mont., by January 1, 1908, and to the Coast a year later.

From Glenham to Butte the line runs almost directly west, but from Butte the route takes a northwestern course to St. Regis, Idaho, where the westerly direction is resumed.

At the Columbia River the line begins a parallel course with the Northern Pacific to Seattle and Tacoma.

The bridge work necessary for the construction of the new line is one of its most important features. The Columbia River will be crossed by a bridge of fifteen spans, having a total length of 2750 feet, exclusive of the steel trestle approaches, 1000 feet in length at each end.

The passage through the Bitter Root Mountain range, west of Saltese, Mont., is made by means of a tunnel 8500 feet in length.

JAPANESE ACCEPT.

Both Nations Reach Agreement.

School Question Is Settled Amicably Without Drawing Up Treaty.

Mikado Promises to Curb the Rush of His People to the United States.

President Guarantees Fair Treatment—All Else Is Left to Courts.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON (D. C.) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The points in the [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] Japanese-American agreement now pending are:

United States to have school questions decided in courts.

It is expected this decision will be against Japan, but it is advisable to obtain decision.

Japan consents to see that immigration laws are more strictly observed.

Japan will at proper time take such steps as necessary to discourage immigration across Pacific.

The United States will continue to discourage discrimination against Japanese in line with the President's message.

The administration is impressed by the situation in Hawaii.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At last there seems to be an explanation of the confusion surrounding the adjustment of the diplomatic difficulties with Japan, caused by the segregation of Japanese pupils in the San Francisco schools.

It is learned today that an understanding has been reached with Japan, but that it is not in the form of a treaty and will not take that form. This information comes from credible Japanese sources.

The United States government has undertaken to obtain from the courts a construction of the treaty of 1894 upon the Japanese contention for educational facilities with, and among American pupils.

Japan will take administrative steps to restrict labor immigration to the United States. Viscount Aoki has conveyed to President Roosevelt assurances of Japan's willingness to pursue this policy. What form the restriction will take is not yet made known here.

It is believed that the decision of the school question will be against Japan, but what the decision is it will be arrived at after a full hearing.

AGREES WITH PRESIDENT.

CHINA WATCHES SCHOOL FIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PEKING, Dec. 9.—Chinese official opinion entirely agrees with President Roosevelt's views on the Japanese question and points out that the Chinese may be affected by the decision of the California courts on the question of the exclusion of Mongolian children from the schools.

JAPANESE PUT EUROPE ON PINS.

CONTINENT WORRIED BY MIKADO'S MILITARY PLANS.

Even London Adds to the Scare in Paris, Berlin and St. Petersburg by Publishing That Lloyd's Is Not Insuring Against Another War With Russia Next Year.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japan is the "bete noir" of continental Europe. However just or unjust it may be, widespread distrust in Japan exists, and Roosevelt's glowing eulogy of the Japanese nation and his story is not appreciated outside of London. Everywhere else the ambitions of the Mikado are subjects of suspicious comment.

Berlin, St. Petersburg and Paris are the principal centers of this feeling, but London has given some excuse for it in an announcement by English papers that Lloyds underwriters are not insuring against war between Japan and Russia next year, and are asking a very high rate, five guineas per centum.

What has especially impressed the capitals of the continent is the news of the extraordinary military activity in Japan, where the war ministry is planning a field force of 750,000 men, and there are well-founded reports of the drilling of Chinese troops in Manchuria by Japanese officers on a wide scale.

WANTS TO BUY LONDON "TIMES."

Proprietor of Penny Paper Hopes to Secure Shares When "Thunderer" Changes Stock Basis.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An application made in the Court of Chancery yesterday to enable the London Times to be converted into a limited liability company appears to have been done purely for business reasons. The Times has for some years been a private company, but if it is to be converted into a limited liability company, the conduct of its affairs and the transfer of shares, when they are sold or bequeathed will be made easier and simpler.

The change, however, opens up another possibility. It is pretty well known that the proprietor of one of the leading half-penny papers in London, has long been anxious to acquire the Times. He has found it impossible heretofore to buy the interests of the existing proprietors, but if the shares of the Times go into the market in the ordinary way, it is quite possible that he may be able to accomplish his object, though it is stipulated in the articles in the new company that Arthur Walker is to remain sole director.

CONFESS THEIR SINS PUBLICLY.

ERRING COUPLE PROMISE TO LIVE DOWN FAULTS.

Church Worker and Young Woman Who Do Wrong Make Public Avowal of Their Fall Before Deacons and Accept Punishment of Expulsion.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOULDER (Colo.) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. William J. Baird, prominent physician, Y.M.C.A. worker and Baptist church member confessed last night to the deacons of the church and many members, his immoral relations with Miss Jessie Cherry, after she had confessed her sins to the deacons.

Both were expelled. Baird is a divorced man, but will not tell the cause of the separation.

Recently Miss Cherry said she must ease her conscience by confessing her sin. He approved her course, and agreed to do the same. Both say they will remain here, and live down the scandal.

HASTENS MAIL SERVICE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The management of the Rock Island will try to induce the government to save about $100,000 in transfer of transcontinental mails at Chicago.

With this end in view, the Rock Island will put a new train into service next Sunday, which will be purely a mail train, and which will leave Chicago at 8:10 p.m., and arrive in Omaha at 7:30 a.m.

This train will make connection with the Pennsylvania and Lake Shore's heaviest mail trains at Englewood.

GREATER AND GREATER YET.

This issue of The Sunday Times is the monarch—the largest in volume and containing the most advertising of any regular edition ever published by The Times. It consists of 152 pages, including about 580 columns of advertising. It is the biggest newspaper, with the most advertising printed in the wide world. The circulation of The Times is steadily climbing and the issue for today is about six thousand copies above the corresponding Sunday of 1905. The circulation of no one of its local contemporaries approaches it; and this one issue contains 50 per cent. more advertising than either of the evening papers in Los Angeles ever published in a whole week and double the amount printed by either of its morning competitors. Such surpassing prosperity and popularity account for the attacks on The Times and its owners by certain green-eyed, small-bore sheets, morning, evening and weekly.

CITRUS SHOW BIG SUCCESS.

Fine Exhibits Noted at the Tulare County Fair.

Orange Belt There Like the San Gabriel Valley.

Some of It Is a Reminder of Rubidoux Canyon.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The initial annual Tulare County Citrus Fair closed here tonight, crowned with success. In the quality and extent of its exhibits of citrus fruits, in the geographical distribution over the thermal belt of the county, and in the faith it inspired in the future of the orange and the lemon north of the Tehachepi Mountains, it again clearly emphasized the great diversity of climates and soils which prevail in the various parts of California.

Coming into the citrus-growing sections of this county via Visalia, the visitor from Southern California is strongly reminded of portions of the San Gabriel Valley and the country in which the Riverside and Redlands citrus belts find their highest perfection, by reason of a great similarity in climate, contour of the landscape, and the character of the soil. Here stretches a bit of hillside reminding one of Rubidoux Cañon; there a view of gentle sloping hillside suggestive of the country back of Ontario, and again an orchard scene bringing to mind the groves of the upper San Gabriel Valley. For the most part, the soil is a heavy sandy loam in the valleys running to a dry bog to the higher elevations.

The growth and development of the trees has demonstrated its adaptability to the orange. The water supply is ample, and secured either by pumping or by diverting the flow of the mountain streams from the Sierra Nevadas. As yet the trees are free from insect pest, and the fruit of high average quality. The acreage at present in bearing is about 2000 acres, and the total acreage now out is something like 5000. The total output of fruit this season was 2000 cars. The elevation is much lower than that of the groves of the south, the average being about 400 to 1000 feet, while in Southern California the best fruit is produced at elevations from 700 to 1500 feet. Among citrus experts the opinion is expressed that the thermal belts of Central California are not only an unknown quantity, but of great extent.

UNIFORMITY OF FRUIT.

The one pronounced feature of this citrus exhibit that impresses the optimistic grower from the south, is the uniform quality of the fruit. For the most part it all averages high. The oranges are of good size, heavy, smooth-skinned, of good flavor, unusually juicy, and free from insect pests. The same applies to the quality in lemons, limes and pomelos. The exhibits of kid-glove varieties was rather meager, due to their being a little out of season; the same applies to Valencia lates, of which there is but quite an acreage.

In arrangement of fruit this exhibit followed closely on the lines of fairs held in the past in Los Angeles—a system that lends itself to spectacular and massive effects rather than to showing the best quality of the individual fruits. In decorative effect the exhibition showed a commendable partiality to festooning and greenery, which was greatly enhanced by a judicious use of the electric light and here and there a bit of color effect with bunting. As a whole, the effect was strongly suggestive of one of the old-time citrus fairs in Los Angeles, Riverside, and other points. There was also a goodly showing of deciduous fruits (not in competition,) striking features of which were apples, persimmons, pomegranates, etc.

LIST OF WINNERS.

The report of the Committee of Awards, as made by the judges today, says:

For the best display of citrus fruits from any locality in Tulare county:
First to Porterville.
Second to Lemon Cove.
Third to Exeter.
Highly recommended, Worth.
Very highly commended, Plano.
Reserve, Tule River district and Globe.

Grand special for artistic display, Lindsay.

In making these awards, we have been governed by the following con: Worth were indeed reflective of all that is best in an enlightened citrus culture, and are to be highly commended.

The most strikingly individual display both in conception and execution was that of Lindsay, which made of it an effort worthy of special mention from an artistic point of view, hence we recommend that this exhibit be awarded a special premium by your honorable body for originality and striking effect. It was not only unique and individual, but the varieties it showed, together with quality, combined to make it an attraction worthy of special mention.

For best display of citrus fruits by any one grower in Tulare county:
First, H. M. Hathaway.
Second, N. H. Grant.
Third, C. Talbot.

For the best display of oranges, all varieties, by one grower in Tulare county. No entries.

For best display of lemons, all varieties, by any one grower in Tulare county:
First, Kaweah Lemon Company.
Second, C. W. Buswell.

For best display of pomelos in variety by one grower:
First, H. W. Dunlop.

Best thirty specimens of Washington Navels, exhibited by any one grower in Tulare county:
First, H. M. Hathaway.
Second, W. P. Palmas
Third, Kaweah Lemon Company.

Best thirty specimens of budded oranges, other than Washington Navels:
First, H. M. Hathaway.
Second, H. Williamson.
Third, Mrs. R. A. Henderson.

Best thirty specimens of seedling oranges by any one grower:
siderations, given in their numerical importance and alloting to each count a scale of twenty points:
1. Quality of fruit.
2. Number of varieties.
3. Fruit arrangement.
4. Decorations consisting of festooning and greenery.
5. Decorations other than greenery.

We are prone to believe that this plan awarded the honors where they really belong, and reflects in the broadest sense the judgment of all who are familiar with the economic importance of good citrus fruits to the State of California. In this connection, however, we desire to call attention to the fact that the exhibits, considering the season, were of uniform high quality, and that the dividing line between the several awards did not vary more than a few points. The two locality exhibits of Plano and
First, L. E. Henley.
Second, H. M. Hathaway.

Best thirty specimens of lemons by any one grower:
First, E. O. Giddings.
Second, C. W. Buswell.
Third, J. C. Pogue.

Best thirty specimens pomelos, grape fruit, by any one grower:
First, Ohio Lemon Company.
Second, W. C. Marx.
Third, E. O. Giddings.

Best thirty specimens of limes by any one grower:
First, N. H. Grant.
Second, Peter Ting.
Third, A. A. Abbey.

In conclusion it affords us a pleasure to commend the fine displays of other fruits, notably the exhibit of apples, pomegranates, persimmons, peaches, pears, etc., all of which are evidence of favorable soil and climatic conditions for their production in this section.

GEO. C. ROEDING,
R. M. TEAGUE,
H. W. KRUCKEBERG,
Judges.

LIVESTOCK, TOO.

There was also held in conjunction with the citrus fair in an adjoining building an exhibition of general livestock and poultry, which contained some notable features. Two herds of cattle, one of Holsteins and one of Herefords, were especially strong. The showing of saddle and driving horses, French coach, Percheron and Belgium breeds was quite as strong as anything usually gathered in the South. The street parade of thoroughbred stock called out a large number of spectators from the surrounding towns.

The poultry exhibit was strongest in the American and Mediterranean classes, the predominating breeds being the Plymouth Rocks and Leghorns. The English and Asiatic classes came next, with a fair sprinkling of other breeds. Something like a dozen bronze turkeys and a few varieties of ducks and pigeons comprised the salient features of the poultry exhibition.

CONFISCATING CARS OF COAL.

RAILROADS SEIZE IT IN ORDER TO RUN TRAINS.

Fuel Famine in North Dakota Is Assuming Serious Proportions. Law Permits Common Carriers to Take It Wherever Found—Trains May Be Abandoned.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MINOT (N. D.) Dec. 8.—The fuel famine in Northwestern North Dakota has assumed serious proportions. The transcontinental lines passing through Minot are compelled to confiscate coal held by local dealers in order to keep trains running. The Great Northern today confiscated several cars.

Under the law the common carrier has a right to take the coal wherever he can get it by making proper compensation.

It is said that several stations between Minot and Williston have scarcely enough coal to keep the passenger trains running and the result is that some of the trains are likely to be abandoned. The Soo road is experiencing the same difficulty.

ONE RUNS ASHORE.

GRAND MORAIS (Mich.) Dec. 8.—The passenger steamer Onei of Port Huron, Mich., belonging to the Northern Navigation Company, ran ashore today on Lake Superior during a storm, one mile and a half from White Fish Point. Wrecking tugs have been sent to her assistance from Sault Sainte Marie.

RIVER TUBE COMPLETE.

Manhattan and Brooklyn Now Connected by Sub-River Tunnel.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Manhattan and Brooklyn boroughs were connected under the East River today by the piercing of the last section which separated the ends of the north tube of the tunnel of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit extension, 75 feet beneath the surface of the river.

The East River tunnel extends from the Battery to Joralmon street, Brooklyn. It will form part of the subway rapid transit system from Kings Bridge to Brooklyn. Electric cars of the Long Island Railroad will also run through the tunnel.

CHURCH AND STATE PART.

Acute Religious Crisis Now Facing Paris.

Placards Posted Urge Catholic Resistance.

Pope's Decision Complicates Affairs Gravely.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Three days hence the church and state separation law will go into effect in Paris, and on December 12 and 13, it will be discussed in the various departments, according to the time when copies of the official journal containing the notice of the promulgation of the law reach them.

The government is facing the situation with calmness, but the prospect of an acute religious crisis has suddenly been increased by what appears to be an authoritative announcement made by the Croix, the clerical organ, that word has just arrived from Rome that the Pope absolutely forbids Catholics, bishops, cures or parishioners to make application to hold religious services under the public meeting law of 1881, as proposed by the government. The Croix stated that this interdicts the single annual application which Minister of Public Works Briand had announced as sufficient.

The Journal des Debats says the Pope used these words:

"I am like the father of a family—I cannot permit outsiders to enter my house and regulate the interests of my children without consulting me."

If such is the final decision of the Vatican the situation will be greatly complicated, as it is likely to be interpreted by the clericals as a final summons not to yield an inch, and also may arouse violence by interperates who are also placarding Paris with appeals to the Catholics to resist.

The prefect of the Seine has posted notices throughout the city, informing all families that after December 11, they must apply to the mayors of their district for the funeral trapping used in the churches.

M. Briand has prohibited the collection of fees by cures for marriages or funerals.

GERMAN TAKES INTERNATIONAL.

WINS IN WHIRLWIND FINISH FROM CLOSE FIELD.

"Bobby" Walthour Beats French Champion in Ten-Mile Motor Contest While Serried Masses of Fans Yell Themselves Hoarse Over His Victory.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By a margin so wide that there can remain no doubt as to superiority on a small track, "Bobby" Walthour, champion pace follower of the world, beat Paul Guignard, a Frenchman, and holder of the world's record of 59 miles, 30 yards in an hour, by six and one-half laps in a ten-mile motor-paced race in Madison Square Garden tonight. Twelve thousand fans packed into the big building, yelled themselves hoarse throughout the race, which came as a fitting climax to a card of five other whirlwind events.

Only second in interest to Walthour's victory was the astonishing result of the international ten-mile open, in which were entered twenty-four starters, in the six-day race which starts Monday morning at one minute past midnight.

At the start of the third lap from the finish, Rutt, who had been trailing in fourth position, suddenly jumped out from the pole and up on to the bank like a shot out of a gun. As if the other three were standing still, he sprinted away from them and opened up a gap of a quarter of a lap with ease.

Clark, the Australian, passed Root, who evidently was tired, and started after the flying German. Mettling was the last man. The four riders entered the last stretch and finished in that order. It is the first time since 1898 that a foreigner has won the annual professional race.

OFFICIALS SUBPOENAED.

Managers in Fourteen Standard Oil Companies Must Face Circuit Court in Missouri.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Dec. 8.—Officials of fourteen constituent companies of the Standard Oil Company in Pennsylvania have been subpoenaed to appear before the United States Circuit Court of Eastern Missouri on the first Monday of January in the proceedings instituted by the government against the Standard Oil Company, John D. Rockefeller and H. H. Rogers and seventy-three constituent companies.

FREIGHT BLOCKADE.

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 8.—The Oregonian says:

Serious congestion of freight in Portland terminals seems imminent. Over 1100 cars stand in the yards, while hundreds more are awaiting their turn to be unloaded.

These are lined up on sidings along the Northern Pacific tracks between Portland and Soble and in the East Side yards of the allied Harriman lines. Probably never before in the history of the city have the Terminal companies' tracks been so blocked

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Another cold wave was started for Chicago tonight from Medicine Hat that will send the temperature down to where it was yesterday, 10 deg. above zero, if not lower. Still another storm is coming from the Texas Panhandle that will bring snow. These are the conditions predicted for Chicago's Sunday and Monday weather. The cold wave of Friday drifted east and gave to Chicago a rising temperature today that reached 42 deg. maximum, in the afternoon. The minimum was 23 deg. Middle West temperatures (the dash indicating below zero:)

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	20	—2
Bismarck	4	—8
Cairo	60	34
Cheyenne	42	24
Cincinnati	54	26
Cleveland	34	16
Concordia	50	28
Davenport	44	20
Denver	56	24
Des Moines	42	18
Detroit	34	12
Devils Lake	—4	—16
Dodge City	52	28
Dubuque	36	16
Duluth	10	—2
Escanaba	18	2
Grand Rapids	34	14
Green Bay	20	4
Helena	26	12
Huron	24	2
Indianapolis	50	22
Kansas City	60	30
Marquette	22	2
Memphis	62	40
Milwaukee	32	14
North Platte	38	24
Omaha	40	20
St. Louis	62	30
St. Paul	24	4
Sault Saint Marie	12	—2
Springfield, Ill	54	26
Springfield, Mo	62	34
Wichita	62	40

BLACKMAILING HINTED.

If Dr. Benjamin Harris, who was shot five times Friday by A. C. Campbell of Antigo, Wis., in the Stock Exchange building, should recover, the story which will develop in the divorce suit of Campbell against his wife probably will be sufficiently sensational to convince Campbell of the entire innocence of Mrs. Campbell.

A dispatch from Antigo today hinted that the charges against Dr. Harris and Mrs. Campbell were due to blackmailers, and today's developments tend to prove the correctness of the dispatch.

When the Campbell divorce comes into court, there will be many sensations. It will be shown that a demand was made upon one of the Campbell family for a big sum of money—one report says $25,000—with the alternative of a public charge of immorality.

This effort to hold up the family was frustrated, and then in revenge for the failure to secure the fortune desired, the plot, resulting in the proceedings by Campbell, was hatched.

FEDERATION FUNDS "SHY."

The Federation of Labor, which countenanced the violence of the teamsters' strike and sought to paralyze the industries of Chicago, has again been forced to show its hand in the Shea case. If Shea and his confederates are to continue to have the benefit of advice of counsel, more funds must be immediately available. It remains for the Federation of Labor to supply these funds.

The sum originally devoted to this purpose is being rapidly exhausted. Counsel, it is understood, are now being paid by the day. Desperate shifts are being resorted to by the federation to swell the defense fund. At a recent meeting a special committee was appointed to solicit money to keep Shea and his confederates out of the penitentiary, if possible.

Meantime, evidence whose cumulative force is making its impression on the jury—evidence of petty graft, of violence, of contempt for law and order—is being piled up by the State.

SENSATIONS SPRUNG.

Sensations are piling up in advance of the divorce hearing next week of Dr. Jerome Egbert against his wife, Mrs. Marion Thornton Egbert, who came from Bombay to contest the case. Dr. Egbert today made public a letter written him by his wife while he was in India and she living at a Chicago hotel, describing luncheons and theater parties in which she figured with "Prof. John Manly of the University of Chicago;" Hon. James Powell, described as a former United States Senator, and a "Chicago politician who controls 20,000 votes." The implied flirtations caused Dr. Egbert's hasty return to America. At the University of Chicago tonight it was said that Prof. Manly had left the city temporarily.

MILLIONAIRE DIVORCED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SIOUX FALLS (S. D.) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Alfred Dupont, millionaire and vice-president of the Dupont Powder Company, who has been a resident of Sioux Falls for the past eight months, was granted a decree of divorce at Deadwood, December 5. He was granted an absolute divorce from his wife on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment.

BOAT WRECKED DAILY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An average of one boat a day was wrecked on the great lakes this season. The total loss was $2,000,000, and there were 400 accidents.

MANY VESSELS FROZEN IN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAULT SAINT MARIE (Mich.) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twenty vessels are caught fast in the ice in the St. Mary's River, the cold snap of the last few days having caused six to eight inches of ice.

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PACIFIC SLOPE.

INTIMIDATING LETTER SENT.

Anton Besold Pleads and Threatens.

Missive Written to Sister of Dead Wife.

McFadden Gives Hint to Other Crime.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BELLINGHAM (Wash.) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Anton Besold, ... for the murder of his wife, has written a threatening letter to Mrs. L. McFadden of this city, sister of ... Besold, and it is thought by McFadden that his purpose in so doing ... to intimidate Mrs. McFadden as ... witness.

Shortly after the receipt of the letter ... McFadden forwarded it to his attorneys in Los Angeles.

Mr. McFadden declines to detail the contents of the missive. He says that ... fore part of the letter was intimate, while the closing paragraphs ... filled with pleading.

Mr. McFadden intimated that he has ... proofs of a serious nature connecting Besold with a girl in Bellingham, but he declines at this time to reveal it.

SIX VICTIMS DUG UP.

CLIFTON IN SAD PLIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

COLOMONVILLE (Ariz.) Dec. 8.—Conditions in the flood-stricken city of ... now are slightly improved. ... mild weather is to the advantage ... homeless refugees, and the work ... clearing away the mud and debris ... progressing slowly. The city is still ... out water, lighting and telephone ... service, and journeying over the town ... difficult and dangerous.

A party of searchers saw a human ... protruding from the mud, and digging down, recovered the bodies of six ... identified Mexicans. It is certain ... the death list is large, although ... few Americans are known to have ... perished.

A strong guard still is maintained, ... no men have been shot for looting. Efforts will be made to run a ... road out of the city tomorrow. The ... for a new Clifton to be built ... higher grounds.

CAPTAIN LOSES LICENSE.

BLAMED FOR STRANDING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Captain ... I. Sanders of the Pacific Mail ... Manchuria, has had his li... as a mariner taken away from ... This action was taken by O. F. ... and John K. Bulger, United ... Inspectors of Hulls and Boil... ... the stranding of the Manchuria at the northeast end of Oahu ... on August 20, while on the way ... Japan to this port. The in... ... in the decision pronounce... ... negligent and unskillful in ... the vessel and have ordered ... to be suspended for five ..., which is the period it has yet ...

POSTAL EXTENDS LINES.

TO NEVADA MINE REGION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—W. H. ..., general manager and first vice-president of the Postal Telegraph and ... Company, and E. J. Nally, third ... president, who are in this city, ... it is said, considering a plan to ... the company's lines into the ... mining region.

The plan is to extend wires from Salt ... City by way of the Clark road ... Vegas, and in turn "string" the ... of the mining section to Hawthorne, to Reno and Truckee and then ... Sacramento, where connection will ... made with the company's main line ... San Francisco.

STATE SHERIFFS CONVENE.

UNDER CARE OF INSANE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

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ADMITS MANY CRIMES.

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After admitting that he robbed Miss ... Fitzpatrick, denied striking ... and declared it must have ... been his accomplice, whose ... he gave to the police as Sidney ...

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Coloma Founders.

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PACIFIC COAST.

INTIMIDATING LETTER SENT.

Anton Besold Pleads and Threatens.

Advice Written to Sister of Dead Wife.

McFadden Gives Hint to Other Crime.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

BELLINGHAM (Wash.) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Anton Besold, held for the murder of his wife, has written a threatening letter to Mrs. J. L. McFadden of this city, sister of Mrs. Besold, and it is thought by McFadden that his purpose in so doing was to intimidate Mrs. McFadden as a witness.

Shortly after the receipt of the letter McFadden forwarded it to his attorney in Los Angeles.

Besold declines to detail the contents of the missive. He says that the first part of the letter was intimate, while the closing paragraphs dealt with pleading.

He has intimated that he has been the victim of a serious nature connected with a girl in Bellingham, but declines at this time to reveal her name.

SIX VICTIMS DUG UP.

CLIFTON IN SAD PLIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SOLOMONVILLE (Ariz.) Dec. 8.—Conditions in the flood-stricken city of Clifton are slightly improved. Cold weather is to the advantage of the homeless refugees, and the work of clearing away the mud and débris is progressing slowly. The city is still without water, lighting and telephone service, and journeying over the town is difficult and dangerous.

A party of searchers saw a human body protruding from the mud, and dig-ging, recovered the bodies of six Mexicans. It is certain the death list is large, although only Americans are known to have perished.

A strong guard still is maintained, and looters have been shot for looting. Efforts will be made to run a train out of the city tomorrow. The site for a new Clifton to be built on higher grounds.

CAPTAIN LOSES LICENSE.

BLAMED FOR STRANDING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Captain Daniel I. Sanders of the Pacific Mail steamer Manchuria, has had his license as a mariner taken away from him. The action was taken by O. F. Long and John K. Bulger, United States inspectors of Hulls and Boilers, following the stranding of the Manchuria at the northeast end of Oahu on August 20, while on the way from Asia to this port. The in-spectors in the decision pronounce Sanders negligent and unskillful in handling his vessel and have ordered that he be suspended for five months, which is the period it has yet to run.

RAIL EXTENDS LINES.

TO NEVADA MINE REGION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—W. H. Mills, general manager and first vice-president of the Postal Telegraph and Cable company, and E. J. Nally, third vice-president, who are in this city, it is said, considering a plan to extend the company's lines into the mining region.

Plans to extend wires from Salt Lake by way of the Clark road to Reno, and in turn "string" the wires in the mining section to Hawthorne, Reno and Truckee and then to San Francisco, where connection will be made with the company's main line to Portland.

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BANDIT IS CAPTURED.

CONFESSES MANY CRIMES.

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OIL SLOPE BRIEFS.

Vessel Founders.

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CLIFTON, Dec. 8.—The State convention of the California Sheriff's Association is in session in this city, with a large attendance of the sheriffs' deputies. Among the principal matters under discussion are the adoption of the finger-mark identification system and a permanent criminal bureau. Sheriff Sibley of San Mateo county, will banquet the visitors tonight.

Deserter Caught.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 8.—After serving a term in the jail at Valdez on a charge of seal poaching in American waters, twelve Japanese, caught red-handed on the Pribiloff islands last summer, were brought from the North this morning and confined in the County Jail.

Ton of Mail Refused.

SEATTLE, Dec. 8.—More than a ton of third-class mail matter, consisting of packages, possibly many Christmas presents, was turned back by the postal authorities at Valdez because the government facilities for carrying mails over the winter trail does not permit of sending merchandise, only during the months of navigation.

Pioneers Will Merge.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 8.—The Santa Clara County Pioneers today decided to merge the old organization into the corporation that has been partially effected. There are 262 members in the society. The regular quarterly meeting and banquet was held this afternoon.

Unknown Man Killed.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 8.—The north-bound Overland train this morning ran over an unknown man who was walking on the track near Hilladale, four miles south of this city, killing him instantly. The body as yet has not been identified.

Teachers Are Organized.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—A permanent organization, which will be known as the San Francisco Teachers' Federation, was perfected today when forty instructors in the public schools assembled at Plymouth Congregational Church. It is understood that the principal object of the teachers in organizing is to safeguard their positions and their salaries. The federation will have a constitution similar to that of the Chicago teachers' organization, which is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Rain in San Joaquin.

LODI, Dec. 8.—Rain commenced falling here last night and continued until daylight. The storm was general throughout San Joaquin county and the ground was put in fine shape for plowing. This is the first big rain of the season. There will now be plenty of pasturage for stock.

Falls Four Stories.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Andrew McCarthy, an iron worker, fell a distance of four stories on the Monadnock building yesterday morning and may die as a result of his injuries.

New Industry Formed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—The Great Western Rolling Mill Company has been incorporated in this city and the new concern promises to develop another important industry in the form of the manufacture of iron and steel. The capital stock is $500,000.

To Ask for Big Donation.

SEATTLE, Dec. 8.—Congress will be asked to appropriate $1,000,000 with which to make a proper exhibit for the resources and products of the entire Alaskan country for the Alaska-Yukon Exposition. An effort will be made to get the bill through this Congress so that the appropriation may be so distributed that the exhibits for Alaska may be ready for shipment by the fall of 1907.

STORM DOES MUCH DAMAGE.

TERRIFIC WINDS CRIPPLE ALL WIRE SERVICE.

British Columbia Railroads, Telegraph and Telephone Lines Completely Demoralized by Heavy Night Gales—Big Downpour of Rain Accompanies Hurricane.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 7.—Great damage was done by last night's storm in the interior and along the coast, according to meagre advices received from outside points.

On account of the fact that both of the telegraph and telephone systems are demoralized, it is impossible to secure accurate information, but it is believed that the loss will be large. The city of Vancouver weathered the storm almost without loss.

The Canadian Pacific's telegraph system is hard hit in the vicinity of Yale. It is reported that miles of wires are down along the track in the vicinity of that point. A severe sleet storm swept down the Great Cañon of the Fraser, and forced on by a rushing gale of wind, swept wires down like silk threads before the combined elements of destruction.

Early this morning all the linemen it was possible to secure were rushed to Yale, and they are at work in an endeavor to repair the wreck.

Nanaimo has been cut off from communication with the mainland. The submarine cable runs on the floor of the gulf from Vancouver to Departure Bay, a distance of three miles from Nanaimo, and as a general thing during storm troubles, it is possible to reach Nanaimo. However, on this occasion the wires between Departure Bay and Nanaimo were carried away. It is expected that they will be up some time this afternoon.

The British Columbia Telephone Company suffered to a considerable extent on its outside service, but W. H. Kent, superintendent, said that within the city very little damage had been reported. The wires to the south went down at Clover Valley, a point six miles this side of Blaine. This shut off all communication with Vancouver Island points as well as with Bellingham, Seattle and other points to the south.

MARSHAL KILLS BOLD GAMBLER.

OFFICER FIRES AFTER HE IS SEVERELY WOUNDED.

Bullets from Guns of Duelling Men Graze Women Attending Meeting of Church Society—Desperado Recently Eloped With Prominent Young Society Woman.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KENTWOOD (La.) Dec. 8.—Bernard Day, a gambler and illicit whisky dealer, was shot and killed, and Town Marshal Clay Shaw of Kentwood was seriously wounded on the streets here today during a pistol battle following the attempt of the officer to arrest Day.

Marshal Shaw, after receiving a pistol bullet in the right leg, dropped to his knee and shot Day.

A society of church ladies were holding a meeting in a building near by at the time and stray bullets grazed several of the women.

Day eloped two days ago with Miss Bertha Hurst, a prominent young lady.

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Injuries Serious, and May Prove Fatal.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Z. Mogan, a former member of the Tivoli opera chorus, was attacked tonight in her room at No. 611 Buchanan street, and her throat so seriously slashed that she will die. Before relapsing into unconsciousness she stated that she was attacked by a man named Slattey, who had entered the room through a window while she was asleep.

WOULD-BE ROBBER CAUGHT.

WAS DISAPPOINTED AUTHOR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

GREAT BEND (Kan.) Dec. 8.—After a daring attempt here at 9 o'clock this morning to rob the J. V. Brinkman Company Bank, single-handed, a man who gave his name as George A. Lewis of Kansas City, was surrounded and surrendered. Bud Westfall, a driver for the Wells Fargo Express Company was killed by a shot fired by one of the pursuers.

Lewis walked into the bank a few minutes after it opened its doors and, pointing a revolver at A. E. Taylor, cashier, ordered the latter to throw up his hands. In an instant a clerk dodged into the vault and set off the burglar alarm. Lewis fled immediately and darted up an alley into the Wells Fargo buildings, two blocks from the bank. On the second floor he locked himself in a room for an hour and defied arrest. Several shots were fired into the room in an attempt to dislodge the robber. One bullet struck and killed Driver Westfall, who was in the express office on the street floor.

The robber is 20 years old, weighs 160 pounds and is six feet tall. He has light hair and blue eyes, and is well dressed. He admitted that he had not given his correct name. He said he had made contributions to eastern magazines and papers, but his matter had been rejected, and he had become disheartened. He cried when he told his story.

GIVE BONDS TO APPEAR.

INDICTED MEN MISSING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SALT LAKE, Dec. 8.—Everett Buckingham, general superintendent of the Oregon Short Line Railroad; J. M. Moore, general agent in Salt Lake of the Union Pacific Coal Company, who were indicted yesterday, charged with illegal discrimination against a local coal company, and H. G. Williams, general manager of the Utah Fuel Company, who was charged in an indictment with conspiracy to defraud the Federal government of valuable coal lands, appeared before United States Commissioner Charles Baldwin just before noon today and gave bonds for their appearance in the Federal District Court before Justice John A. Marshall on April 8.

W. C. McCormick, president of the banking house of McCormick & Co., and L. S. Hill, president of the Deseret National Bank, qualified on the bond of $3000 required of Buckingham. Employés of the Utah Fuel Company qualified on Williams's bond for a similar amount.

It was stated that arrangements had been made for the Utah Surety Company to make acknowledgment in Denver and qualify on the bonds of Elroy N. Clark, the Utah Fuel Company's attorney in Denver, and George A. Woode, the company's Denver agent. In this manner they will be relieved of the necessity of surrendering to the United States Marshal in Salt Lake City.

Robert Forrester, geologist of the Utah Fuel Company, and W. D. Foster, Forrester's secretary, have not been located by the United States Marshal. Both have been absent from this city for several days. Both are included in the indictment charging conspiracy to defraud.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Five Cars Plundered.

SALINAS, Dec. 8.—Reports have been received at the Sheriff's office here that five freight cars on a northbound train were robbed last night at Soledad, twenty-five miles south of here. A Sheriff's posse has gone in pursuit of the robbers whose identity is suspected.

Writ Denied Murderess.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 8.—A motion for a writ of error in the case of Mrs. Agnew Meyers, under sentence of death for the murder of her husband, Clarence Meyers, a pressman, was denied today by Justice Brewer, in the United States Supreme Court at Washington, according to a telegram received by the woman's attorney here.

Her Message to Murderer.

HERKIMER (N. Y.) Dec. 7.—Chester E. Gillett, convicted of the murder of Grace Brown was amazed yesterday by the receipt of a telegram from his mother, telling him to repent before God. His mother also had previously expressed confidence in his innocence. She said in explaining her message that she had received word that he had confessed.

Fortune Teller Arraigned.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Herman Billeck, the fortune teller who was arrested in connection with the deaths in the Varal family was arraigned today in the Municipal Court and his case was continued until December 17. His wife was also brought into court and hearing in her case was set for December 14.

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Railroad Tie-up Feared by Pittsburgh Officials.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SIOUX CITY (Iowa) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Anticipating the strike of 3000 miners as a result of the immense mass meeting at Lead, S. D., tomorrow, Gov. Elrod of that State has instructed Adjt.-Gen. Englesby to get troops in readiness for mobilization.

Thus far the miners, headed by the 2000 employés of the Hearst Homestake property, have, in their demand for an eight-hour day, and full recognition of the union, conducted their conferences with calmness.

A big element throughout the Black Hills, however, is insisting on forcing the issue. The instructions to hold troops in readiness has created a sensation. Mine operators have been heard several times, through their spokesman, Superintendent Grier of the Homestake, who has urged the inadvisability of unionizing all mines.

Two military companies are located in the Black Hills, but they are considered insufficient to police the extensive districts should a strike ensue.

GENERAL STRIKE FEARED.

DISPUTE BECOMES CRITICAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 8.—The dispute between the local officials of the railroads centering in Pittsburgh and their employés over the scale for yard men has arrived at a critical stage, and unless a settlement is reached within a day or so, fears are entertained of a general strike in the district.

Negotiations with the Baltimore and Ohio are already off and much depends upon meetings arranged for the general managers of the Pennsylvania and Wabash lines. If these two companies take a stand similar to that of the Baltimore and Ohio, all yard men in the Pittsburgh district will likely be called out on strike.

PICKET TELLS CRIMES.

SOME UNION "PREVENTION."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Michael Murphy, one of the pickets during the teamsters' strike, was on the stand in the Shea trial today. He testified that while he was acting as a picket at the plant of the Schultse box factory, Jeremiah McCarthy, business agent of the Truck Drivers' Union, drove up and told him to prevent all wagons from leaving the factory with any goods.

In compliance to this order he prevented the wagons of the Schultse company from delivering any paper boxes to the shoe house of Selz, Schwab & Co., because the latter's men were on a strike. The witness was told of preventing the delivery of coal to the Union Traction Company, and added that he, with other pickets, whom he mentioned by name, tied wires across the street in front of the Hobble-street power-house so that teams could not pass. Witness added: "We also ran a car down the street and took off the brake, so that it could not be moved. Then we placed bricks in the center of the street, so that the wagons could not pass. About this time we were driven off by the police."

GRANT MIDDLE SCALE.

WAGE DISPUTES ENDING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 8.—"All indications point to the settlement of the wage disputes in the Pittsburgh switching district," said W. G. Lee, Vice-Grand Master of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, this afternoon, after a long conference with George L. Peck, general manager of the Pennsylvania lines, west.

"Our conference," said Lee, "has resulted in the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Pennsylvania lines, west, granting the 'middle scale,' which is 1 cent less than the Chicago scale of wages. I received official information that the Baltimore and Ohio had receded from the stand taken at their conference yesterday, and had decided to grant the 'middle scale.' We have notices from the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad that they have also decided to grant the same scale."

OFFER IS REJECTED.

WANT LARGER RAISE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW BEDFORD (Mass.) Dec. 8.—The offer of the New Bedford cotton manufacturers to increase wages 7½ per cent. was rejected tonight by the Textile Council. Acting under the recommendations of the various unions represented at the council that body voted to insist that wages be raised 10 per cent. Another conference will be held Monday.

LABOR BRIEFS.

Mayor Beaten by Thug.

COLUMBUS (O.) Dec. 8.—Presumably because of the stern measures taken by Mayor Badger to repress the labor riots growing out of the strike of the iron molders here several months ago, the Mayor was assaulted today in the Courthouse by Charles Miller, chairman of the strike committee. Mayor Badger was badly, though not seriously, injured.

Supreme Court to Decide.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 8.—The Supreme Court of the United States will be asked to pass on the constitutionality of the eight-hour labor law. The first action to that end was taken in the United States District Court here today. The case was that of the Sheridan Kirk Company, recently convicted of employing laborers for more than eight hours a day on a contract on a government dam below this city.

Beveridge Bill Indorsed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—At a meeting of the board of trustees of the National Child Labor Committee, held here last night, the board took action on the proposed national child-labor law. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the Beveridge bill in substance as a national child-labor law.

Refuse Wage Increase.

NEW BEDFORD (Mass.) Dec. 8.—Great interest exists in all cotton-mill districts of Southern New England in a number of textile union meetings called for different hours here late today to consider the offer of the manufacturers to advance wages 7 per cent. next Monday. The council recommended that the offer be rejected, and the operatives insist on the original demand for a 10 per cent raise.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENT SWAMPS CONGRESS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The River and Harbor Committee is daily wrestling with the gigantic task of framing a bill for improving the country's water ways. An immense number of projects are before them. Those that have been previously reported upon by the engineers' corps of army alone call for an expenditure of $50,000,000.

Over 2000 separate projects are now being considered by various subcommittees of the full committee, and these do not include a large number of projects that have been unfavorably reported upon by the engineers.

Even if the rumor of a $50,000,000 bill is confirmed the committee will have to eliminate nine-tenths of the propositions before it.

Under the circumstances, it follows that a great many persons will be disappointed in not getting projects in which they are interested included in this bill.

Considerable pressure is being brought to bear here in favor of California river and harbor improvements, but members of the State delegation realize that the odds are against some of their projects. However, they are determined to make a good fight in behalf of the State's interests.

NOW TO PROBE HILL SYSTEM.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION PREPARING.

Investigation Not an Outcome of Specific Complaint, but Merely to Ascertain Exact Condition of Railroad Affairs—Inquiry Will Be Broad and Comprehensive.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—An investigation of the operations and management of the railroads controlled by James J. Hill and associates, including the Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, is in contemplation by the Interstate Commerce Commission. After certain preliminaries have been arranged, and counsel for the commission is selected, formal announcement of the proposed inquiry will be made.

As in the case of the proposed investigation of the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific railroads of the Harriman system, the inquiry is not the outgrowth of any specific complaints of violations of the interstate commerce law, but is to be undertaken by virtue of the general inquisitorial powers conferred upon the commission by Congress. The inquiry will be broad and comprehensive, with a view to ascertaining the exact condition of affairs regarding the railroads.

A member of the commission, in speaking of the proposed inquiry, said: "Although there has been outward compliance with the decree of the Supreme Court in dissolving the Northern Securities Company, yet there has been no difference in the rates given upon the united system."

KAHN WANTS TORPEDO BOATS.

FIFTEEN FOR PACIFIC SLOPE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Kahn will introduce a bill next week, providing for an appropriation for construction of fifteen submarine boats, to be used on the Pacific Coast.

The boats are to be scattered all the way from Seattle to Southern California. The boats will cost about $300,000 each.

SAILORS CAN BUY DISCHARGE.

DEPARTMENT ISSUES ORDER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The President has approved the revocation by the Navy Department of a rule, which has existed since 1902, which prohibited the purchase of the discharge by enlisted men. The new order gives the right of purchase to men in their first enlistment who have served at least one year.

LEASES LONG BEACH OFFICE.

OWNER MUST EQUIP IT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Postoffice Department today accepted the proposal of Joseph T. Banghamto to lease new quarters for the postoffice at Long Beach, Cal., at the corner of Second street and American avenue for five years from June next, including complete equipment, heat, light, safe, water, etc.

GOVERNMENT BUYS FORT SITES.

NEEDS MORE LAND IN HAWAII.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Reports received at the War Department from officers in charge of installation of coast defenses in the Hawaiian Islands, state that most of the land which will be needed as sites for fortifications has been obtained, and that about one-fourth of what was originally planned for acquisitions remains to be got.

It is hoped to obtain such tracts of land, which are still needed for the Hawaiian coast defenses, as it is entirely in the interests of economy that the remaining sites should be obtained as soon as possible.

FISH AT WHITE HOUSE.

SAYS HE WILL "RESPOND."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Stuyvesant Fish, former president of the Illinois Central Railroad, called at the White House today, and later talked with the Interstate Commerce Commissioners. It was stated that his calls had nothing to do with the proposed investigation of the Harriman system.

Fish said he was not aware that he had any knowledge that would be of value to the commission, but if it was disposed to call upon him he would gladly respond.

SOLDIERS AT CAPITAL.

SEEK RE-ENLISTMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—President Roosevelt has been asked by the military authorities for instructions regarding the cases of discharged members of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, who apply for reënlistment on the basis that their previous service has been "honest and faithful."

About fifty of the discharged soldiers are here, most of them having arrived within the last day or two. It is understood their course will depend to a great extent upon the President's treatment of Sergt. Sanders.

WILL RELEGATE BILL.

JOINT COMMITTEE'S OPINION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The second day of the hearing on the bill amending and codifying the copyright laws held before the joint patent committees of the Senate and House resulted in the conclusion that the proposed bill will be largely disregarded when the actual work of forming new legislation is undertaken.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Young Men Needed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—"We want younger men to command the ships of the navy," said Admiral Dewey, after an interview with the President today, "and the only way to accomplish it is to retire officers early." The result is sought to be attained by the enactment of the naval personnel bill, which the admiral discussed with the President.

Wint Gets Instructions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Brig.-Gen. Wint, who has been assigned to command the troops in Cuba, received his instructions from Secretary Taft today. He expects to sail for Cuba next Tuesday.

SAYS ITALY MUST ARM.

Signor Luzzatti Says Real Danger to World's Peace Lies in German and Great Britain Rivalry.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VIENNA, Dec. 8.—Discussing in the Neue Freie Presse today the relations between Austria-Hungary and Italy, Signor Luzzatti, ex-Minister of the Italian Treasury, is quoted as stating that the military preparations of Austria, along the Italian frontier are bound to lead to the arming of Italy. He contended that Austria-Hungary ought to recognize that the triple alliance offered the greatest security for peace between Germany and the Anglo-French alliance. The one real danger of the peace of the world, he said, lies in the rivalry between Germany and Great Britain and in a war between those countries, Austria-Hungary and Italy would have everything to lose. They should, therefore, unite to promote a good understanding between Great Britain and Germany."

The same paper publishes an interview with the Marquis di Rudini, ex-Premier of Italy, in which he is reported to have said that the triple alliance has lost its force since Great Britain has taken up a new position in the world's politics, and has become a source of continual anxiety to Austria-Hungary and Italy.

IMMIGRANTS IN DISTRESS.

Strike of Men Employed on Trans-Atlantic Boats Results in Congestion at Naples.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NAPLES, Dec. 8.—The strike on the part of the men employed on the trans-Atlantic steamers has resulted in a serious congestion of immigrants here. All sailing dates for America have been canceled. Thousands of immigrants held in Naples are in want.

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Plague-Infested Rats Exterminated by Professional "Catchers."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Reports have reached the War Department that a few months ago large numbers of plague-infested rats were found in Manila, and since then a large body of professional rat catchers were hard at work to protect the city's health.

It was evident that the plague-rats infected only two sections, and in both of these districts a thorough disinfection was at once undertaken. Every house was systematically cleaned and all the habitual abiding places of the rodents, such as wood piles, were removed.

RIVER BREAKS AT THE DELTA.

Colorado Overflows but Menace Seems Slight.

Portion Also Gets Through Unfinished Dyke.

Fall in Stream Makes Matter Look Hopeful.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

IMPERIAL, Dec. 8.—The Colorado River, which is at flood, is overflowing the delta of the river as it always has done and will continue to do until twenty miles more of dyke is constructed. It is flowing over a level country where there is no channel. No damage is anticipated.

PORTION THROUGH DYKE.

CROSSES UNFINISHED WORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 8.—While a portion of the flood water of the Colorado River got through the unfinished part of the dyke south of the place of the recent break in the river bank, the situation is not nearly so bad as sensational reports make it.

It is believed that with the rapid fall of the river, active work will stop the inflow in a few days. There is little doubt that it will be shut out at the delta before it cuts a large channel.

LESS MENACING.

TIDINGS FROM YUMA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] So far as is now known the break of the Colorado River at the Mexican intake is not positively serious, and with a rapidly-falling river, the danger becomes less menacing.

The break is not at the dam, but in the levee on the south side between the intake channel and the old channel of the Colorado and about one-third mile from the stone dam.

The break was caused by an overflow from the old channel cutting under the brush and dirt levee. The gap is about 250 yards wide and still cutting on both sides.

Beyond saving railroad material nothing can be done at this writing toward stopping the break. It is impossible to tell the depth of the water pouring through.

At this point the river has fallen about three feet. Although the gauge shows but twenty-three feet, it is probably deeper on account of the scouring of the channel.

The flood is entirely from the Gila and, as that river enters the Colorado about twelve miles below there, it does not affect work at the Laguna dam.

Jack Carrillo, engineer in charge of the railway work at the heading, says that less than a third of the water of the river is flowing through the break. The river fell five feet in a day. Carrillo is very hopeful.

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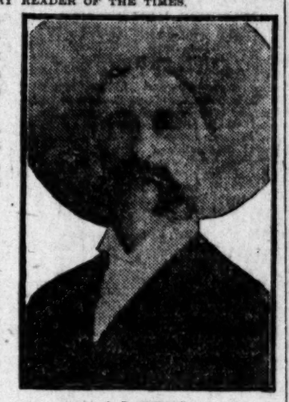
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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—The battleship Vermont from the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding and Engine Company of Quincy successfully completed all her government trials at sea this afternoon, including a four-hour full power, a twenty-four-hour endurance test and the usual turning and backing maneuvers. Her entire forward deck from stem to bridge was incased in ice as the result of a thirty-six-hours' trip in a northwest gale and zero temperature.

Tonight Rear-Admiral Hemphill notified the Secretary of the Navy that the behavior of the ship had been excellent.

On the four-hour full-power run yesterday the Vermont averaged 18.33 knots an hour. In the twenty-four-hour test the average speed was 18.43 knots an hour, and the horse power 14,500.

The requirements called for an average of 18 knots at full power, and 12,200 horse power at two-thirds speed. The trials were held under the most severe conditions yet undergone by a government vessel, and the requirements were all completed within four days which is the shortest period in which a battleship has been put through her paces.

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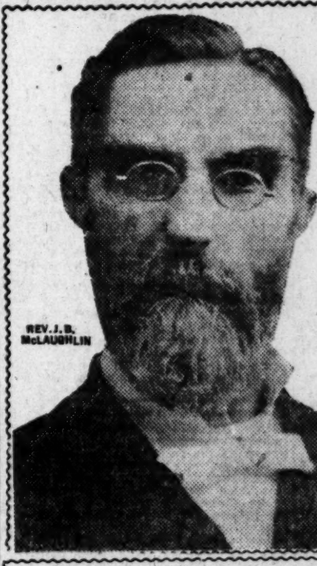
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER

THROWS LIGHT ON FISHERIES.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

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The last communication published is Newfoundland was still deprecating the arrangement consenting to the use of Purse seins and the engagement of local fishermen for work on American boats.

PEARY TELLS OF TRIP.

Explorer Believes There Is Land Northwest of Grantland—Found Driftwood Far Up.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Commander Robert E. Peary gave a public lecture today at the Museum of Natural History upon his latest attempt to reach the North Pole. He said in the course of it that he was satisfied that there is a body of land somewhere about a hundred miles northwest of Grantland in the open polar sea, which he wood a hundred miles from Grantland in the open Polar Sea, which he was convinced could only have come from rivers flowing through land not yet placed on the map.

Commander Peary said also that he believed that if the polar winter, during which he made his attempt, had been a normal one he would have reached the Pole.

He thought it could be reached with no greater expense or loss of time than he had experienced in his expedition. With his added knowledge of arctic conditions, he believed the Pole could be reached with sledges, but the explorer should leave land farther west than he did, at about Cape Richards, and should not proceed straight toward the Pole, but toward the northwest, and thus take advantage of the north drift of the ice and currents, which are southwest.

He discovered, he said, a unique glacial fringe on the northern coast of Grantland, which he believed to be the origin of the paleocrystic, or always-frozen ice, which former explorers had thought was from ice massed about the Pole.

SAVOY THEATER REOPENS.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—There was much interest in the reopening of the Savoy Theater tonight, for a revival of the Gilbert and Sullivan operas under the direction of Mrs. D'Oyley Carte, with the coöperation of W. S. Gilbert, who superintended the staging as he did in the days of his collaboration with Sir Arthur Sullivan.

STEAMER HITS CRUISER.

TANGIER (Morocco) Dec. 8.—The Spanish steamer Carmen, steaming at eight knots, crashed today into the French cruiser Forbin, which was at anchor here. The bows of the Carmen crumpled up as if made of cardboard, but the warship was uninjured.

There was no loss of life.

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C. C. SHOEMAKER, Box 944, Freeport, Ill.

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From "Ye Print Shop"

At this season of the year above all others this shop aims to be foremost in its assortment of articles suitable for Christmas gifts. A few of hundreds of appropriate articles:



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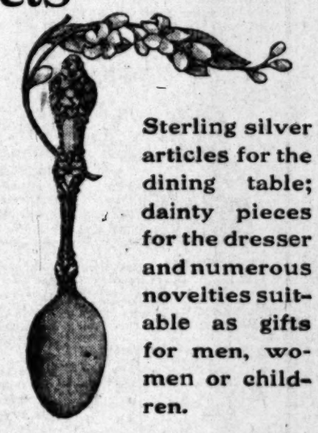
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If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys begin to get better they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

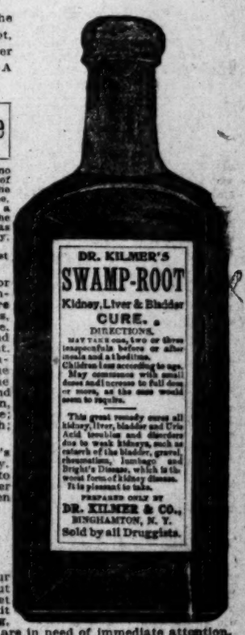
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Gratefully yours, MRS. A. L. WALKER, 321 East Linden street, Atlanta, Ga.

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for many kinds of diseases, and if permitted to continue, much suffering and many fatalities are sure to follow. Kidney trouble irritates the nerves, makes you dizzy, restless, sleepless and irritable. Makes you pass water often during the day and obliges you to get up many times during the night. Unhealthy kidneys cause rheumatism, gravel, catarrh or the bladder, pain or dull ache in the back, joints or muscles; make your head ache and back ache, cause indigestion, stomach and liver trouble, you get a sallow, yellow complexion, make you feel as though you had heart trouble; you may have plenty of ambition, but no strength; get weak and waste away.

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If there is any doubt in your mind as to your condition, take from your urine on rising about four ounces, place it in a glass or bottle and let it stand twenty-four hours. If on examination it is milky or cloudy, if there is a brick-dust settling, or if small particles float about in it, your kidneys are in need of immediate attention.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—So successful is Swamp-Root in promptly overcoming even the most distressing cases, that to prove its wonderful merits you may have a sample bottle and a book of valuable information, both sent absolutely free by mail. The book contains many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters received from men and women who found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy they needed. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that all readers are advised to send for a sample bottle.

In writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure to say that you read this generous offer in the Los Angeles Sunday Times.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at the drug stores everywhere. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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"The Owl" Stores Are Now In Holiday Array—Inspect Them This Week

Do you realize that Christmas is only about two weeks away? The "Owl" says hurry! There's really no time to be lost. Holiday display now at its best at both "Owl" stores, and arranged so that the careful selection of gifts is easy. Do your shopping early this week before the crowds make comfortable shopping impossible. The "Owl" is ready for you. You're welcome at both busy stores.

320 South Spring

Broadway and Fifth

Wonderful Display of Toilet Sets

"The Owl" has always made a specialty of Christmas Toilet Sets. But this year our display fairly overwhelms anything we have ever shown before. We can merely give you a hint at the stock and values.

Simple French Stag Set $1.25

This is a Two Piece Set, in genuine French stag, consists of brush and comb, put up in a very pretty case, neatly lined with moire. At the price this set is a remarkably good value—not elaborate in any way—but very simple and tasteful. See it.

3-Piece Set $4

This Set comes in lustrous small ebonoid, handsomely polished and mounted in sterling silver. It consists of brush, comb and mirror—packed in a pretty case lined with moire silk; this is a very attractive and serviceable case.

3-Piece Set $4

This set comes in genuine French stag, handsomely mounted in sterling silver. It consists of brush, comb and mirror—put up in a moire silk-lined case. The pieces are very handsome—beautiful, as well as made for service.

7-Piece French Stag Set $5

This fine Set comes in genuine French stag, mounted in sterling silver. Really a combination toilet and manicure set—with brush, comb, mirror, manicure scissors, buffer, nail file and pomade jar. The set is packed in a neat case, lined with moire silk. It is really a remarkable value at the price, $5.00. All articles are of fine quality, fit for any toilet table.

Remember You Pay Less at "The Owl"



This Set $8.00

The Set illustrated contains three pieces—brush, comb and mirror—in massive art silver. French gray pattern—worked out in beautiful embossed effects. It comes in a light blue case of watered silk, lined with white silk. Really a lavish gift set, this—one that would insure appreciation, and of a quality to give years of service

Another $5 Set

At this figure we have an assortment of handsome celluloid sets—in ivory, amber and tortoise-shell effects. These sets have three pieces—brush, comb and mirror—the backs in handsomely embossed designs. These sets are put up in pretty cases, lined with moire silk.

Still another $5.00 Set comes in ebonoid, heavily mounted in silver, in embossed effects. Has two pieces, comb and brush.

Eleven Piece Celluloid Combination Set $13.50

This is one of the most elaborate sets in our stock. It comes in celluloid—choice of amber, ivory, or tortoise shell effect. Pieces are as follows—comb, brush, mirror, nail buffer, two pomade jars, nail file, manicure knife, tweezers, manicure scissors, and button hook. This set is handsomely packed in a neat case, piece in it is a practical toilet implement of good quality. This set makes a very beautiful gift one that will ensure lasting appreciation on the part of the recipient.

Handsome Five Piece Art Silver Set $10.50

This set is in the popular French Gray pattern, in heavily embossed designs. A genuinely artistic set, consisting of brush, comb, mirror, hat brush and cloth brush. It is handsomely packed in a case that well sets off the massive beautifully worked out pieces.

Another fine silver set is made of Derby Silver. This, too, is handsomely embossed. Has four pieces—brush, comb, mirror and cloth brush. The price of this Derby Silver set is $9.50.

...Great Variety... Ladies' Hand Bags

Nothing better to give the wife, sister or sweetheart than a pretty shopping bag. Every bag shown at "The Owl" stores is good style and good value. Many imported novelties here as well as standard models. See our immense display of Ladies' Hand Bags.



The bag illustrated above comes in lizard-skin light tan shaded here and there with green. It is beautifully made—with small strap handle and gilt clasp. Lined with moire, silk, inside purse with leather. Fitted with mirror, powder puff and comb. The price is $7.50.

At this price we have a pretty bag in walrus-grained leather. Made with Vienna handle, leather-covered frame, gilt or gun-metal trimmed. This bag is leather lined, with large inside compartments. Comes in black only. **Hand Bag $1.00**

This bag, too, comes in walrus-grained leather. It has Vienna handle, leather-covered frame, is leather lined and fitted with coin purse. This bag comes in both brown and black colors. A splendid value. **Hand Bag $1.25**

This is a very large hand bag, in walrus-grained leather. It has Vienna handle, leather-covered frame—gilt or gun-metal trimmed. Bag is leather lined and fitted with extra large coin purse. This is a very practical, useful bag—as well as a handsome one. Extra value at its price, $3.00. **Hand Bag $3.00**

Hand Bag $3.25

Seal grained leather bag in black only. Has Vienna handle, leather covered frame—gilt or gun metal trimmed. Bag is lined with leather and fitted with coin purse. Made in a very pretty shape.

Hand Bag $3.50

Extra large hand bag in seal grained leather. Has leather covered frame, gilt or gun metal trimmed. Bag has Vienna handle; is leather lined and fitted with coin purse. This bag is almost square in shape and very roomy.

Black Seal Bag $8.50

This bag, as illustrated, is made of genuine seal-grain leather. It has a strap handle, leather-covered frame, with black metal clasp. This bag is leather lined and fitted with large coin purse, having gun-metal frame and clasps. A very handsome, substantial bag, large and roomy, and in perfect taste.



The Swell Carlton Bags

$4.00, $6.00 and $8.00

These fashionable little bags come in alligator, seal and fancy calf leathers. Really bag purses, with chain handles and trimmings in gilt or gun metal. They are all leather lined and remarkably roomy for small hand bags. These Carlton bags are distinctly the correct thing for young women. See the assortment.

These descriptions do not begin to cover our bag stock. Many others—all desirable. Come in and see for yourself.

Mirrors for Christmas Gifts

"The Owl" has just now the finest stock of Mirrors ever assembled on the Pacific Coast. See the windows of both stores—and the display inside. The showing is really immense, and well worth seeing.

Many Triplicate Mirrors

In Triplicate Mirrors our assortment is unusually strong. Many shapes and sizes here, ranging in price from $1.50 to $12.50. Some of the materials are ebony, mahogany, light Antwerp oak, Flemish oak, etc. Triplicate Mirrors are a real necessity to any woman's toilet table.



This Mirror $4.50

The triplicate mirror illustrated comes with dull black ebonoid frames. They are put together with simply designed nickel connections. The mirrors are of heavy beveled French plate glass, beautifully perfect and flawless. This mirror has chain ready to attach for hanging. Its price is $4.50, and at that figure it is a splendid value.

Shaving Mirrors $1.25 to $6.50

Fine assortment of shaving mirrors at both "Owl" stores. They come on stands, in many shapes and sizes—some arranged on special bearings that admit of turning in all directions. These mirrors come in various materials—shell, ebonoid, mahogany, ebony and in metal handsomely nickeled. They make very acceptable gifts for men.

Hand Mirrors

We can't begin to describe our stock of hand mirrors. Fine selections here at almost any price you want to pay. You cannot realize what variety our stock holds without seeing it yourself. Visit either of the "Owl" stores.

A Beautiful Showing of Leather Roll-Ups

These leather roll-ups are suitable for gifts for either men or women. We can merely hint at the assortment shown, and say nothing of the unfitted roll-ups and which we have in great variety, and which we can fit up to your order with toilet articles of your own selection.

$1.50 This roll-up is a telescope case style in seal grained leather. It is fitted with comb, brush and tooth brush in ebonized hard rubber. Takes up very little room in a suit case or traveling bag. A simple roll-up, but of really excellent quality.

$1.75 This roll-up comes in seal grained leather, leather lined. It is fitted with comb, brush, tooth brush and nail brush in ebonized hard rubber. Roll-up closes into very small compass by means of encircling strap. A really extraordinary value at its price, $1.75.

$3.00 This roll-up, closing with a clasp, comes in imitation morocco leather. It is cloth lined, fitted with mirror, military brush, comb, soap dish and glass tooth brush holder; in ebonized hard rubber. Articles are of good quality.

$5.00 This is a seal grained leather roll-up, closing with a clasp. It is leather lined, containing tooth brush, hair brush, comb, soap box, and glass tooth brush holder. This roll-up would make a fine gift for a man. It is good quality, as are the articles it contains.

High Grade Roll Up $11 This handsome roll-up comes in genuine walrus grain leather. It closes with a wide heavy strap, is leather lined, contains hair brush and comb, nail file, scissors, tooth brush in glass holder, nail brush, glass extract bottle, nickel top soap box, and mirror. This is a very elaborate roll-up, yet it can be packed into very small compass. It is especially suited as a gift for a lady. Toilet articles in it are handsome and made for service.

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IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES.

PACIFIC CHAPTER, O.E.S. INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS.

Mrs. M. A. Bronson Acts as Presiding Officer and Is Assisted by Mrs. T. M. Lynn and Mrs. Sarah B. Thatcher—Banquet and Speeches Follow Exercises.

One of the most impressive, as well as beautiful ceremonies, attendant upon any of the various installation services, which have been held the past week, in the several local chapters of the Order of the Eastern Star, was



MRS. ANNA C. LYNN, grand conductress.

that of Pacific Chapter last night at Masonic Hall, on South Hill street.

To the strains of music, the officers-elect entered the chapter room, and were seated between the altar and dais. Mrs. M. A. Bronson, Past Worthy Matron of Pacific Chapter, presided as installing officer, and Mrs. T. M. Lynn, Grand Conductress of the Grand Chapter of the jurisdiction of California, was the Installing Marshall. Mrs. Sarah B. Thatcher acted as Installing Chaplain.

Following the ceremonies, Mrs. M. A. Bronson presented Pacific Chapter with five beautiful electric globes, symbolic in color of the five points of the star. A number of beautiful floral tributes were presented to the newly-installed, as well as to the retiring officers.

Later, the members and guests of Pacific Chapter assembled in the banquet hall, and discussed an elaborate menu, Frank B. Reichenbach acting as toastmaster.

The following officers were installed: Elizabeth Caldwell, Worthy Matron; Frank B. Reichenbach, Worthy Patron; Jessica W. Smith, Associate Matron; Hattie E. Walker, Secretary; Mary H. Wirth, Treasurer; Anna L. Short, Conductress; Ethel Roth, Associate Conductress; Ruby Miller, Ada; Alvira Potter, Ruth; Bell Burch, Esther; Mary Groves, Martha; Lizzie Wetherby, Electa; Nellie R. Haupt, Warder; George H. Wood, Sentinel; Lottie V. Smith, Chaplain; Rena W. Stinson, Marshal; Minnie E. Reichenbach, Organist.

DRAGGED BY FAST TROLLEY.

POLICE SERGEANT CARPENTER SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Tries to Board Moving Car, but Slips and Falls—Caught by His Coat He Is Nearly Killed Before Coach Is Stopped—Was Recently Promoted for Good Service.

Police Sergeant E. W. Carpenter fell from an inbound trolley car at Wesley avenue and Jefferson street last night, and sustained a broken leg, five fractured ribs and serious internal injuries. Soon after the accident Carpenter was removed to his home at No. 4020 Woodlawn avenue. Dr. Sumner J. Quint said that Carpenter was badly but not fatally injured.

About 10:15 o'clock Sertg. Carpenter left the University Police Station, and walked a half block to the car line. He waited until a West Jefferson-street car, No. 433, rounded the curve from Wesley avenue into Jefferson street. Although Carpenter saw that the electric was running at a rather high rate of speed, he thought that he would be able to step on the front step without difficulty.

In stepping onto the car Carpenter's foot slid off the steps, and he fell onto the ground with great force. The coat Carpenter wore caught on the step, and he was dragged for about fifty feet along the rough streets. The wild cries of the injured man warned the car crew, and they brought the car to a stop.

Motorman G. Clear and Conductor Frank R. Longdon, disentangled the garments of the injured man, and carried him into a barber shop. Policemen from the sub-station rushed to the scene, and the police ambulance was called from Central Station. A half-hour delay was necessary to secure an emergency wagon.

As soon as the ambulance arrived Carpenter was sent to his home. Police Surgeon Quint and Dr. Stearns went to Carpenter's home in an automobile.

According to the car crew, the coach was bound for the barns and no effort was made to stop for the officer. They did not seem to be aware of the existing law that a street car must stop for an officer, no matter where signaled, so far as the police could learn.

For six years Carpenter has been on the Los Angeles police force. He was transferred to the University station when it was built three years ago. For some time he was acting desk sergeant, and on November 13 he was appointed to the sergeancy. He is one of the most popular officers on the force.

WHAT SULPHUR DOES

For the Human Body in Health and Disease.

COSTS NOTHING TO TRY IT.

The mention of sulphur will recall to many of us the early days when our mothers and grandmothers gave us our daily dose of sulphur and molasses every spring and fall.

It was the universal spring and fall "blood purifier," tonic and cure-all, and, mind you, this old fashioned remedy was not without merit.

The idea was good, but the remedy was crude and unpalatable, and a large quantity had to be taken to get any effect.

Nowadays we get all the beneficial effects of sulphur in a palatable, concentrated form, so that a single grain is far more effective than a tablespoonful of the crude sulphur.

In recent years research and experiment have proven that the best sulphur for medicinal use is that obtained from Calcium (Calcium Sulphide) and sold in drug stores under the name of Stuart's Calcium Wafers. They are small chocolate coated pellets and contain the active medicinal principle of sulphur in a highly concentrated, effective form.

Few people are aware of the value of this form of sulphur in restoring and maintaining bodily vigor and health; sulphur acts directly on the liver and excretory organs and purifies and enriches the blood by the prompt elimination of waste material.

Our grandmothers knew this when they dosed us with sulphur and molasses every spring and fall, but the crudity and impurity of ordinary flowers of sulphur were often worse than the disease, and cannot compare with the modern concentrated preparations of sulphur, of which Stuart's Calcium Wafers is undoubtedly the best and most widely used.

They are the natural antidote for liver and kidney troubles and cure constipation and purify the blood in a way that often surprises patient and physician alike.

Dr. R. M. Wilkins, while experimenting with sulphur remedies, soon found that the sulphur from calcium was superior to any other form. He says: "For liver, kidney and blood troubles, especially when resulting from constipation or malaria, I have been surprised at the results obtained from Stuart's Calcium Wafers. In patients suffering from boils and pimples and even deep-seated carbuncles, I have repeatedly seen them dry up and disappear in four or five days, leaving the skin clear and smooth. Although Stuart's Calcium Wafers is a proprietary article and sold by druggists and for that reason tabooed by many physicians, yet I know of nothing so safe and reliable for constipation, liver and kidney troubles and especially in all forms of skin diseases as this remedy."

At any rate people who are tired of pills, cathartics and so-called blood "purifiers" will find in Stuart's Calcium Wafers, a far safer, more palatable and effective preparation.

Send your name and address today for a free trial package and see for yourself.

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SHOE SALE TOMORROW

Special Inducements From The Big $50,000 Shoe Purchase.

1000 Pair Ladies Shoes 98c

Hundreds and Hundreds of Different Kinds of Good Shoes Go on Sale Tomorrow at

Mammoth Shoe House,
519 South Broadway,
Between Fifth and Sixth Sts.

The big busy Mammoth Shoe Store will have some special surprises for Monday's shoe buyers. A thousand pairs of ladies' shoes and Oxford ties will be sold for 98c a pair. Several hundred pairs of men's shoes, worth as high as $3 a pair, will go for $1.50. Children's shoes and slippers of fine quality will be on sale for 98c. Boys' box calf shoes in good styles and qualities will be sold tomorrow for 98c. Ladies' quilted warm lined Juliets, just the thing for a Xmas gift, will go for 69c. These are worth $1.25 a pair. There will be many more low price surprises to meet the shoe buyers Monday.

Persons in need of footwear cannot afford to miss these Monday Inducements. The purchase of this big stock is by far the largest shoe deal that was ever made in this part of the country. These shoes were bought at a big cut in price, and the customers of this store are now getting the benefits in the way of shoes at a fraction of their real worth.

The Mammoth Shoe House started in Los Angeles fifteen years ago and has grown to such an extent that it now can boast of selling twice as many pairs of shoes as any shoe store in Los Angeles. There must be a reason for this.

Come Monday and you'll see the reason. Location—519 South Broadway.

PURITAS is the only doubly distilled water procurable in this State, which means it is the only absolutely PURE WATER procurable in this State. Use it daily and avoid its imitations.

5 gallons, 40c.
Either Phone—Ex. 6.

Christmas Novelties



If you have not yet examined the Christmas showing at the Sun Stores, don't delay any longer. ... in tomorrow—we're in the full swing of holiday business. Lines are yet complete, but you must ... early in order to take advantage of the full assortments, because business this week is going to be something tremendous. ... will find what you want at the Sun Stores, and your Christmas money will go farther here than anywhere else. The ... prices are the lowest on every line quoted in this advertisment.

Great Showing of Burnt Leather and Wood

Burnt leather blotters, with floral decorations of forget-me-nots, poppies, etc. Price 35c each.

Burnt leather picture frames, many varieties and sizes. Price 54c to 75c each.

Burnt leather "will return" clocks. Splendid gifts for men. Price 75c each.

Burnt leather "Toasts." Many new ideas in this line. Price 54c each.

Burnt leather pipe racks. Another suggestion for men's gifts. Price 35c each.

Burnt leather letter holders; very handy for the office or the home. Price $1 each.

Burnt leather calendars for 1907, some with Christy pictures. Price 35c to $1 each.

Burnt leather pillow tops. Positively the finest line in the city. Prices $3 to $3.50.

Burnt leather table mats. Many handsome designs, all sizes. 50c to $4 each.

Burnt wood alarm clock cases, decorated with poinsettia. All ready to mail. Price $1. This is something really new.

Burnt wood nut bowls, card receivers and pin trays. Seven sizes. Prices 15c to $1.50 each.

Burnt wood mission bells, poinsettia decorations, handy for jewel receptacles. Price 50c each.



Pipes and Cigars for "Him"

Any woman can come here and buy a pipe for her husband with the assurance that he will be satisfied with it when he smokes it.

Briar pipes from 25c to $8.50 each. Some curved, some straight. Horn and amber mouthpieces.

Meerschaum pipes, prices from $2 to $15 each, gold and silver mounted. Real amber mouthpieces. All in chamois lined leather cases. Sun store No. 1.

You cannot match our cigars for steadfastness of uniformity and excellence, at a fair price.

American Clear Havana cigars in the various sizes, at from $1 to $2.75 a box.

Optimo, the cigar you see advertised so widely in the newspapers. Box of 25 large size, price $2.75. Box of 12, medium size, $1. Sun store No. 1.



Manicure and Toilet Sets

Ladies' manicure and toilet set of 7 pieces, including brush, comb, nail file, glove buttoner, cuticle knife, etc., specially priced at $4.75.

Ladies' toilet sets consisting of brush and comb, put up in silk lined case, price $3.

We have an unusual assortment of comb, brush and mirror sets, in a range of price that affords a satisfactory selections for everybody. ... come in ebony, rosewood, satin and many other woods. Very desirable for gifts. Prices range ... for a two-piece set to $25 for the more ornate ones.

Wood Burning Outfits

These wood burning outfits are on sale at all Sun stores. Prices ranging from $2.25 to $5 each. They are put up in boxes with complete instructions for burning.

Give the Man a Flask

A flask is a very handy gift for a man—especially for one who travels occasionally. The Sun has an excellent line of these articles at prices ranging from 75c to $2.50. They are all new designs just received from the makers.

Yucca Palm Calender

These Yucca Palm Calendars are just right for mailing East. They are burnt with floral decorations, some with match scratchers, price 25c.

Hand Mirrors

A hand mirror is ... a practical gift, ... bought at the Sun ... a very beautiful ... are of French plate, ... backs of various ... Prices 25c to $2.50.

Perfume

Our line of imported ... domestic perfumes rivals ... thing in the city. ... fumes come in fancy ... put up in dainty packages ... we furnish you bulk ... fume, put up in fancy ... ties of your own choice.

Cut Glass

Beautiful Display at Stores 1 and 3

Nothing is more acceptable as Christmas gifts than beautiful cut glass. You will find it at Stores Nos. 1 and 3, in large variety and at prices lower than elsewhere. A recent arrival has augmented our stocks so that you now have a full assortment to select from.

Cut glass nappies	$3.75	Water Bottles	$3.75
Set of 12 tumblers	$9.75	Celery Trays	$9.00
Sugar and Cream	$6	Berry Bowls	$7.50
Water Pitcher	$7.12	Decanters	$8.25

Art Metal Clocks

Art metal clocks—you will find them in great variety at Sun store No. 1, where dozens are being sold daily. You ought to see this line.

Art Metal Novelties

This line includes jewel box, ash trays, match holders, inkstands, etc. They are very inexpensive but always acceptable.

The Biggest Line of Leather goods shown in the city

If you should go to a store and have the clerk say to you, "We are running short of leather goods," just drop in at one of the Sun stores and look at our lines. We can supply you with anything you want in leather goods, and at prices you can afford to pay.

Ladies' hand bags, prices less than $1 up to $10 each.

Card cases, for men and women, bill books, bill wallets, letter cases, coin purses, etc.

The Sun Drug Co.

Mail order and Wholesale Department, 324 South Los Angeles Street.

No. 1—Cor. Second & Broadway.
No. 2—328 South Broadway.
No. 3—Cor. Second & Spring.
No. 4—Cor. Sixth and Broadway.
No. 5—Cor. Temple and Belmont.
Pasadena.
Riverside.
Redlands.

INNES SHOES OUGHT TO COST MORE BUT DON'T
235 S. BROADWAY
231 W. THIRD

Newport Heights
Five acres and up
The Townsend-Dayman Investment Company, General Agents, 498 Pacific Electric Bldg.

ALFRED BENJAMIN & CO.'S HIGH GRADE CLOTHING
SOLD ONLY BY
JAMES SMITH & CO.
137-39 SOUTH SPRING ST.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS

Cheap Substitutes and "Just As Good As."

Unscrupulous dealers, mindful only of profit and caring nothing for the health of their patrons, are offering for sale low-grade, impure whiskey, which they tell you is as "good as Duffy's."

It is a cheap concoction and fraud, intended to deceive the people.

Of course, when a remedy has been before the public so long, has been prescribed and used by the best doctors and in all the prominent hospitals, and has carried the blessing of health into so many thousands of homes as DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY has, imitations are bound to arise. **But they can imitate the bottle and label only—no one can imitate the contents.**

DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY is made from a formula worked out fifty years ago by one of the greatest chemists the world has ever known, and while it has cured millions of people during the last half century, the secret has never been discovered.

Any firm that will sell imitation or substitution goods will sell impure drugs. The firm that is dishonest in one thing would not hesitate to be dishonest in another. Whenever you see imitation and substitution goods offered for sale by a firm, beware of anything and everything put up by that firm. You endanger your own life and the lives of your family and friends by dealing with them.



Beware of Frauds! Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

is sold in sealed bottles only—never in bulk. A facsimile of the genuine bottle, full size, is printed here so that you may easily recognize it. It is our own patented bottle—round, amber colored, and with the name "Duffy's Malt Whiskey Company" blown into the glass. The trade-mark—the Old Chemist's Head—is on the label, and over the cork there is an engraved paper seal. Be certain this seal is not broken.

When you ask for DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY be sure you get the genuine which is the only absolutely pure malt whiskey containing medicinal, health-giving qualities. Imitations and substitutes, far from relieving the sick, are positively harmful. Demand DUFFY'S, and be sure you get it. Be on your guard against refilled bottles.

Refuse Imitations and Substitutes



Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey promotes health and longevity.

Keeps the Old Young—the Young Strong

Contains no fusel oil and is the only whiskey recognized as a medicine. This is a guarantee.

The genuine is sold by all reliable druggists and grocers, or direct, $1 a bottle. Medical book free. Address Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

You Must Decide Quickly If You Expect to Get Any Of These Bargains

Clark's Popular ...Price

351 South Spring St.

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For Christmas Bargains

Solid Gold Sleeve Buttons, formerly sold at $3.00 and $2.50. Down to pair ..... $1.

Solid Gold Stick Pins worth up $3.50, at ..... $1.

Ladies' Watches, Gold Filled Cases, American movements, now selling at ..... $7.

Ladies' Diamond Rings, worth $7.00, at ..... $4.

Ladies' or Gents' Diamond Sleeve Buttons, worth double the price ..... $3.

Ladies' Diamond Rings—the $25.00 kind, now ..... $15.

Ladies' Diamond Rings that sell for $50.00 all over the reduced by us to *$25, $27.50,*

Diamond Brooches, Rings, Studs, etc., up to $500.00 tually worth 40 per cent more.

$6.50 and $6.00 Cut Glass 8-inch Bowls at ..... $4.

Pearl Opera Glasses, usual price $7.50, at *$3.50*

20-mile Field Glasses, the $20.00 kind, at *$10*

Gold and Silver Plated Jewel Caskets at ..... *$2.50 up*

Sterling Silver goods at ishingly low prices.

Stop and look at our window display to see the est prices ever quoted Christmas goods.

California Jewelry Co.'s stock of solid gold Rings being sacrificed.
$3.50 to $5.00 Solid Gold Rings at $2.00 each.
$6.00, $7.00 and $8.00 Solid Gold Rings at $3.50 each.
3000 to select from.

Clark's
.....Popular Price Jeweler.....
351 South Spring Street
Near Fourth Opposite Hall

Remarkab
Women's $1.25
Good heavy twilled fast black cove spread. Made with seven double beautiful fancy handles in German pearl trimmed, horn and mounted; plicated for $1.60. Special 69c.

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French Unde
What could be more opportune at this tin underwear? A most serviceable Christma choice of our entire stock of French linge
Gowns $3.00, $3.34, $5.00, $7.00, $9.00.
Chemise $1.00, $1.67, $2.34, $4.37, $7.00, $9.00.
Drawers $1.00, $1.67, $2.34, $4.37.

I-3 Off on All
$7.50 Sets $5.00
$10.00 Sets $6.67
$15.00 Sets $10.00
$18.00 Sets $12.00



The New Augus
New models show a ra we been able to preser
Each pair is exclusi with numerous gores ported corset of great and cannot afford the after extensive alterat expert from New York

Gloves Always
Remember we issue glove orders for any a
Long silk gloves in black, white and co
Glace gloves in lambskin or French kid
In 12-button length, $3.00, $3.25 and $3.
Long Suede gloves, 16-button length at
Royal and Melrose gloves, every pair g

The Greatest Linen
500 Scotch and Irish linen damask table clot were water soaked in transportation. Value

8 to 9 SPECIAL
OUTING FLANNEL 5c
Another big cleanup of Canton flannel, outing flannel and comfort challis. Lengths from 2 to 12 yards.

$1 Table Sq
1500 beautiful Mexican drawn work and Ratt inches square. "A very pretty Xmas gift."

$1.00 DOILIES 48c
600 hand made crocheted doilies; come A in round, oval and square designs. A big bargain at 48c.

25 Per Cent Reduc
Our Millinery Department will offer to the pub ished hats, flowers and colored ostrich plumes The greatest millinery offer of the year.

...LLS WOMAN AND HIMSELF BY GAS.

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From the investigations made by the police of this city, in case of Anna S. Willett, of Bradford and Warren Church of South Framingham, Mass., who, when found dead in her room at No. 29 Appleton street, was in a dying condition, with the former dead from asphyxiation, the hope of recovery, the theory has developed that there was no suicide as at first supposed, but premeditated murder.

From an interview with the landlady, Mrs. McCredy of the house where the couple were found this morning, the murder theory was in part substantiated for it is contended that if they left the house at 10 and later ... believe in the suicide pact ... said Mrs. McCredy, "for ... opinion, had every reason to believe that the girl had spurned his attention to call again. "The fact ... dressed and ... that Church ... street seems ... after leaving ... ing quietly in ... turned on the ... side her to die ... Miss Louise ... dead girl, and ... said Miss W ... threatened wi ... It is said th ... have lived he ... man and wife ... sweetheart. T ... to have loved ... though no q ... and Miss ... Church's paren ... He is known ... plary young m ...

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BOSTON, D ... patch.] Bonds ... branch of the ... ing a ready m ... prices.

Remarkable Sale of Women's $1.25 Umbrellas 69c

Good heavy twilled fast black cover, double stitched, and 26-inch spread. Made with seven double paragon ribs; steel rod. All have beautiful fancy handles in German and oxydized silver, gun metal, pearl trimmed, horn and mounted; natural sticks, and cannot be duplicated for $1.00. Special 69c.

BOTH PHONES 182

Jacoby Bros.

331-333-335 South Broadway

THE DAYLIGHT STORE

Men's and Women's $2.50 Umbrellas $1.89

Made of fine quality Gloria silk and linen and Union taffeta silk, with silk taped edges; frames are the double paragon kind; steel rod, and the new Champion cup runner. Come in natural wood or fancy pearl, gun metal, horn, Roman gold and sterling silver handles. Special $1.89.

Beginning of the Great Holiday Suit and Costume Sale

High Class Tailored Suits and Costumes at Less than Cost



Choice of two hundred tailored suits, Selling from $45 to $60

$35

Choice of fifty handsome costumes, Selling from $45 to $65



Choice of Our Entire Tailored Stock Ranging from $60.00 Down to $45.00

This is a most wonderful opportunity to select some of the finest garments that we ever displayed. There is no reserve. Every suit that sold up to sixty dollars including all our fine broadcloths and English worsteds are out in this great sale.

Stunning New Costumes in This Sale

$35 Handsome liberty silk and crepe de chine costumes in all shades and cream; some blacks; princess and two-piece gowns; values $45.00 to $75.00; choice for $35.00. **$35**

Broadcloth Coats $19.50

Long, 50-inch tight fitting and loose ripple back styles—lined throughout with fine Skinner satin (black or white)—dark wine shades and tans—the loose fitting ones are embroidered with handsome braids.

$24.50 to $30.00 Values $19.50

Marvelous Coat Values $15.00

Graceful styles made up to our order. Materials adapted to Southern California. Heather mixtures and plaid back cravenette cloths, cut in the new 1907 lengths are here at a clean saving of $5.00 each.

Evening Coats

A grand selection of fine white broadcloth coats

$19.50 to $200.00

New 1907 Walking Skirts $10.00 to $22.50

Just a few weeks ahead of the almanac, but the brains of designers have been busy months ago. Some new woolens that will strike your fancy made with many pleats and mazy diagonal and cross patch effects—handsome holiday gifts.

New 1907 Net and Lace Waists $5.95 to $50

The daintiest gift of all is a pretty waist. The new embroidery net waists were never prettier. You know how to get her size, we'll help you select one, and if it doesn't please we exchange it the day after. Net waists $5.95, $7.50, $10.00, $12.50, up to fine lace creations at $50.00.

Fine Furs

A very choice assortment of popular price furs, including fox, lynx, beaver, minks, marten japminks, Coney ermie and squirrel.

French Underwear 1-3 Off

What could be more opportune at this time of year than a special sale of hand made underwear? A most serviceable Christmas gift. Just for one day you can have your choice of our entire stock of French lingerie at one-third their regular price.

Gowns $3.00, $3.34, $5.00, $7.00, $9.00.
Chemise $1.00, $1.67, $2.34, $4.37, $7.00, $9.00.
Drawers $1.00, $1.67, $2.34, $4.37.
Corset Covers $1.00, $1.67, $2.34, $4.37.
Skirts $3.00, $5.00, $7.00, $9.00, $11.67, $16.67.

1-3 Off on All Matched Sets

$1.20 Sets	$5.00	$25.00 Sets	$16.67
$2.00 Sets	$6.67	$33.00 Sets	$22.00
$3.00 Sets	$10.00	$37.50 Sets	$25.00
$3.30 Sets	$12.00	$50.00 Sets	$33.44



The New

Augustine Corsets Are Here

New models show a radical chic and dashiness. At no time have we been able to present so many entirely original styles.

Each pair is exclusively hand made. The corsets are crafted with numerous gores and cut on curving bias lines. An imported corset of great excellence must cost considerably more, and cannot afford the same fitting to the American figure even after extensive alterations. We should be pleased to have our expert from New York demonstrate these models to you.

Gloves Always Acceptable

Remember we issue glove orders for any amount. These are redeemable any time.
Long silk gloves in black, white and colors, $1.50.
Glace gloves in lambskin or French kid, 16-button length at $3.50, $3.75 and $4.00. In 12-button length, $3.00, $3.25 and $3.50.
Long Suede gloves, 16-button length at $3.00; 12-button length, $2.50.
Royal and Melrose gloves, every pair guaranteed, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.

The Greatest Linen Sale of the Season

Pure Scotch and Irish linen damask table cloths hemmed ready for use. These cloths were water soaked in transportation. Values to $2.98. Sale price 49c each.

8 to 9 SPECIAL OUTING FLANNEL 5c

Another big cleanup of Canton flannel, outing flannel and comfort challis. Lengths from 2 to 12 yards.

8 to 9 SPECIAL 20c FLEECEDOWNS 15c

A big shipment of fleecedowns suitable for lounging robes; dainty floral, Japanese and scroll designs.

$1 Table Squares 65c

Fine beautiful Mexican drawn work and Battenberg squares; most of these come 20 inches square. "A very pretty Xmas gift." Your choice, 65c each.

$1.00 DOILIES 48c

Fine hand made crocheted doilies; come in round, oval and square designs. A big bargain at 48c.

85c LAUNDRY BAGS 39c

A complete line of laundry and stocking bags. Some are prettily embroidered; others with pretty floral designs.

25 Per Cent Reduction in Millinery

Our Millinery Department will offer to the public for one week only, all of our trimmed hats, flowers and colored ostrich plumes at a special reduction of 25 per cent. The greatest millinery offer of the year.

$5,000 Sale of Slippers

Latest Styles for Men and Women.

A monstrous stock of men's and women's slippers in all leathers and styles; the best assortment in the city. Prices one-third less than you pay at regular shoe stores.

Men's slippers $1.50 up. Women's slippers 75c up.

Monday Is Baby's Day.

Infants long white cashmere Bedford cord coats; beautifully trimmed. $2.25 to $12.
Infants' long dresses of French mull, fine nainsook, trimmed with dainty lace and embroidery. 50c to $8.
Infants' silk and lingerie caps, 25c to $5.
Infants' long and short wool skirts; fine wool flannel; embroidered edges. 75c to $4.
A beautiful line of trimmed baskets for baby's toilet.
Profusion of dainty things for baby's Christmas.
Infant's complete sets matched up as desired.

3 Big Special Tables

Table No. 1---Your Choice 25c Each

This table comprises doll sets, pin cushions in forty different styles, Battenberg doilies, French sets, Christmas bells, hand painted head rests, etc.

Table No. 2---Your Choice 50c Each

The finest display of dainty novelties in the city. Hundreds of designs in pin cushion, pretty hat pin holders, whisk broom holders, etc.

Table No. 3--- Your Choice 75c Each

This is a cut price table.
Regular $1.25 pin cushions 75c each.
Regular $1 handkerchief holders 75c each.
Regular $1.35 glove folders 75c each.
Regular $1.20 novelties 75c each.

Beautiful Sample Combs 1-4 Off Marked Prices

The entire sample line of back combs from one of the largest manufacturers in Massachusetts, bought at 25 per cent. less than regular price. The entire lot, consisting of 315 beautiful back combs in either dark shell or amber. They are all this season's best numbers, including the old English, Roman, Ormulu and rose mountings. You may select from the entire line at 25 per cent. less than marked price.

35c and 50c Handkerchiefs 25c

Monday we place for your choosing 500 dozen women's handkerchiefs; many hundred different patterns of pure linen, sheer Swiss and soft Shamrock; some embroidered; some embroidered all around as well as the corners; others have tiny hand made initials; some hemstitched borders, others scalloped, and many with dainty lace.

Women's $1 Neckwear 50c

Fancy stock collars with English tabs; pure silk with handsome embroidered designs; white grounds embroidered in many different combinations of color.

Women's 75c Belts 39c

Belts made of soft imported kid, with the season's favorite buckle (the Wellesley;) all are of the crushed style, which fit the form. Colors black, blue, red, oxblood, green, brown and tan.

$7.50 Hand Bags $4.95

Hand bags made of soft seal, lined throughout with calf skin; mounted on best steel frame, with patent clasp catch, fitted with change purse, card case and memorandum; black only.

20c Lace 12½c

On sale Monday, hundreds of yards of dainty French and Italian Valenciennes lace edges and insertions; most suitable for bordering handkerchiefs; many with the round mesh, and plenty of the airy square mesh. All the new patterns in the assortment, such as tiny dots, rings, tulip and fleur de lis. Just the wanted widths from ½ to 2 inches.

Child's 50c 3 Piece Set 25c

Useful gift for the little one; 3-piece set, knife, fork and spoon, made of the best white metal, silver finished, enclosed in a pretty fancy box.

50c Silver Novelties 25c

Nail files, cuticles, darners, button-hooks, tooth brushes, nail brushes, tea bells and shoe horns.

Beautiful Fancy Silks 72c

Formerly $1.00 and $1.25 a Yard

Monday we place on sale a large assortment of beautiful fancy silk, for waist and and shirt waist suits; beautiful patterns in stripes, floral designs, printed warps and plaids; colors to suit every one.

$1.35 Black Taffeta $1.05

36 inches wide, in a beautiful rich lustrous black, chiffon finished, and as for wear, it is as perfect as a silk of this price can be made. As a Xmas suggestion it would make a beautiful present for mother and sister.

$3.50 Persian Broadcloth $2.00

Our own importation of this beautiful Parisian chiffon broadcloth in the corect dark plaids.

Women's $2.50 Silk Hose $1.89

Fine imported French hosiery in gauze and medium weight. Made with wide garter, lisle or silk feet; all have extra heavy soles and toes. Comes in beautiful luster black, pink, lavender, blue, gray, white, etc. Put up in fancy individual boxes. All worth $2.50 a pair.



Women's $2.00 Hose $1.29

A pure silk two thread hose, imported by us direct from Germany; made with hand spliced seams; full and regular made; double heels and toes. Come in sky blue, pink, lavender, red, heliotrope, also black and white, in a beautiful lithographed holiday box.

Two Good Men's Specials Initial Handkerchiefs $1.40 Per Box

Fine sheer pure linen, with neat hand-made embroidered intial, either script or block styles; hemstitched by hand; regular gentleman's pocket size. Six in a box. A good 35c quality. $1.40 for one-half dozen. 25c each.

Men's New 75c Scarfs 50c

A nice assortment of all silk scarfs, made in the newest New York styles; delicate tintings and colorings, as well as medium and darker shades. Made in full French fold, silk lined; Imperials, Ascots, Bands, Tecks and Haberdashers. Thousands to choose from.

Imitation Scotch Suiting 15c

50 pieces imitation Scotch suiting. Comes in pretty plaid gray effects; the best class of goods for children's dresses.

From 8 to 9 a.m., Persian Lawns 8½c

An immense "mill end" purchase of persian lawns; splendid values in the lot. For the one hour 8 1-3c yard.

50c and 65 Waistings 35c

A beautiful assortment of floral, striped and ring, dot effects, in wool waisting. This is one of the best values ever shown.

Rugs Make Acceptable Gifts

$18.00 Rugs $11.75

A splendid line of tapestry Brussels rugs in pretty Oriental patterns; 8-3 x 10-6.

$16.00 Rugs $10.00

4 dozen high grade double faced Smyrna rugs 9x12. Mostly Oriental patterns.

$9.00 Rugs $7.75

4 dozen 6x9 tapestry hall rugs in pretty patterns.

$1.50 Carpet Ends $1.19

200 Wilton carpet ends 27x54; fringed both ends; in pretty patterns.

Eiderdown Comforts

A splendid selection of Eiderdown Comforts 72x72-inch; silk and sateen, with fancy stitching and corded edgings.

$6.50 values $5.00 $8.00 values $6.00

WOMAN AND HIMSELF BY GAS.

[illegible], Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From the investigations made by the police of this city, in the case of Anna S. Willett, of Bradford Warren Church of South [illegible], Mass., who, when found dead at No. 20 Appleton street, had died from asphyxiation, the theory that she was in a dying condition, with the hope of recovery, the theory has been exploded that there was no suicide pact, as supposed, but premeditated murder.

An interview with the landlady of the house where the [illegible] were found this morning, [illegible] was in part subscribed to, it is contended that [illegible] left the house at 10 and later [illegible] in the suicide pact [illegible] Mrs. McCredy, "for [illegible] emotion, had every reason to think the girl had spurned his attentions and requested him not to call again.

"The fact that the girl was undressed and found lying in bed and that Church was fully dressed for the street seems to prove that he returned after leaving at 10 o'clock and stealing quietly in so as not to awaken her turned on the gas and laid down beside her to die."

Miss Louise Shepard, a chum of the dead girl, and who worked with her, said Miss Willett had often been threatened with death by Church.

It is said that both man and woman have lived here and in other cities as man and wife, but each had another sweetheart. The dead woman is known to have loved another than Church, though no quarrels between Church and Miss Willett are recorded. Church's parents are well-to-do people. He is known in Boston as an exemplary young man of excellent habits.

LOS ANGELES BONDS SELL WELL.

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bonds of the Los Angeles branch of the Edison Electric are finding a ready market in Boston at good prices.

THINK SHAH WILL LINGER.

German Foreign Office Does Not Believe Him so Near Death as Reported.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERLIN, Dec. 8.—Although the German Foreign Office does not believe that the Shah of Persia is so near to death as is reported from Teheran, it is well understood that his passing cannot long be delayed, as his maladies are in their final stages.

Germany is popularly supposed, in Great Britain and France, especially, to be pursuing mysterious political objects with the ultimate design of acquiring territorial advantages in Persia.

The German policy, the Associated Press is informed, is simply equal trade privileges in Persia for all nations. The principle of the German policy in Persia has been clearly explained to the Foreign Office of Great Britain and Russia misunderstandings, such as those which made the Moroccan question serious, are not likely to arise. The offer of the banking concession by the Shah was voluntary, and was part of his plan to borrow money from Germany.

LEWIS MAKES REPORT.

Declares Electric Power and Light Companies Plan Merger With Harriman Interests.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Corporation Counsel James Hamilton Lewis today reported to the City Council the result of the investigation recently made by him in New York into the reported consolidation of the electric power and electric lighting companies in Chicago. Lewis states he had learned from reliable sources in New York that the Commonwealth Electric Company is to pass into the hands of the Edison company by the purchase of the stock of one company in behalf of the others, and that these interests amalgamated are to pass into the hands of the Harriman interests, and then combine with the interests now existing in the names of the Illinois Telephone and Telegraph Company, and the Illinois Tunnel Company.

TWO DIE IN WRECK.

Passenger Train Strikes Freight in Danville Yard and Kills Engineer and Tramp.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DANVILLE (Va.) Dec. 8.—A wreck occurred this morning in the yard of the Southern Railway in this city, resulting in instant death of two men and the injuring of a number of others, one of whom will die.

A passenger train crashed into a freight train standing on the track. Engineer G. C. Kinney and an unknown tramp were killed. George Ford, a negro fireman, probably will die of his injuries.

The other injured include some postal clerks and a number of passengers who were shaken and bruised.

SHOWS BAILEY THE PAPERS.

In Answer to Senator's Demand Attorney-General of Texas Publishes Evidence.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

AUSTIN (Tex.) Dec. 7.—In answer to a statement issued last night by United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey, in which the Senator demanded of Atty.-Gen. Davidson all documentary evidence in his possession which tended to prove that he was paid by the Standard or Waters-Pierce Oil Company for services rendered, Atty.-Gen. Davidson made public a statement tonight which contains all vouchers, notes, letters and drafts in his possession and upon which he based his charges against Senator Bailey.

In this statement Davideon denies that he has coöperated in any movement to prevent Senator Bailey's reelection, and affirms the authenticity of the documents upon which his charges were based.

DEFENDS ROCKEFELLER'S GIFTS.

President of Lawrence University Asserts Schools Are Not Hurt by Magnate's Munificence.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Dec. 8.—A special from Appleton, Wis., says President Samuel Plantz of Lawrence University today made a statement, in which he corrects assertions recently appearing in public print with reference to the $30,000 gift to the Lawrence University from the general education board fund founded by John D. Rockefeller. President Plantz says Rockefeller has now no connection whatever with the board, and has nothing to say about the distribution of its funds. Continuing, he says:

"That accepting a contribution from the general board of education would compromise freedom of speech in an institution of learning is a gratuitous affirmation. Rockefeller has given Yale and Harvard a million each; but whose professors have spoken more freely on economic questions? President Hadley of Yale, before Rockefeller's gift and since has been one of the most outspoken of our economists on railroad rebate."

AMPUTATES ENVOY'S FOOT.

BANGKOK, Dec. 8.—Alexais Ciarovsky, the Russian Minister Plenipotentiary to Siam, had his foot amputated this morning. The operation was successful. The cause of the injury was a tramway accident a week ago. Prince Waldemar of Denmark and Prince George of Greece and their suites leave Bangkok for China Wednesday next.

Los Angeles County—Its Cities and Towns.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

THIS GRAFT FOR A GOOD CAUSE.

PASADENA WORKMEN RUSH TO AID BROTHER.

Twenty-five Employees of the Edison Electric Company Will Submit to Surgical Operations to Provide Skin for One of Their Number. Great Rush of Offers.

Office of The Times, No. 24 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Dec. 9.—Twenty-five employés of the Edison Electric Company will submit to surgical operations tomorrow afternoon to provide skin to graft on to the body of one of their number, George G. Hibbard, who was severely burned several weeks ago. The men will go to the General Emergency Hospital in Los Angeles, where Hibbard has been taken for treatment, and will submit to the removal of strips of skin.

Hibbard was burned by an electric flash in the Pasadena power-house of the Edison company. At first it was not thought that his injuries would prove serious, although he suffered considerable pain. In spite of the efforts of the physicians in attendance it was impossible to induce new skin to grow over the wounds, however, and it became plain that, if Hibbard was to recover, it would be necessary to perform a skin-grafting operation.

When the word was brought to Hibbard's friends and fellow-employés they at once volunteered to donate pieces of their skin, and arranged to be at the hospital tomorrow in order to have the operations. One of the first men to volunteer was Humane Officer McAney, and the physicians were embarrassed by the number of volunteers instead of by a scarcity of offers.

With the exception of the fact that the skin is not growing as rapidly as it should Hibbard's condition is as favorable as could be expected under the circumstances, and the attending physicians have every hope that the ultimate outcome will be satisfactory. The unfortunate man will be confined to the hospital for some time, but it is not thought that he will suffer permanent ill effects.

The accident which Hibbard suffered was a peculiar one. He did not come into actual contact with a live wire, but was burned by the flash of a fuse-block, which burned out.

IS THROWN FROM CAR.

Miss Katie McConnic, a dressmaker living at No. 81 Dayton street, was thrown from a Los Angeles car near Vineyard street at 6:30 o'clock last evening, and so severely injured that it was necessary to take her to the Pasadena Hospital for treatment. Dr. Rowland was summoned, and dressed the unfortunate woman's injuries, and later it was announced that no bones had been broken, and, as far as could be ascertained, no internal injuries suffered.

Miss McConnic is employed by Mrs. Philips, who has an establishment at No. 151 North Fair Oaks avenue. She has a sister living at the Revere Hotel on North Fair Oaks avenue.

JUST A JEMMY JOB.

Burglars entered the house of Mrs. Isabel Thayer at No. 110 North Los Robles avenue between 6 and 8 o'clock last night, and got away with several hundred dollars worth of jewelry. Entrance was gained by forcing the front door with a jimmy, and the job bore the earmarks of professionals.

The crime was committed while Mrs. Thayer and her niece, Miss Beatrice Frazier, who lives with her, were out at dinner. When they returned home they found the house in confusion, all of the bureau drawers having been ransacked and everything of value, with the exception of the silverware stolen. There was no money in the house at the time, so the burglars did not secure any cash.

Mrs. Thayer and her niece occupy the house alone. They are easterners, who are spending the winter here, and, as they dine at the restaurants, keep no servants about the house. Fortunately, Mrs. Thayer had already deposited the greater paht of her jewelry in a safety-deposit vault, so most of the loss fell upon Miss Frazier.

STREET LAMPS TO GLOW.

J. O. McCament yesterday morning entered into a contract with the Edison for the lighting of the ornamental lamp posts in the business section of the city and the company will start the work of connecting the lamps at once. It was originally the intention to have the Board of Trade undertake the task officially but it was discovered that the by-laws of the organization would not allow of the contracting the indebtedness necessary.

It was finally decided to have one of the directors enter into the contract, the other members standing back of him to guarantee the amount involved. As soon as the money which Pasadena merchants have subscribed for the purpose has been collected it will be turned over and the matter can then be straightened out.

It is not the intention to light all of the lamps at this time as insufficient funds have been subscribed for that purpose, but as fast as additional money is subscribed other posts will be connected. The contract which was made yesterday provides for the connecting of the posts on the streets bounded by Union and Green streets and Marengo avenue and Delacy street.

Manager Gillespie of the Edison company stated last night that his linemen would at once undertake the task of connecting the posts. He said that it might be possible to get the work through by Christmas but that he would not promise that the lamps would be burning before the first of the year. The scarcity of men hampers the company in its work and, with the extra demands made upon it at this season of the year, it will be a difficult matter to put sufficient men on the job to complete it as rapidly as is desired.

TOURNAMENT ITEMS.

H. W. Maloney has offered a silver cup to be competed for at the Tournament of Roses by the members of the Pasadena Gymkhana Club. The cup will be awarded to the member of the club who exhibits the most skill and proficiency in the mounted tent-pegging contest. The trophy will be entirely separate from any prize that may be offered by the Tournament Association.

In order to make the contests more spectacular the members of the club have adopted a military uniform for the occasion and all of the competitors in the sports will be dressed in a modification of the English cavalry uniform. The lances will be decorated with pennants and saddle-blankets and equipments will be of a uniform pattern.

The cow-punchers, who are to ride in the bronco-busting contests, are scouring the country hereabout for wild horses and the outlook for exciting contests is promising. The restricted space in which the men will have to work will hamper them somewhat, but the track will be kept clear and advantage taken of every bit of ground.

An innovation will be introduced this year in the form of a donkey race. The jockeys will be prominent young men-about-town and the fleetest burros in the local livery stables will be called into service. Heretofore there has never been any effort to provide a lighter form of amusement between the main events and the innovation will be welcomed undoubtedly.

ELECTRIC TRAIL TRUCK.

The big electric truck which will be used to convey the telescope and other apparatus to the top of Mt. Wilson, was given a thorough test yesterday and the officials of the observatory are enthusiastic concerning the showing which it made. Although the Mt. Wilson trail is not yet ready for use, it was thought wise to try out the machine and see what it would do, and with that end in view, the truck was loaded with some bits of heavy apparatus and tried over grades which are more severe than any that will be encountered upon the trail.

Work on the trail is being hurried along as rapidly as possible and as soon as it is in shape the truck will be run to the summit. Work on the trail has been, of necessity, slow, as considerable blasting has been necessary, but the worst part of the distance has now been covered and the most difficult feats of engineering have been settled.

UNCLE SAM'S THANKS.

Representatives of the different water companies, which sent men to fight the fire which threatened to devastate the Arroyo Seco last month, have received official letters from Washington thanking them for what their men did and expressing the gratitude of the Forestry Bureau. In the communications the plans which the government is making for the combatting of future fires were outlined.

When the big fire broke out last month the water companies were among the first to get men onto the ground and the forest rangers received able assistance from the companies' employés. The Pacific Electric Company also responded to the call for assistance and sent several hundred Japanese laborers to the scene of the trouble. These men, armed as they were with pick and shovel, did yeoman service and enabled the rangers to save the great San Gabriel reserve from immense damage.

Attention F. & A. M.—All members of Pasadena Lodge No. 272, F. & A. M., are requested to assemble at Masonic Temple, at 2 o'clock, Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of our late brother, A. E. Bisbee. By order of Albert Mercer, Master. Attest: Henry Ramel, Secretary.

Beautiful Indian baskets, 50 cents to $5 at Grace Nicholson's, 46 Los Robles. Pillow tops, $2; rugs cheap.

For rent—New nine-room house, near Maryland Hotel. J. Herbert Hall, 43 E. Colorado street.

Engraving at Morris-Thurston Co. Artists' materials at Wadsworth's.

MYSTERY HOLDS LADS.

Boys Who Sailed from Ocean Park in Launch Have Completely Disappeared.

OCEAN PARK, Dec. 8.—With almost four weeks elapsed since Ben Cammer and Harry Alter sailed from here in a small launch bound for San Pedro no trace of the missing lads has been discovered. The heartbroken parents wait for the tidings that do not come.

A description of the boys follows: Ben Cammer: About 5 ft. 10 in. in height; weight about 145 pounds; light brown hair and gray eyes; wore dark suit, black shirt and a cap. Harry Alter: About 5 ft. 11 in. in height; weight about 138 pounds; dark brown hair and brown eyes; had a scar on right side of neck; wore a brown suit, black shirt and a leather cap.

The launch in which they sailed was without a name; 20 ft. long, 6½ ft. beam; double-ender; small cabin with a window on each side; slide doors and slide top; boat painted white, deck yellow, bottom dark red copper paint; with three horse-power auto marine engine. The boat was provided with a sail.

A thorough search has been made at San Pedro and other ports along their route. As it is only a four or five hours' trip, skirting the Coast all the way, it seems strange that they should be so completely swallowed up that not even a timber of the boat can be found.

Outdoor sports at Coronado always.

NEW BANK AT SAWTELLE.

SAWTELLE, Dec. 8.—The newly-organized Citizens' State Bank of Sawtelle will open its doors Monday morning in commodious quarters in the Bundy block. The stockholders are local residents, who have capitalized the institution for $25,000. The following officers have been elected to preside over the destinies of the new concern: R. F. McClellan, president; W. F. Sawtelle, vice-president; N. Head, cashier. The other directors are H. M. Crane and G. E. Bahrenburg.

BRAIN FEVER EXPLAINS ALL.

LONG BEACH YOUNG WOMAN MISSING, LOCATED.

After She Left Seashore Town Bound for Whittier All Trace of Her Was Lost, but It Develops That She Became Ill and Was Taken to a Los Angeles Hospital.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 8.—Miss Ella Docker, a young woman who disappeared ten days ago from the home of her employer, E. E. Buffum, was located yesterday in a Los Angeles hospital, where she is suffering from an attack of brain fever. The young woman started for Whittier on Thanksgiving Day, but was taken ill on the way and charitable people on the car took charge of her and sent her to the hospital.

REPORTS VALUABLES STOLEN.

Charles E. Cheetham reported to the police today that a valise had been stolen from him by a man named Williams, of whom he furnished a description.

Cheetham, who has just returned from a visit of several months in Honolulu, met Williams in San Francisco, and the latter claiming to live in San Pedro, the two journeyed south together, and as Cheetham was not robust, his friend thoughtfully relieved him of the burden of carrying his luggage. At the Pacific Electric, when the pair boarded a car, Williams disappeared and with him one of the grips, which contained several hundred dollars in valuables. This morning the victim thought he saw his false friend on the street, sans mustache, and he promptly notified the police, but the supposed Williams had apparently taken alarm and as yet has not been found.

SEASHORE JOTTINGS.

The Christmas rush at the local postoffice has commenced, and the quarters, inadequate even in quiet times, are badly cramped. Postmaster Hirsch is securing extra men as clerks and carriers, and by the use of outside weighing clerks hopes to greatly lessen the work of the regular clerks. In the past week several hundred packages have been sent to foreign countries. From present indications this month's postal receipts will be 50 per cent. more than last year.

Property owners on Atlantic avenue will by private contract make that thoroughfare one of the best drives in the city from the ocean to Hill street. They have contracted to improve the street with what is known as the oiled roller tamping process, said to produce a street smooth, firm, dustless and noiseless. Work will begin on the northern end next week.

Mrs. Frank W. Clark died yesterday after a long illness. She was the daughter of Mrs. L. R. Booth of this city.

HOTEL del CORONADO leads them all.

CIRCUS SEEKING VENICE.

Sells Bros. and Forepaugh Show May Winter by Sea—Citizens Will Object to Menagerie.

VENICE, Dec. 8.—If it should come to pass that the Sells' Bros. and Forepaugh circus decides to go into winter quarters on the Midway, for which negotiations are now pending with the management, one of the first matters to be considered by the City Trustees will be the formal protest of taxpayers and residents against the maintenance of a menagerie at their front doors. The formulation of such a petition was proposed today in all seriousness, when it looked for a time as if the circus people were in earnest about wishing to winter by the sea.

VENICE, Dec. 8.—The Starr wave motor is now producing electric light from the ocean waves on Windward-avenue pier. It is a wonder to the many visitors each day. Mr. Starr has the first successful wave motor, and he is justly very proud of it.

Coronado agency, 334 South Spring street.

SPORT AT SANTA MONICA.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 8.—The exciting sporting event of the beach today was the basketball game of the league championship series, between the Santa Monica and El Monte High School teams. The former team was defeated in a well-played game. The score was 11 to 18.

Excitement is centering in the baseball game to be played tomorrow afternoon on the Southern Pacific diamond, between the Santa Monica All Merchants and the Polo Park nines. The game is the first one of a series of three for a purse of $100 and the championship of the bay.

C. H. Yeaton is erecting a $3500 residence on Fourth street, just south of Utah, and A. X. Wilmot is building one on Sixth street near Arizona.

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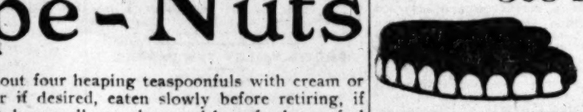
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LAUNDERERS DO TALK IT OVER.

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They arrived at 10:30 o'clock this morning, and devoted the morning to a business meeting. A tally-ho ride down Magnolia avenue and among the orange groves of Arlington Heights filled the afternoon. This evening an elaborate banquet was given in the Glenwood refectory in their honor by local laundry managers, including those of Riverside, San Bernardino and Redlands.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE.

Debaters of the Riverside and Ontario high schools were matched against each other last evening in the first debate of the season for the Swing cup. The decision of the judges was in favor of Riverside, which had the negative side of the question, "Resolved, That it would be to the best interests of the United States to annex Cuba." Ontario was represented by Chester John and Henry Packard, and Riverside by Henry Reye and Walter Bott.

REAL INDIAN SONGS.

A novel feature of the Christmas bazaar in progress at Sherman Institute was the native Indian song sung by Chief Ta-wa-quap-te-wa and some of the Hopi Indian boys who have just entered the school from their reservation in Arizona. Seldom, if ever before, have purely Indian songs been heard away from the reservations. Pupils have made an attempt to sing snatches of songs which they have remembered hearing their elders sing, but none of the distinctive Indian songs has been heard in anything like its complete form.

The melody has a quaint, impressive quality, with the pathetic minor cadence that is found in all primitive music. The theme was introduced in low weird tones in the first part. In the second part it ascended to a climax, with more of the bright major tone, while the third part returned to the theme of the first, dying away to a faint, eerie thread of melody.

Warm June days at Coronado.

ALL EYES ON MEN OF WAR.

SQUADRON AT SANTA BARBARA ENLIVENS CITY.

Yorktown Joins Sister Ships and Princeton Is Expected Soon—The Fleet's Run from San Francisco Uneventful—Bound for San Diego Later—Target Practice in January.

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 8.—The gunboat Yorktown came into this port early this morning, and now lies at anchor near the flagship Charleston and the cruisers Chicago and Boston of the Pacific squadron, commanded by Admiral Swinburne. It is unofficially reported that the squadron will remain at Santa Barbara until December 22, and then sail for San Diego, going later to Magdalena Bay for the annual target practice, which should have taken place last autumn, but which was deferred on account of the trial trip of the California.

The squadron will return to these waters about the middle of January to be on hand for the trial trip of the South Dakota, which is expected to take place sometime between January 15 and 20.

The run from San Francisco, which port was left on Thursday, was uneventful. In San Francisco Bay the fleet experienced considerable bad weather and heavy seas. On Monday the effects of Rear-Admiral Swinburne were transferred from the Chicago, then the flagship, to the new flag-bearer, the trim Charleston, one of Uncle Sam's latest types of cruisers.

Arrangements were made to coal the fleet on Wednesday, but the choppy condition of the bay prevented, the ships rolling as in a storm at sea. On the succeeding day coaling was completed and the fleet received orders to proceed to Santa Barbara. Good weather and a smooth trip was reported. As the vessels neared this harbor the band of the flagship played national airs.

The Princeton may join the fleet soon.

NEW TREE-PLANTING IDEA.

The Department of Agriculture of the United States, through the department of forestry, has instructed Forrester George H. Peavy, who is in charge of the experimental tree-planting station on the San Marcos, about twenty miles from this city, to follow a new system of experimental tree-planting in order to promote if possible the work of re-forestration of the government reserves.

It is proposed that small tracts considered suitable for the purpose be planted by the forest rangers, using seeds to be furnished by the government. Col. W. M. Slosson, supervisor of the Santa Barbara reserve, has just returned from the San Emegdio Mountains and reports the heaviest fall of snow in many years. This is a condition, he said, that was considered most favorable, as a heavy deposit of snow would ensure sufficient moisture to keep the trees moist and the undergrowth will germinate throughout the entire season.

A sight to see—HOTEL del CORONADO.

The Raymond, Pasadena, opens Dec. 12.

Cures Drunkards

MARY'S MIRACLE

The day of working miracles,
I'm sure is far from past,
And now to show you what I mean,
I'll tell you of the last
Great one that happened right to me,
For I was part of it, you see.

You know the life I used to lead—
O God, a living death,
A drunkard of the hopeless kind—
For, scarce a sober breath
I ever drew, and hope and pride
Were lost to me and nearly all beside.



One friend alone was left—my wife,
God bless her ev'ry hour!
She saved me from a drunkard's gave,
And whisky's wicked power.
Just how she saved me you shall see—
This is the way she told it to me.

When hope was almost dead within
Her faithful, constant breast,
She read of Dr. Haines' Cure,
Then without stay or rest,
She sent for one Trial Sample free,
And gave it unbeknown to me!

I drank it at ev'ry meal—
I ate it in my bread,
While Mary watched me anxiously,
But ne'er a word she said;
Until one day I stopped to think,
That I had lost my love for drink!

When, quite unconscious I was cured,
My Mary told me all;
It seemed the very act of God,
A modern miracle;
I call it this, because my wife
And Haines' Cure had saved my life.

And now my little story's done,
My ev'ry word is true,
And what this treatment did for me,
The same 'twill do for you;
And wives and mothers—one and all,
Take heart of Mary's Miracle.

Save those near and dear to you from a life of degredation, poverty and disgrace. You can do it by cutting out this coupon.

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Other people notice your bad breath where you would not notice it at all. It is nauseating to other people to stand before them and while you are talking, give them a whiff or two of your bad breath. It usually comes from food fermenting on your stomach. Sometimes you have it in the morning—that awful sour, bilious, bad breath. You can stop that at once by swallowing one or two Stuart Charcoal Lozenges, the most powerful gas and odor absorbers ever prepared.

Sometimes your meals will reveal themselves in your breath to those who talk with you. "You've had onions," or "You've been eating cabbage," and all of a sudden you belch in the face of your friend. Charcoal is a wonderful absorber of odors, as every one knows. That is why Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are so quick to stop all gases and odors of odorous foods, or gas from indigestion.

Don't use breath perfumes. They never conceal the odor, and never absorb the gas that causes the odor. Besides, the very fact of using them reveals the reason for their use. Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges in the first place stop for good all sour brash and belching of gas, and make your breath pure, fresh and sweet, just after you've eaten. Then no one will turn his face away from you when you breathe or talk; your breath will be pure and fresh and besides your food will taste so much better to you at your next meal. Just try it.

Charcoal does other wonderful things, too. It carries away from your stomach and intestines, all the impurities there massed together and which causes the bad breath. Charcoal is a purifier as well as an absorber.

Charcoal is now by far the best, most easy and mild laxative known. A whole boxful will do no harm; in fact, the more you take the better. Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made of pure willow charcoal and mixed with just a faint flavor of honey to make them palatable for you, but not too sweet. You just chew them like candy. They are absolutely harmless.

Get a new, pure, sweet breath, freshen your stomach for your next meal, and keep the intestines in good working order. These two things are the secret of good health and long life. You can get all the charcoal necessary to do these wonderful but simple things by getting Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges. We want you to test these little wonder workers yourself before you buy them. So send us your full name and address for a free sample of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges. Then after you have tried the sample, and been convinced, go to your druggist and get a 25c box of them. You'll feel better all over, more comfortable, and "cleaner" inside.

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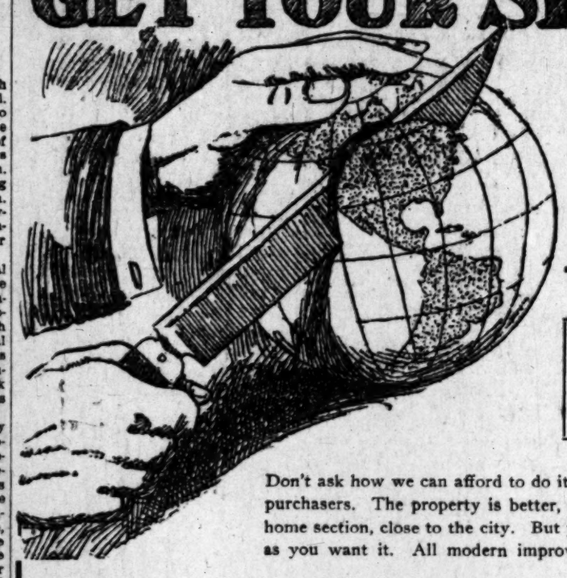
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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	32	24	28	New York....	30	30	30
Washington ..	36	22	29	Buffalo	12	2	7
Pittsburgh ..	28	14	18	Cincinnati ..	32	26	29
Chicago	20	20	20	St. Paul.....	16	4	10
St. Louis	38	30	34	Kansas City..	42	30	36
Los Angeles	72	50	62	Jacksonville	64	44	54

*The maximum is for day before yesterday; the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles Dec. 8. [Reported by A. H. Wollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the thermometer registered 52 deg.; at 5 p.m., 57 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 97 per cent.; 5 p.m., 76 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., calm; 5 p.m., south, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 59 deg.; minimum, 50 deg.

Weather Conditions.—The disturbance central over British Columbia yesterday morning, has moved southeastward. A part now overlies Nevada, while a second portion is central over Colorado and the adjoining States. This storm has caused increasing cloudiness in Southern California and general rains north of the Tehachepi and in portions of Oregon and Western Washington. It is expected that this storm will be the controlling factor in the conditions on the South Pacific Slope during the next thirty-six hours, and that threatening weather, with showers, will prevail in Los Angeles and vicinity during tonight and the greater portion of Sunday. No rain or snow of consequence has occurred in the States east of the Mississippi since yesterday.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Threatening with showers tonight and Sunday; southerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Rain has fallen generally over Washington and Oregon with showers in nCalifornia. It is snowing in the Sierras and considerable snow is reported on the ground. A thunderstorm has occurred at Boise. The pressure distribution indicates showery weather Sunday with warm southwest winds over most of the State. Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather, probably showers Sunday; fresh southerly winds.

Sacramento Valley: Probably showers Sunday; fresh southerly winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Probably showers Sunday, fresh southerly winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Sunday, possibly showers; light south winds.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Dec. 8, 1906.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS.—Bank clearings yesterday were $1,697,758.40. For the corresponding day of 1905, $1,241,150.63; for the same day of 1904, $1,119,228.91.

Monday	$ 3,120,942.84
Tuesday	2,450,691.10
Wednesday	2,417,615.30
Thursday	1,911,857.25
Friday	1,996,913.54
Saturday	15,607,758.40
Total	$12,946,429.91
Same time, 1905	10,145,214.80
Same time, 1904	9,142,282.09

Transactions on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday show the following changes in prices, also sales;

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	....	....
Associated Oil	.51½	.52¼
Central	1.11½	1.14
Columbia	....	.45
Continental	.17½	.18
Fullerton Con.	.85	....
Fullerton Cons.	....	....
Globe	.05½	....
Home (Whittier)	.30	1.40
Mexican Petroleum	1.30	1.35
Olinda Land Co.	.17½	.18
Ping Oil & L. Co.	.10	....
Reed Crude	.17½	....
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	....	1.50
Union	199.00	201.00
Union Provident Oil	255.00	265.00
Western Union	290.00	230.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	116.50	118.50
Bank of Los Angeles	125.00	....
Bank of So. Cal.	110.00	....
Broadway Bank & Trust..	155.00	....
Cal. Savings Bank.....	130.00	....
Capital ($154,000 paid up.)	....	....
Citizens' National.....	240.00	....
Commercial National	125.00	175.00
Dollar Savings Bank.....	140.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l.....	275.00	350.00
Federal Bank of L. A.	12.00	16.00
First National	4....	450.00
German-American Sav.	....	250.00
Home Sav. Bk. of L. A.	132.50	....
Los Angeles Trust Co.....	....	155.00
Manhattan Sav. Bank.....	125.00	....
Merchants' National	460.00	....
Merchants' Trust Co.....	....	165.00
Nat'l. Bank of Com.....	125.00	....
Security Savings Bank.....	250.00	....
State Bank & Trust.....	80.00	85.00
The Southern Trust Co.....	....	150.00
U. S. National Bank.....	122.00	....

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.....	89½	90
Cal. Fac. Ry.....	100	....
Corona Power & W. Co....	90	94
Incandescent Wkse. Co....	....	100
The Ed. Elec. Co. 1st R....	101½	....
Edison Elec. Co., old issue.	102	....
Home Telephone	....	91½
Home Tel. Co. 1st ref.....	93	95½
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge..	109	....
L. A. Traction Co. 5s.....	103	....
L. A. Traction Co 1s.....	99	....
L. A. Electric Co.....	95	....
L. A. Railway Co.....	117	....
Mission Trans. & R. Co....	97¼	....
Mt. Lowe Railway	85	99
Pacific Light & Power Co..	98	99
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.....	110	....
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co....	....	94
Riverside H. T. & P. Co....	75½	80
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co....	....	90
San Diego H. T. & T. Co....	....	95
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry....	....	94
Temescal Water Co.	92	94
United Electric G. & P. Co.	100½	....
Union Transportation Co....	94½	97½
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co....	....	97½
Visalia Water Co.....	....	94
Whittier Home T. & T. Co....	....	95

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co....	....	42.00
Cal. Hospital	90.00	....
Edison Electric pfd.....	100.00	....
Edison Electric com.....	61.00	....
Emergency Hospital	10.00	....
Home Telephone pfd.....	92.25	94.00
Home Tel. Co., com.....	15.00	22.00
Los Angeles Brewing Co....	....	130.00
L. A. Jockey Club.....	90.00	....
Pac. Mut. Life Ins Co.....	195.00	....
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co....	36.00	....
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co....	....	19.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co....	....	35.50
Sun Drug Co.....	....	200.00
Seaside Water Co.....	....	140.00
Title G. & Trust Co. pfd....	176.00	....
Title I. & Trust Co. pfd....	145.50	....
Title I. & Trust Co. com...	145.50	....
Title I. & Trust Sec. C....	106.50	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co....	43.50	50.00
Union Title & Trust Co.....	....	51.00

OFFICIAL SALES.

3 Union Oil 199.00
100 Union Oil 200.00
1,000 Olinda Land Co.... .17¼
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MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
California—Greenwater District.		
Butte & Greenwater.....	.50	....
Clark Copper Co.....	.65	.72½
Furnace Creek	1.50	....
Furnace Valley Copper.....	1.01	....
Hemipand Copper Co.....	.90	....
California—Inyo.		
Cal. Hills M. Co.....	.9½	.97
Ricoro Gold Mines Co.....	.17	....
Nevada—(Tonopah District.)		
Belmont	6.00	6.50
Nevada—(Johnnie District) Nye county.		
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co.....	.50	.5094
Nevada—Searchlight District.		
Cyrtle Noble	.10	.18
Eldorado Can. M. & M. Co..	.03½	.03¾
Kode Extn. Co.....	.02¼	.03¾
Nevada Searchlight	.07	.09
Quartette	12.00	....
Searchlight M. & M. Co....	.77	1.01
Searchlight Parallel	.07	.09

OFFICIAL SALES.

750 Johnnie Con. .50
2,000 Johnnie Con. .12½
1,000 Johnnie Con. .1300
2,000 Johnnie Con. .20
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1,000 California Hills .06
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1,000 California Hills .06¼

LOCAL STOCK MARKET.

IT WAS a typical Saturday market yesterday on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange. The total amount of money involved in the transactions was but $31,535, compared with the more than $27,000 of Friday.

Dealing was confined exclusively to the oil stocks, Olinda Land and Oil Company being the market leader in point of number of shares sold, 10,000 shares being traded in at 17¼@17½. The stock closed a trifle stronger than on the previous day, at 17¼ bid, none offered.

In point of advancement in the quotations, Mexican Petroleum closing at 1.35¾ Friday, shows a gain of 4¼ points on the bid, closing Saturday at 1.30@1.35. No sales were made, the holders regarding the security too good a thing to let go at the prices ruling. Bidding started a fraction below the preceding day's close, at 1.15, but as no offer was heard the stock rapidly went up, reaching high at 1.20, at which point it closed. Offerings were first heard at 1.50, but the asked price gradually came down to a more reasonable trading basis, never going lower than 1.25. Bids for futures range d from 1.20 to 1.20 for thirty-day options to 1.26@1.27 for the sixty-day variety; 1.21@1.23 was a common bid for buyer 30's, while the offering s hung about 1.35 to 1.28, a block of 15,000 shares being offered at 1.30, and 500 at 1.25, with 19¾ bid for large blocks.

Associated Oil shows a fractional loss and no trading, closing at 51¾@53½. Bids for Associated ranged from 51 for a block of 5000 cash, to 51, seller thirty, with offerings at 52@51¾ under the latter conditions. For buyer 30's 52 was bid, the stock being held at 53¼. Odd lots were in fair demand, a standing bid of 50 being made for anything odd.

An effort was made to trade in Rice Ranch, the offering being depressed from 1.50 to 1.30, with the only bid at par. Later both bid and offering were withdrawn, and the stock closed at its former asked price of 1.50. Bids of 1.10 to 1.32, buyer ninety, were made and 1.50 to 1.75 was heard for any part of 50,000 shares at thirty days' call.

United Petroleum is feeling the effects of the weakened market for Union Oil, and was offered much below the ruling asked price, twenty shares being put on the floor for sale at 365, but found no takers.

Central Oil was in fair demand, especially on future trading. The stock closed with out perceptible change at 1.11¼@1.14. Bids for futures ranged from 17@18, buyer thirty, to 19, buyer sixty, the offerings being at 1.20, buyer thirty. Calls were bid for at 1.18, thirty days, and 1.25, sixty days, with the asked price under these conditions holding up well to 1.50.

Continental shows a weakening of 1¼ points on the bid, closing at 17½@21. No trading was carried on in this security. Union Oil was very weak, closing at 200@201, with but nine shares changing hands at 199@200. Odd lots of two and three shares were in good demand, the bidding reaching 199.75 for twos and threes.

Among the miscellaneous stocks Home preferred is still holding its own, closing Saturday with a bid of 91 and none offered. The bidding reached high at 62½ for any part of 160 shares, while 62½ and 63 were bid, buyer thirty days. No transactions were made in anyway. United States Long Distance Telephone suffered a loss of 6 and 9 points on the bid and asked ruling during the week, closing at 40@50.

Banking securities were quiet, bidding being confined to State Bank and Trust, and Merchants' Trust, the former showing a decline of 2½ points on the bid, closing at 86@88, with no sales made. Bonds were very quiet.

ON MINING CALL.

Business was slightly better on the mining call than on that immediately preceding it, although the money total does not exceed that made on the early call.

Johnnie Consolidated was again the leader in point of sales made and points gained in the manipulation. Fully 19,000 shares were traded in the prices ranging from 22, buyer ninety and sixty, and 21, buyer thirty, to 20 for immediate cash delivery. Only 5000 shares of the big total being tied up under time contracts. Opening with a good bid at 18, the stock wavered about that price, at times reaching 20, at which most of the sales were made, the offerings receding from 23 to selling price, but never getting lower than 20. Futures were in good demand, bids ranging from 21@21¾, buyer thirty, 20@23, buyer sixty, to 21¼@22¼, buyer ninety days. Bids for large blocks were heard at 19@19½ for 5000 or 10,000.

California Hills is the only other mining stock to get on the sales sheet, 7000 shares changing hands at 6⅝. Little interest was shown for the stock and the security closed with Friday's bid of 6⅝ ruling with an offering at 7.

Clark Copper is still on the toboggan, having lost 4½ points in the handling Saturday, closing at 65 bid, 72¾ asked, with no sales recorded.

Some little attention was paid the Searchlight stocks, but no trading resulted, the stocks showing a slight weakening after the call.

'CHANGE GOSSIP AND NEWS.

Since news of the great merger of the big mines in Goldfield has been announced holders of the stock of the companies composing the new merger have been asking for information as to the ratio at which they may turn their holdings into the new company. This information has been gleaned from an authentic private source and is as follows: Mohawk has been taken in at a valuation of $20 a share, and may be turned at a ratio of one for two shares of the consolidated stock. Jumbo has had a valuation of $5 a share put on its stock and will go in at two for one. Red Top has been appraised at a similar rate, and Laguna at $2, being returnable at a ratio of five for one. There is some talk of the Combination Mining and the Goldfield Mining being taken in. If these companies are absorbed they will be at a valuation of $4,000,000 for the former and $2,500,000 for the latter.

The Goldfield Consolidated Mines Company is the name under which the new merger is known, the capitalization of the company being placed at $50,000,000, with a par value per share of $10. This stock will be listed on the San Francisco, New York, Goldfield and Los Angeles stock exchanges by December 21, if all papers are ready and if not then, soon afterward.

This stock has been guaranteed in much the same way as S. Steel has been, by a firm of underwriters, composed of capitalists from Philadelphia, New York, San Francisco and Goldfield. The company having received $250,000 for the risk assumed, which, considering the capitalization, is very small.

Another important matter for the first time made public is the fact that the companies will go into the new merger and get the exchange of their stock only in the ratio stated, and to the amount of stock issued, and not at their capitalization.

In June, 1904, a seat on the local Stock Exchange could be bought for $75, and this, with the prevailing transfer fee of $25, cost the new member a total of $100 only. During the week a call on a seat at $3000 was taken up, the buyer paying $250 for the privilege of calling, and $200 transfer fee. Saturday a strong bid of $100 for a call on a seat, at thirty days, at $3500 was made. This is an almost phenomenal gain and shows that the exchange is thoroughly up to the times in most things.

Metal Market

SILVER

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Bar silver, 69.

COPPER

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Copper firm; lake, 22.50 and 22.75; electrolytic, 22.12½ and 22.37½; casting, 22.00 and 22.25.

LEAD

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Lead, 5.95 to 6.05.

week at good prices, though yesterday the usual Saturday quietness was more or less noticeable.

Fresh ranch eggs continued active at 42 cents. Forty-two cents was asked for case-count eggs, and 32 cents was bid. No sales were made.

There is no change in the price of butter. Stocks were firm yesterday at present quotations.

Yesterday morning's exchange session was poorly attended and no sales were made.

Potatoes are reported scarce in all quarters, and jobbers state that they cannot get sufficient supplies to fill their regular orders. Wholesale dealers of potatoes pay 1.50 for their stocks, and predict that 1.60 per cwt. will be the ruling price for the coming week. Bids of 1.42 were made on change yesterday for fancy Highland potatoes. One carload of Merced sweet potatoes were reported in yesterday by the Zasher Brothers Company.

Reports from Colorado state that the apple season is over in that State. The first carload of pineapples of the season came in yesterday from Florida and were consigned to Richardson & Holmes Fruit Company of the market. The pineapples will sell at 6.00 per crate. Celery was weaker at 25@40. Artichokes are scarce at 90@1.25. Tomatoes are inactive at 40@50 per box. Small fish was plentiful. Wild game was sufficient to supply the demand. Lobsters were equal to all requirements.

The receipts of produce as reported for yesterday's exchange were as follows: Eggs, 188 cases; butter, 14,000 lbs.; cheese, 1240 lbs.; potatoes, 1062 sacks; onions, 89 sacks; beans, 1199 sacks; sweet potatoes, none.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, fresh California ranch, 42; strictly fresh eastern eggs, 32; eastern storage, selected, 28; northern candled, 28.

BUTTER—Fancy local butter, 2-lb. sq., 27½; Lanceta butter, 27½; valley creamery, 26@27½; fancy Coast creamery, 26@27½; choice Coast creamery, 24@26; ladles, 20; cooking butter, 18.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 17; Cal. Y. A., 17 fresh, 16; eastern cheese, 16@17½; Oregon, twins, 17@17½; N. Y. twins, 16@16½; singles, 16½@17; northern, local, 17; Oregon brick cheese, 17; basil, 19; Durus, 20; Imp. 23@25; Limburger, 18; cheddars, 16@16½.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 2.50; Pinks, No. 2, 1.90; Lady Washington, No. 1, 3.60@3.75; small white No. 1, 3.90@4.75; small white, No. 2, 3.60@3.75; black eyes, 3.75@4.00; Limas, No. 1, 5.00; Garvanzas, 4.15@4.50; German lentils, 3.50; American lentils, 5@10 lb.

DRIED FRUITS — Apples, evaporated, new per lb.; fancy 50s, 8; fancy 25s, 9½@10; apricots, "Santa Ysabel" brand, extra fancy 25s, 17; extra choice, 15; in 1-lb. cartons, 2 per lb. extra; citron, imported, "American Flag" brand, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 15; currants, imported, "Santa Ysabel" brand, fancy, bulk, recleaned, 8½; 50 16-oz. packages, 9; 50 12-oz. packages, 8; dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 60 lbs., 5; Golden dates, 60 lbs., 6; special price in quantities; figs, new, per box, Calimyrna Red Seal, 10-lb., 1.15; Calimyrna Red Seal, 20-lb., 1.25; white, choice 10-lb. boxes, per lb., 7; peaches, "Santa Ysabel" brand, per lb., fancy, unpeeled, 25s, 11½; extra choice, unpeeled, 25s, 11½; choice, unpeeled, 50s, 11; fancy, peeled, 25s, 20; in 1-lb. cartons, 2c extra; pears, "Santa Ysabel" brand fancy, halves, 25s, 13; in 1-lb. or 2-lb. cartons, 2c extra; peels, imported, orange or lemon, 10s, 14; plums, fancy pitted, 25s, 11; prunes, fancy, San Jose "Imperials," per lb., 40-50, 25s, 10; 40-50 25s, 8¾; 50-60, 25s, 7¾; prunes, fancy San Jose "Imperials," per lb., 80-100, 25s, 6½; silver, fancy, 25s, 10; Silver, choice, 25s, 8½; in 10-lb. boxes 1c extra, 5-lb. boxes 2c extra; raisins, per box, Clusters, 4-crown, 90s, 2.25; loose Muscatels, per lb., 2-crown, 7½; seedless Sultanas, 8@8½; seeded, Eagle, fancy, 36-lb, per package, 7@7½; seedless Muscatels, 7; Sultanas, fancy, 7.

HONEY—Comb, 24 1s to a box; White, per comb, 16; light amber, 12@13. Extracted; 5 5-gal. cans to case, 60 lbs. to can; Water white, per lb., 7@7½; white, per lb., 6½@7; light amber, per lb., 6@6½; white, 12 1-gal. to case, per case, 4.00; white, 24 ½-gal. to case, 7.00; glass, white, 24 ½-gal. to case, 7.50; glass, white, 24 1s to case, comb lb., 5.00.

NUTS—New almonds, fancy IXL, 19@20; almonds, fancy paper-shell, 17; almonds, choice Brazils, large, new crop, 16@17; filberts, large, new crop, 14; pecans, Jumbo, 16@17; pecans, large, 15; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," raw, 7; roasted, 8½; Cal. "sunsnuns," raw, 6¼; Cal. "Sunshine," roasted, 8½; Japs, fancy, raw, 6; Japs, fancy, roasted, 8; walnuts, No. 1, soft-shell, 14@15; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 10@15; cocoanuts, per dozen, .

FRESH FRUITS—Colorado Jonathan apples, 2.50; Missouri Jonathans, 2.50; Smith's cider apples, 1.00@1.10; Fall Pippin, 90@1.00; Skinner apples, 85@1.00; fancy Bellefleure, 4 tier, 1.40; choice Bellefleurs, 4½ tier, 1.25; Alexanders, 75@85; Red Pearmains, 85@90; Gravenstein apples, 85@1.00; Crabs, 1.00@1.25 per crate; Muscat, 75@1.50; Black Morocco grapes, 1.50@1.50; small Tokays, 40 lb.; large Tokays, 1.75 per crate; fancy Barlett, 8 per lb.; Winter Nellis, 1.50@2.40 per box; Kadarvar, 75@1 per crate; Japanese persimmons, 4@7 per lb.; pineapples, 4.00 per crate.

CITRUS FRUITS—Standard lemons, 2.00; packed lemons, 2.50; choice lemons, 2.25; fancy lemons, 3.25; bananas, 4½ per lb.; navels, 2.50@3.50 grapefruit, seedlings, 4.00@4.50, Riverside, 5.00@6.00; Mexicans, 3.00@3.50; Valencias, 3.50@4.50; mandarins, 2.00; Tangerines, 1.75@2.00.

ONIONS—Northern Yellow Danver onions, 1.25; local Yellow Danvers, 1.25@1.50; Australian Brown onions, local, 1.75; Fullerton Sweets, 1.65 cwt.

POTATOES—Highland, 1.75; new local Burbanks, 1.50@1.65; yellow sweet potatoes, 2.50 per sack; Salinas, 1.75@2.00; Oregon potatoes, 1.65 per cwt.; Watsonville potatoes, 1.85@1.90; Nevada potatoes, 1.90; Idaho Russets, 1.85; Colorado potatoes, 1.90.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 20@40; carrots, 20@40; parsley, 50@75 crate; string beans, 10c; wax, 10; turnips, 10; peas, 8; cwt. 1.50@2.00; cabbage, 1.25@1.90; fancy green onions, 25 per doz.; chile peppers, 30@; bell peppers, 50@; lettuce, 75@1.00 per crate; garlic, 8; parsnips, 25@50 doz.; tomatoes, 40@50 per box; hothouse cucumbers, 2.25 per lug box; summer squash, 40@50; eggplant, 8 per lb.; lima beans, 8 per lb.; pie pumpkins, 1 per lb.; rhubarb, 5 per lb.; leeks, 20 per doz.; celery, 25@40; artichokes, 90@1.25 per doz.; sprouts, 8 per lb.; cauliflower, 60.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents. At flour, per bbl., 4.60; Globe flour, 4.75; Select California white wheat; Banduet flour, per bbl., 4.40; Three star flour, 4.40; Silver Star flour, 4.20; XXX flour, 3.60; Capitol flour, 4.60; Acme flour, 4.75; Aurora, 4.30; Mikado, 3.80; Trophy, 3.60; New flour, 4.60; Mayflower, 4.40; Eclipse, 4.30; buckwheat flour, 100 lbs., 3.00; Souvenir flour, 4.60; sacks, 4.30. Eighth-bbls., 10c per bbl. higher.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Crown flour, 7.35; Cream, Loaf first patent, Kansas, 4.85; Electric Light, first patent, Dakota, 5.40; Powerful, second patent, 5.25; Rock River rye, 5.00; Kansas whole wheat and graham, 4.85.

BAKERS' FLOUR—Globe flour, per bbl., 4.75; eastern graham, 4.80; eastern whole wheat flour, 4.60. Blended wheat flour, 4.60. Bakers' flour, per bbl. 4.50; bakers' Magnolia flour, 4.80; Comet flour, 4.80; eastern rye, 5.00; Capitol bakers' flour, 4.70; Capitol extra bakers' flour, 4.50; Our Giant, 4.25.

WHEAT—

Whole wheat flour	2.40	2.35	2.60
Cracked wheat	$2.00	2.40	3.35
Farina	2.00	2.40	3.35

CEREAL GOODS.

Per 100—	5 lbs.	10 lbs.	25 lbs.	50 lbs.
Al flour	....	$2.00	....	....
Banquet flour	....	2.50	....	....
Pastry flour	....	2.40	....	....
Graham flour	....	2.20	2.15	2.10
Whole wheat flour	....	2.30	2.25	2.20
Corn meal, W. & Y.	....	2.40	2.35	2.30
Rye flour	....	2.75	2.70	2.65
Cracked wheat	$2.60	2.75	2.70	2.65
Farina	....	3.20	3.15	3.10
Wheat flakes, per sack of 50 lbs.				1.50
Wheat flakes, per bbl. of 25 lbs.				3.70

GRAIN AND FEED—Miller's prices to dealers: Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.50. Wheat, No. 1, 1.45; wheat, No. 2, 1.45; wheat, cracked, 1.85; wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 1.65; corn, 1.40; corn, Sm. Y., 1.30; cracked corn, 1.45; feed meal, 1.60; bran, heavy, 1.35; rolled barley, 1.50; oil cake meal, 2.35; cotton-seed meal, 1.70; oil cake meal, 1.55; shorts, 1.45; oats, white Oregon, 1.65; oats, red California, 1.40; Texas grown red seed oats, 1.75; eastern Kaffir corn, 1.42; seed rye, 1.55; small yellow corn, 1.45.

FLOUR—	In 5-lb. Boxes.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50 lb. S'ks.
Perf. Pat. Pastry.....	....	$2.40	2.30	2.10
Buckwheat flour.....	4.40	....	4.20	4.10
Graham flour	....	2.15	2.10	2.10
Rye flour or meal.....	....	2.75	2.70	2.65
Cornmeal, W. & P.	....	2.40	2.35	2.30
Oatmeal, ground	4.65	3.35	3.30	3.75
Oatmeal, Steel Cut.	4.30	4.10	4.05	4.00
Hominy, large or small	3.70	3.50	3.45	3.40
Cracked wheat	3.40	3.20	3.15	3.10
Entire wheat flour.....	....	3.00	2.95	2.90
Pearl barley	5.05	5.00	4.75	4.70
Split peas, green....	5.60	6.50	6.45	6.40
Split peas, yellow.	5.25	5.00	4.95	4.90
Gluten flour	....	3.60	3.40	3.35
Farina	....	3.40	3.20	3.15
Hominy, Germ	....	3.50	3.30	3.25
Rolled wheat in bbls., net weight 125 lbs.				3.75
Do, per sack				3.50
Buckwheat flour (bulk, seamless sacks.)				

	10.	25.	50.	100.
Buckwheat Chick Food....	$3.25	$7.50	$14.50	$28.00
" Fattening Food.....	3.25	2.20	3.75	6.00
" Egg Food	....	.55	....	1.85
" Moulting Food	....	....	....	4.85
" Chick Food, 20 5-lb. pkgs. per case.....				3.00

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Bbls. 10c; ½-bbls. 25c; boxes, 50c; 50-lb. sacks, 10c cwt. higher; H. & C. crystal Domenoes, per 100-lb. bags, 5.50; cubes "A," crushed and fine crushed, 5.70; standard powdered, 5.55; western cane and fruit granulated, 5.35; western confectioners' "A," 5.40; candy granulated, 5.55; Magnolia "A," 5.40; extra H confectioners' "A," 5.45; best granulated, 5.45; western confectioners' "A," 5.65; extra "B," 4.95; extra "C," 4.85; Golden "C," 4.80; D. sugar, 4.75.

SALT—Bales, all sizes, 1.10; Dairy, 50s, per ton, 9.50; rock, 50s, per ton, 9.25; 48 2-lb. cartons, per case, 1.25; 20 5-lb. cartons, per case, 1.30.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 14.00@16.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; No. 1, wheat hay, 14.00@16.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 16.00@20.00; No. 2, 9.00@12.00; northern alfalfa, 12.00; local, 13.00@16.00.

CHILES—Evaporated storage, 12½@15; bulk, 12½@13, ground, 13½; Mexican black, 12½@15; green chiles, 2.

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, eastern, per lb., 4.

CORN HUSKS—Fancy cut, Bales, 50-lb. average to bale, per lb., 3; bales, 50-lb. average uncut, per lb., 7.

POULTRY—Dealers pay for live weight for stock—Old roosters, 8; young roosters, 17; old toms, 16; young toms, 17; hen turkeys, 15; squabs, 2.50 doz.; hens, per lb., 10; ducks, 12; turkeys, 17; geese, 12; fryers, 17; broilers, 19. Selling price to retail trade, per lb., dressed: Live old roosters, 13; young roosters, 22; fryers, 23; broilers, 23; turkeys, 23; hens, 21; old toms, 22; young toms, 23; hen turkeys, 21; ducks, 18 lb.; geese, 18 lb.; squabs, 3.00 per doz.

BEEF—Steers, No. 1, per lb., 6½; second, 6½; third, 5½@6; prime, 7; heifers, 6; veal, 10; hind quarters, 8½; fore quarters, 5½; tons of beef, No. 1, 10; ribs of beef, No. 1, 8; beef tenderloins, 20; chucks, 4½; square chucks, 3½; plates, 3½; round and rumps, 6½; shoulder clods, 10; beef shanks, 3; flank rumps, 7; flank steaks, 11; beef rolls, 10; boned beef trimmings, 8; beef tongues, 12; S. P. beef tongues, 14; oxtails, 3; lamb tongues, per dozen, 20; beef hearts, each, 10; beef livers, each, 20; kidney suet, per lb., 3½; kidneys, each, 3; sweetbreads, 25; brains, 10.

MUTTON — Dressed muttons, ewes, per lb., 10; dressed mutton wether, 10½; dressed mutton yearlings, 11; fall lambs, 11; milk lambs, 11½; sheep, 2.00@4.00.

PORK—Dressed hogs, per lb., 10; trimmed hogs, 12½; pork loins, 12½; frozen pork spare ribs, 5; fresh picnics, 9; pork shoulders, 8; pork butts, 11; fresh hams, 13; bellies, fresh, 13½; leaf lard, 11; pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 5; fresh pork spare ribs, 8; pork tenderloins, 20; back fat, 9; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 3½; tongues (sweet, pickled or fresh), 25; cleaned hogs' head, per lb., 6½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; fancy cooked tripe, 5; pork kidneys, per doz., 15; pig tails, per lb., 4; stock bones, per lb., 4½.

BACON—10-lb. bacon, 19@16½; Winchester wcon, 17@18½; 3 Ave., 17½; Empire, 19; 49'er, 16@17; Premium, 21½; Gold Band, 20½; Diamond C bacon, 21½; Helmet bacon, 16½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14½; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 13½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 15; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 16; Regal bacon, 17½; Helmet bacon, 8-10 avg., 13½; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 19½; White Label bacon, 19½; Star bacon, 22.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 17½; Rex skinned hams, 17; Diamond C, 14; Diamond C skinned hams, 17½; boned boneless Rex hams, 22; smoked Rex hams, 22; plain hams, 15½; Winchester, 11½; Premium, 16½; Gold Band, 18; Mild-cured hams, 17; plain hams, 15½; Winchester picnics, 12; California hams, 11½; Premium skinned hams, 17; 14 Ave. hams, 14½@15; 12 Ave. hams, 15@15½; Orange Blossom, 13½; fresh hams, 12½; fresh picnic hams, 9½; Ashland hams, 15½; minced ham, 13; Cylinder boiled hams, 22½; Premium boiled hams, 23 1-2; Oxford boiled hams, 17½; Star hams, 13; Helmet hams, 17 1-2; Star skinned hams, 17½; Armour's boiled hams, 23; boiled boneless and deviled hams, 21; Armour's picnic hams, 11½; Regal hams, 17.

DRY SALTED MEATS—Dry salt narrow bellies, 12½; dry salt clear bellies, 15-20 avg., 12½; dry salt clear backs, 12; short clear backs, 12; D. S. bellies, 16-18 avg., 13½.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey comb tripe, half-bbls., 2.60; honey comb tripe, keg, 1.85; honey comb tripe, kits, 95; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 4.80; spiced pigs' feet, kegs, 2.60; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in.) bbls., 10.00; half-bbls., 5.50; rumps (bone out.) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 9.00; half-bbls., 5.00; rolled plate (boneless.) bbls., 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork bbls., 14.25; half-bbls., 7.25; family pork, bbls., 22.00; half-bbls., 11.50; fancy pig pork (narrow.) bbls., 23.00; half-bbls., 12.00; fancy pig pork (wide.) bbls., 24.00; half-bbls., 13.50; S. P. spare ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.25.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, per lb., 7; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 6½; blood sausage, 6; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage links and bulk, 12; head cheese, 8

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March 6.70@6.80; May
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SHIPPING.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES.
ARRIVED—SATURDAY, DEC. 8.
Steamer Hermosa, Capt. McAllep, from San Pedro, with ballast.
IN PORT—SATURDAY, DEC. 8.
Steamer Meteor, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer El Segundo, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Bonita, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Columbia, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Emily Reed, E. K. Wood wharf.
Steamer Pleiades, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer Thomas F. Emigh, S. P. wharf.
Steamer Gardiner City, South. Cal. wharf.
Steamer Newsboy, S. P. Wharf.
Steamer Winslow, S. P. wharf.
Steamer W. L. Smith, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Meteor, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer E. K. Wood, E. K. Wood wharf.
Steamer William Bowden, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Steamer Salinas, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer W. J. Patterson, outer harbor.
Steamer Thomas L. Perry, S. P. wharf.
Steamer Alameda D. Foster, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Steamer Robert Searles, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Eric, E. K. Wood wharf.

TO LEAVE—SUNDAY, DEC. 9.
Steamer Eric, Capt. Jorgensen, for Ta-coma in ballast.

DUE AT THIS PORT.
Steamer Norwood, from Gray's Harbor via Coos Bay, from San Francisco and Coos Bay.
Steamer Carina, from Portland via San Francisco.
Steamer Norwood, from Aberdeen.
Steamer Rear Admiral, from Mukilteo.
Steamer A. F. Coney, from Portland.
Steamer Levi G. Burgess, from Port Townsend.
Steamer James Tufts, from Bellingham.
Steamer James Johnson, from Mu lteo.
Steamer Chehalis, from Tacoma.
Steamer Rosa, from Port Blakeley.
Steamer Rear Admiral, from Everett.
Steamer Manila, from Everett.
Steamer Whatcom, from Bellingham.
Steamer A. F. Coats, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Gosnell, from Olympia.
Steamer Prosper, from Portland.
Steamer Alvena, from Tacoma.

FROM FOREIGN PORTS.
Ship Bark Queen Elizabeth, 123 days from Fenis.
Steamer steamer Hermosa makes daily trips Catalina Island and return.

FLEET OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.
ARRIVED—SATURDAY, DEC. 8.
Steamer Pasadena, Orient, J. C. Elliott, Mu-Steamer and Nellie, for Long Beach, with

SAILED.
Steamer Fashion, Orient, J. C. Elliott, Mu-Steamer Nellie, from Long Beach.

Steamer Catalina, for fishing banks, and returned to her local wholesalers.

TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

Dec. 9	4:03 a.m.	10:01 a.m.		
	3:36 p.m.	9:44 p.m.		
" 10	4:51 a.m.	11:39 a.m.		
	5:04 p.m.	10:33 p.m.		
" 11	5:35 a.m.	12:03 a.m.		
	6:17 p.m.	11:44 p.m.		
" 12	6:17 a.m.	12:56 p.m.		
	7:17 p.m.	.....		
" 13	6:58 a.m.	0:29 a.m.		
	8:06 p.m.	1:42 p.m.		
" 14	7:36 a.m.	1:14 a.m.		
	8:57 p.m.	2:28 p.m.		
" 15	8:19 a.m.	1:55 p.m.		
	9:46 p.m.	3:12 p.m.		
" 16	9:01 a.m.	2:37 a.m.		
	10:35 p.m.	3:37 p.m.		

PORT ITEMS.

WEATHER: Cloudy at 5 p.m.; wind south-westerly 11 miles.

The steamer January J, another raise for the Pacific of lumber, to California from Sound ports, will be made, when it will begin to carry cargoes to San Francisco and to Southern California ports, an in-crease of a thousand feet over the rate now ruled. The $20 mark, it is believed, will be fixed as the minimum tariff for deliv-eries to Southern California ports.

The steamer James Tufts sailed yesterday for Bellingham with a full cargo of lumber for wholesalers at this port.

The steamer Alex T. Brown has arrived at Eureka and has been chartered to load a lum-ber cargo for San Pedro.

The steamer Marshfield, Capt. Dettmers, is taking on 160 railroad ties at Redondo for the Pacific Railway Company.

The steamer Endeavor, Capt. McAllep, fin-ishing her lumber cargo and sailed this afternoon for San Diego where she will go on dry docks for overhauling and re-pairs.

Port Los Angeles.

ARRIVED—SATURDAY, DEC. 8.
Steamer Rosa, from Port Harford.

SAILED—SATURDAY, DEC. 8.
Steamer Rosa, for Port Harford.

ARRIVED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.
Ship Bark Queen Fennis, Capt. Halfman, 152 days from Newcastle.
Steamer Steamer Samoa, from Newcastle.
Ship Bark Falls of Garry, from Antwerp.

REAL ESTATE RECORD.
RECENT TRANSFERS.

SATURDAY, December 8, 1906.

Block 3 Saw to F H Jewell, lot 7, block 3, same tract, $20.
Lot 1 Squires to Frank Allen, lot 20, block 4 Lanterman's subdivision of lot 1, $10.
Lots 1 to 7 H Ardis, part of tract of Building Association, $10.
Lot 1 Savings Bank of Los Angeles to Mary Stone, lot 11, Strong & Dickinson's Alamitos tract, $10.
Lot 1 Railway to J N and R S Fisher, lot 1 Ocean Park Villa t ract, $10.
Lot 1 Larson to Ferdinand Kobold, lot 1 part lot 16, block A, Main Street Addition to Long Beach, $10.
Lot 1 Simmons and Trust Co to Charlotte I Smith, lot 6, Joseph Bayers First and Lake View tract, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Fred F Harrison, lot 47, same tract, $10.
Lot 1 Bally Wood, lots 49 and 50, same tract, $10.
Lot 1 W Fisher and K L Johnson, lot 1, block 1, $10.
Lot 1 Johnson to Charles F Roark, lot 3, Angeleno Heights, $10.
Lot 1 Hall to John A Polacek, lot 6, Rose-dale tract, $10.
Lot 1 Gilman, Carlton C Jenkins to Same, part lots 10 and 11, C C Folsom's Addition of lots 1 and 2, block G, Mutual Orchard Co, $10.
Lot 1 Hart to Mary S Morris, lot 3, Wal-nut tract, $10.
Lot 1 Simmons to Ellen S Lord, lot 6, block 1, Bonnie Brae tract, $10.
Lot 1 Barnard (formerly widow of Mar-shall) and described as M C Lewis in Deed and Wilmer C Barnard to Julia Hall, part block L of subdivision of Lot 1 of Rancho J H Painter and B F Ball, $10.
Lot 1 Thomas J Lee and William Mc-Donald to Ida and part lot 31, Barnard trt, $10.
Lot 1 Odell to John Larson, lot 15, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Samuel E Johnson, lot 17, same, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Earnest E Kohn, same $10.
Lot 1 Same to Joseph P Hopkins, lot 31, Woodlawn, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Edward C Pruhling, lot 1 South Woodlawn, $10.
Lot 1 Barnard to T G & T Co, lots 1, part lots 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 31, blk 8; lots 2, 4 and 6, part lots 7, 11, 12, 15, 17, 31, 30, 18, 27, 28 and 30, blk 12; lots 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, blk 10; lots 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, blk 15, South Woodlawn, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Joseph P Hopkins, lot 2, South Woodlawn, $10.
Lot 1 Same to J Martin, lots 16 and 17, same, $10.
Lot 1 Mead and Clara Clevel to Frank Grider & Hamiltons Logista Addition to Ella R McFaul, lot 184, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Martha A Allen, lot 1, blk 3, same No 1, $10.
Lot 1 Same Co to W M Howse, part lot 1 Flatt Cos Orange Villa trt, $10.
Lot 1 Taylor to Arthur Guion, part lot 1 blk 81, Painter & Ball Tract, $10.
Lot 1 Mallory to H G McGraw, lot 1, Main and Western ave trt, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Union T & T Co, lots 1 & 2, Venice Annex trt, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Lulu B Bowyer, part lots 13 and 15, blk 1, Smith's Addition, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Ida Rouse, lot 11, blk E, same, $10.
Lot 1 Same to William H Murdock, lot 3, blk 1, Strong & Dickinson's Alamitos Bay Inv Co to Octavius Carvanna, lot in lot 4 and part lot 5, same, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Carey M Ayers, Und 7-18 int in same, $10.
Lot 1 Same to William F Herndon, lot 3, same, $10.
Lot 1 Mary R Buckland, lot 3, Long Beach, $10.
Lot 1 D Clark, lot 1, block 1, Hall tract, $10.
Lot 1 Mary Louise Combe, lot 27, Angeles, $10.
Lot 1 Edward Stoll, lot 6, McIntyre Station $10.
Lot 1 Garbutt, und ½ int Verdes Rancho, $10.
Lot 1 L A Inter-Urban Co to Arroyo de los Bueyes tract, $10.
Lot 1 Same to Mary L Smith, same tract, $10.
Lot 1 James G Johnston to C L Powell, part sec 18, T 1 S R 19 W, $10.
Lot 1 John Carroll to Thomas Alvin Cook, lot 12, Carroll tract, $10.
Lot 1 P Ferguson Commissioner to Trusten P. Dyer, lot 12, block 4, Thomas Lehrs sub of 8th st tract, $50.
Lot 1 Joseph V Hart to Mary V Hart, part lot 16, block 6, Orchard tract, $200.
Lot 1 S P and R Co to Maggie Liddell, lot 139, Hopper & Sons Western Avenue tract, $10.
Lot 1 Margaret Mackerras to U A Griffin, lots 2 and 3, Granite Heights tract, $10.
Lot 1 R H Mackerras to same, lot 1, same tract, $10.
Lot 1 Albert W Bannister to Guy E Halderman, part lot 32, replat of Mary F Burton's sub-division of north part of lot 8, block 1, San Pasqual tract, $10.
Lot 1 Guy E Halderman to Albert W Bannister, lot 28, Magnolia tract, $10.
Lot 1 Capt Harry Palmer, C H Brunn, John C Coxie, lots 13 and 14, J W Boyd tract, $10.
Lot 1 Merchants' Trust Company to McCarthy Co, lot 44, block 5, McCarthy Company's Greater Los Angeles tract, $10.
Lot 1 Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to Charles E Bailey and William C Warner, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 61, first addition to Hermosa Beach, $10.
Lot 1 Leonella C Faulds to Louis R Dupuy, part lots 10 and 12, block 4 of Country Club tract, $10.
Lot 1 Charles E Doaster, to Mary L Dosta, lot 27, Minnehaha Grove tract, $10.
Lot 1 Jerry Toles to Sadie L Alexander, lot 23, block 4, Howe's tract, $450.
Lot 1 Union Trust and Title Company of Los Angeles to Merchants' Trust Company, lot 21, block 4, lot 22, block 6, lots 36 and 37, block 7; lots 2 and 27, block 10, Seaside Park Plat, No 2, $10.
Lot 1 Huntington Land and Improvement Company to W P Shoft, lot 6, block 19, Huntington Park Extension No. 1, $10.
Lot 1 L M Grider, E E Hamilton and I E Hamilton to Lewis J Good, lot 26, block 23, Grider & Hamilton's Highland Park, $800.
Lot 1 Manuel C Montijo to Ubaldo Sanchez, undivided ½ lots 44, 45, 46 and 48, Arroyo de los Posos subdivision, $50.
Lot 1 Charles Dreifus, C H Adams, to Alex Carrest lots 24 and 25, Peck's subdivision of west 450 feet of block 5, Rudecinda tract, $10.
Lot 1 Kaspare Cohn to C S Taylor, Jr, lot 76, Montebello, $1500.
Lot 1 Helen C Carpenter to Sarah O Paine, lots 35 and 36, Alpha tract, $10.
Lot 1 Charles Ehrhard to D C Wing, part sec-tion 36 T 3 S R 12 w, $10.
Lot 1 J M de Shazo to JM Stowe, part lot 1, block K, Knoll Park, $10.
Lot 1 William L Harkey to George R Barndollar agreement to convey part lots 5 and 6 block C Knoll Park in Long Beach $4500.
Lot 1 O Mitchell, JE Hart and E E Hart to Adolph G Minchart lot 1 Bellevue Heights Annex $10.
Lot 1 Isaac W Blake to Lillian A Waite lots 6 and 7 Blakes subdivision No 1 of Gully tract $1600.
Lot 1 Charles S Kersting to T G Smith lots D and E Sierra Madre $10.
Lot 1 Edward F Bogardus to Frederick N Saner part lots 2 and 3 Webbes, Wile & Michael replat of lots 14 and 15 block 94 and lots 3 and 4 block 91 Santa Anita tract; also part of tract of land con to grantor herein by deed 1442-203; $10.
Lot 1 Hettie Eastman to Elizabeth F Baker lots 17 and 18 Block A of E F Spence addition to Monrovia $900.
Lot 1 Arthur H Green to David Picard lot 4 block 1 Olivewood subdivision $10.
Lot 1 Huntington Land & Imp Co to Nellie H Vere, lot 19 block C Huntington Drive tract No 1 $10.
Lot 1 Liz Snyder to D G Zinn lot 25 block 1 Palos Verdes tract $10.
Lot 1 E H Horsch to Elizabeth D Fairchild lot 24 block H Bay View Heights tract $10.
Lot 1 Samuel Brown to Captain Harry Palmer, C H Brunn and Andrew Montague lots 43 and 44 Pomona College tract $10.
Lot 1 W L Holland to Wilbur H Arnold lots 1 and 2 block 48 Long Beach $10.
Lot 1 Mabel L Hackman to William A Walker block 6 Hackman & Lennox tract $10.
Lot 1 William R Walker to Sarah J Daniels and Elizabeth Daniels part lot 2 Baxter & Todds subdivision of block 28 Long Beach $10.
Lot 1 Thomas Lovell to Theodore M Newman lot 1 Downs tract $10.
Lot 1 J H Beeson to C F Clendenon, lot 11 blk B Strong and Dickinson's South Park trt. $10.
Lot 1 Norman Elmer Rich to Aline May Turton, part lot 20 blk A Menlo Park sub No 1, $10.
Lot 1 John F Way to Jay M Decker, lot 20 West End Heights, $10.
Lot 1 Martin Milutinovitch to Gertrude Boyd, lot 22 blk B Strong & Dickinson's South Park trt, $10.
Lot 1 C C Boyd to South Side Bank, part lots 17 and 18, blk G Nadeau Orange trt $10.
Lot 1 Realty Tr Co of L A to Henry N Knapp, lot 45 Holywood Square, $10.
Lot 1 Chas Pickenbach to Joseph Livingston, lot 5 blk 5 George Dalton Sr. trt, $10.
Lot 1 Joseph Livingston to Charles Pickenbach, lot 356 Alexdra Weill trt, $10.
Lot 1 Ernest H Holcomb to Mary Speer, lot 12 Echo Park Road trt, $10.
Lot 1 D D Stratton to Elmer G Murray, lots 37 38 39 40 41 and 42 Sunrise trt, $10.
Lot 1 Mary J Brown to Lorano R Barzen, part lot 9 G W Hayes resub of lots 29 to 32 35 to 38 blk O Painter & Ballis add to Pasadena, $10.
Lot 1 Amanda E Clark to F D Chipron, lot 13 and part lot 14 blk J of S A Rendall sub of part lot 1 blk 24 H S, $10.
Lot 1 Merchants Tr Co to Mary F Dorian, lot 6 MacGowan trt $10.
Lot 1 Samuel D Fitton to D E Wellcome, lot 11 blk E Clement trt, $50.
Lot 1 Charles Fraser to George L Hazzard, lots 5 and 6 West Whittier, $10.
Lot 1 Dwight H Hart to Hugo Hoffman Alexander Meyer and Louis Meyer, lot 10 blk 24 Huber trt, $10.
Lot 1 E G Howard to Florence Guthride, lot 15 Wilshire Place trt, $10.
Lot 1 Charles F Guthridge to Caroline Leahy, lot 11 Wilshire Place trt, $10.
Lot 1 T I & T Co to Emma R Kringel, lot 8 blk 7 Alamitos Bay trt, $10.
Lot 1 U T & T Co of L A to Frank W Kringel Agreement to convey lot 3 blk 8 Naples.
Lot 1 Emma R Kringel and Frank W Kringel to William A Murdock, Asst of above.
Lot 1 Union Tr Co of L A to Emma R Kringel, agreement to convey lot 5 blk 3 Naples, $1000.
Lot 1 F Bresch to G L Junod—Lot 12 blk 132 Alamitos Beach Townsite, $10.
Lot 1 E M Freeman to H Watson—Part lot 16 blk F Densmore Villa lots, $10.
Lot 1 C T Hurd to Mrs N Waldron—Part lots 10 E and 14 blk 11 Harbor View trt, $10.
Lot 1 J Alley to T H Rix—Lots 14 and 16 blk 107 Long Beach, $10.
Lot 1 J R Teague to D L Gaskill—Lot 5 Robin-son trt, $10.
Lot 1 F Burns to K M Burns—Part lot 152 Sec H Rosedale Cemetery, $10.
Lot 1 Golden State Realty Co to C Ray—Lot 119 Rice trt, $100.
Lot 1 Golden State Realty Co to same—Lot 118 Rice trt, $125.
Lot 1 H C Downing to I Garbutt—Und ¼ int in part lot L as shown on partition map of Ro Los Palos Verdes, $10.
Lot 1 L C Moore to A Schrock—Part lots 26 and 27 and part lots 27 and 28 and part lots 28 and 29 R S Moores sub of lot 1 of C J Fox sub of lot 5 blk 72 H S, $10.
Lot 1 R Dean to Board of Water Commission-ers of City of L A—Lot 21 blk A McCarthy Cos sub of Moneta ave and Figueroa st trt, $10.
Lot 1 O E Monroe to L A Ely—Lot 20 blk 10 of Brooklyn Hgts Ganahl trt, $10.
Lot 1 A L Davenport to J O Lussier—Part lots 29 30 31 Hiscock & Smith 2nd add, $10.
Lot 1 G P Thresher to L A Bldg Co—Lot 71 Strong & Dickinsons Woodlawn trt, $10.
Lot 1 A Bldg Co to Pauline E Rooks—Lot 71 same trt, $10.
Lot 1 F Weatherby to B F Field—Lot 8 mlk B Stoneham trt, $2500.
Lot 1 E W Cooper to J G Pennington—Agmt to convey lot 18 blk G No Park trt, $3000.
Lot 1 F M Bittle to E W Dolley—Lot 26 blk 1 of George Dalton Sr trt, $10.
Lot 1 W W Thomas to J M Clanton—Part lot 4 blk F resub of Alamitos trt, $10.
Lot 1 D P Clanton to same—Part lot 4 blk F re-sub of portions of Alamitos trt, $10.
Lot 1 U T & R Co of L A to J W Lewis—Lot 20 blk 1 Panorama trt, $10.
Lot 1 Palos Verdes Co to B J Coons—Lot 24 blk C Preston trt, $10.
Lot 1 J O Butler and E M Butler to F W Dud-rey, part lot 7 blk I D W Shelhamer's sub of part Grogan tract, $10.
Lot 1 Marion Cheek and Sallie A Cheek to Stella V Patten, lot 30 blk 1 Central Park Front tract, $10.
Lot 1 Stella V Patten to Marion Cheek, lots 6 and 7 Cribb & Sinclair's Venice Annex, $10.
Lot 1 John Martin to same, lot 10 blk 1 Central Park Front tract, $10.
Lot 1 M G Henderson to same, lot 36 blk 1 same tract, $10.
Lot 1 R Z Imler to Alfred R Randolph, lot 19 Imler tract, $10.
Lot 1 James H Roberts to Gustave P Wolfram, und ½ int in part secs 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 1 8 13 W, $10.
Lot 1 Louis D Drake to Lucy C Kingsbury, part of sec 1 12 W, $10.
Lot 1 Mesa Land Co to Dr Samuel G Moore, lot 22 blk 8 West Adams Terrace, $10.
Lot 1 L A Securities Co to Daisy Anderson, lot 34 blk 55 Redondo Villa tract, $10.
Lot 1 Thos J Hampton to W R Wheat, lot 19 blk A W L A, $1500.
Lot 1 Union T & R Co to Catherine N Barns-stead, lot 50 and part lot 51 Strong & Dick-inson's Figueroa St tract, $10.
Lot 1 George A Nadeau to Lauren D Robinson, lot 3 Lot Nadeau Villa tract, $400.
Lot 1 Geo C Bulach to Ellis Hakes, lot 13 Baxter Todd's sub of blk 29 Long Beach, $10.
Lot 1 Ada S Flood to John H F Peck and John A Anderson, lots 29 and 30 Peck's sub of blk 8 Palos Verdes tract, $10.
Lot 1 E H Horsch F W Stearns J E Counts to Elmire P Terry, lot 4 blk D Mira Mar tract, $10.
Lot 1 W H Hoge W M Varney W H Coulthurst to James W Burton, lots 1 to 4 inc blk 5 Pacific Home tract, $10.
Lot 1 G L McWilliams to Roy N Carr, lots 27 and 28 blk H Weatherby tract, $10.
Lot 1 B C Ashburn to Margaret Mitchell, lots 19 20 21 22 blk 9 Davis add to Duarte, $10.
Lot 1 David Confer to Amy Hartshorn, agreement to convey lot 25, block 10, Brooklyn tract, $2500.
Lot 1 George W Wimans to Linnie Cowley, part lot 2, block C, Hayward Heights tract, $10.
Lot 1 Samuel L Lent to Sarah S Brunner, lot 5, block A, Lent tract, $10.
Lot 1 L A Dock and Terminal Co to same, lot 4 block 2, Back Bay tract No. 1, $10.
Lot 1 Robert Marsh and Frank R Strong to Anna Webster, agreement to convey lot 72, Robert Marsh's Central avenue tract, $1150.
Lot 1 Seth C Brown to E Reiser, lot 10, block 1, Orange Grove avenue tract, $10.
Lot 1 A R Fraser, G M Jones and H R Gage to Austin Callahan, lot 5, block F, Ocean Strand tract, $50.
Lot 1 James A Sherman to Walter I Webber, lot 19, block B, South Bonnie Brae tract, $10.
Lot 1 Union T & T Co of L A to C Anderson, lot 13, block 2, Naples, $10.
Same to same, lot 14, block 3, same, $10.
Lot 1 A E Pomeroy to Lee A McConnell, undivided ½ of portions of lots 1 and 2, Alfred James tract, $10.
Lot 1 George T Stoneham to Katharina Blum, lots 9, 10 and 11, block D, Stoneham tract, $10.
Lot 1 Creigh C McIntyre, Artie M. McIntyre of firm of McIntyre Bros. to Julia A McIntyre, lots 25 and 26, block C, Edgewood Park tract, $18.

MOTORMAN MAY DIE.

He Is Pinched Between Two Cars of Work Train at Watts Station. Taken to Hospital.

In a wreck of a work train at Watts station at 12:15 o'clock this morning, Charles Vaughn, motorman, was pinched between two cars, and se-riously, if not fatally injured. Vaughn was brought to Los Angeles and taken to the Receiving Hospital.

From what could be learned, the train ran into an open switch. With some other workmen, Vaughn leaped from the train, and rushed to assist in uncoupling the cars. A sudden move of the motor pinched the man between the beams. He will be sent to the Sisters' Hospital.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are the following undelivered messages at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Cable Company: P. B. Jackson, F. D. Cobb, I. McQuaid, W. R. J. Campbell, Mrs. C. B. Hentrick, R. J. Porter, C. D. Wildes, C. E. Butler, Miss Mabel Folts, W. B. White, L. E. Jeanning, F. F. Woods, A. C. Brady, P. F. Matthews, L. Hydes, H. S. Anderson, Burt, Mrs. A. J. Macy, Lally Manufacturing Company, Dr. White, Mrs. A. Wilson, Miss Etta Griffith, Marine Hardware Company, C. W. Fish, Helen Howbert, John W. Considine, California Fruit Co., Dr. Morris, C. T. Adams, B. Strong, Koap Joe, Walter Brush, John Hoyne, Clay Peterson, Thos. Brown, Mrs. Grace L. Archembo, Mrs. L. A. Maxfield, Mrs. Martha Gurney, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Roche.

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VITAL RECORD

BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES.

HURSEY. At 1825 West Twenty-second street, December 4, 1906, Arthur White Hursey, aged 83 years. Funeral service at the chapel of Bresee Bros., No. 853 South Figueroa street, Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Interment, Rosedale. Friends invited.

JAYNES. In Los Angeles, December 5, 1906, Salina, wife of Claud Jaynes, aged 28 years. Funeral service at the chapel of Bresee Bros., 853 Figueroa, Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Interment, I.O.O.F.

M'GOWEN. In Tucson, Ariz., Mrs. Gertrude McGowen, beloved wife of W. A. McGowen, a native of Canada, aged 48 years. Funeral Sunday, December 9, 1906, from chapel in Evergreen Cemetery, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

CRONEMILLER. At 316 Key West st., Los Angeles, Dec. 6, 1906, Mrs. Sarah Jane Cronemiller, aged 72 years. The funeral services will be held at Bresee Brothers' Chapel, 853 S. Figueroa st., Sunday at 11 a.m. Friends invited.

AYERS. At his home in Altadena, December 7, Frank Ayers, aged 67, husband of Amey E. Ayers. Funeral private.

SKANKS. In this city, Dec. 7, 1906, James S. Skanks, a native of Nova Scotia, aged 94 years. Funeral today, Sunday, at 2:30 p.m., from family residence, No. 417 W. 22nd st. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

BRADLEY. At her home, No. 1029 South Union avenue, December 8, 1906, Mary Frances, beloved wife of R. C. Bradley, aged 47 years. Funeral services will be held in the funeral chapel of the Orr & Edwards Co., corner Tenth and Flower sts., today (Sunday) at 2:30 o'clock p.m. Interment Rosedale. St. Louis, Mo., and Dubuque, Iowa, papers please copy.

BOWEL. Rebecca M. Howel, aged 44, 62 N. Chicago st. Funeral Monday, 10, 2 p.m. from Boyle Heights funeral parlors, 1038 East First st. Interment Evergreen. Friends invited.

MESSMORE. Mrs. F. H., Friday, December 7. Funeral services will be held at residence, Sunday, 2 p.m. 4321 Wisconsin st., Los Angeles.

ALEXANDER. In Los Angeles, December 8th, 1906, Mrs. Mary A. Alexander, aged 74 years. Funeral at Bresee Brothers' Chapel, 853 S. Figueroa, Monday at 2:30.

KENDALL. At his residence, 627 E. 48th street, December 7, 1906, Charles A. Kendall, aged 46 years. Funeral from parlors of Connell-Unterkircher-Crawford Co., 1051 S. Grand avenue, Sunday, December 9, at 2 p.m.

SUTTLE. December 8, 1906, Maria Elizabeth Suttle. Funeral services at St. Paul's funeral parlors at 2 p.m., Monday. Interment private. Taylor (Ill.) papers please copy.

MANNING. Fremont and George avenues, Julia, beloved wife of James Manning, a native of Ireland. Aged 75 years. Funeral from the residence Monday, December 10, 1906, at 8 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Agnes' Church at 9 a.m. Interment Cavalry Cemetery.

Marriages.

CONNER-BROWN. Bert A. Conner, aged 33, a native of California, and Andessie Brown, aged 24, a native of New York; both residents of Los Angeles.

BOWLES-KING. Alonzo F. Bowles, aged 29, a native of Ohio, and Gertrude King, aged 23, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

CHRISTENSEN-KIAR. Carl Christensen, aged 24, a native of Denmark, and Emmy Kiar, aged 28, a native of Denmark; both residents of Los Angeles.

GFERDING-JORGENSEN. Jorgen V. Gferding, aged 31, a native of Denmark, and Anna Jorgensen, aged 35, a native of Denmark; both residents of Los Angeles.

WILLIAMS-BACON. George E. Williams, aged 46, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Annie E. Bacon, aged 41, a native of Missouri, and a resident of Santa Monica.

LAMB-HRILL. Charles E. Lamb, aged 29, a native of Indiana, and Georgia Hrill, aged 25, a native of Colorado; both residents of Los Angeles.

HAWKHURST-HUMPHREYS. Henry I. Hawkhurst, aged 29, a native of Iowa, and Edith Nora Humphreys, aged 24, a native of England; both residents of Sierra Madre.

VALLEY DE FRANCE LODGE, No. 322, F. & A. M., will convene at Masonic Temple, Sunday, 9th December, at 2 o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Louis Cugnier. The entire service will be rendered at the lodgeroom, 431 Hill st. By order of W. M.

A. CAZEAUS, Secretary.

Notice of High Mass.

Anniversary mass for the soul of Senida C. Machado, late beloved wife of D. A. Machado, will be observed at St. Campbell's Church, Ocean Park, on Monday, December 10, at 10 a.m. Rev. Father Hennessy, officiating.

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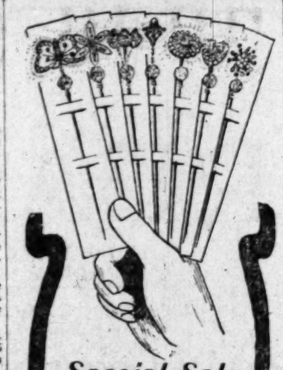
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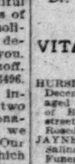
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C. B. Baskette, who for the past six years has been connected with the Coulter Dry Goods Co. as buyer and manager linen and bedding departments, will become associated as a stockholder with the Bon Marche, where he will buy the same lines. Mr. Baskette leaves for New York this week in the interest of his new firm.

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Miss Moore, the exclusive parlor milliner, will have a special sale of both street and dress hats at greatly reduced prices. If you have not purchased your hats, please call on her, for she has an elegant line of them. 532 and 535 Mason building, cor. Fourth and Broadway.

Opera glasses—I am making a special leader this Christmas of a pearl opera glass for $6.50 (regular price $8.50.) and with handle attached $10.50 (regular price $15) Call and see them before you buy. Field glasses very reasonable. J. P. Delany, 309 S. Spring St.

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First Congregational Church, Sunday, December 9. The usual services in the morning, no meeting in the evening, but Twilight Communion and reception of members at 4 o'clock.

Ladies take advantage of special rates for baths and massage, scalp and facial treatments during December. Mrs. L. Penbrich, 736 S. Broadway. Home F1676, Main 2208.

The regular monthly meeting of the Los Angeles County Nurses' Association will be held Tuesday, December 11, at 2:30 p.m., at the Guild Hall of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.

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Dr. Kellogg, Temple Auditorium.

VITAL RECORD {BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES.

HURSEY. At 1825 West Twenty-second street, December 6, 1906, Arthur White Hursey, aged 81 years. Funeral service at the chapel of Bresee Bros., No. 855 South Figueroa street, Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Interment, Rosedale. Friends invited.

JAYNES. In Los Angeles, December 5, 1906, Salina, wife of Claud Jaynes, aged 28 years. Funeral service at the chapel of Bresee Bros., 855 Figueroa, Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Interment, I.O.O.F.

McGOVERN. In Tucson, Ariz., Mrs. Gertrude McGovern, beloved wife of W. A. McGovern, a native of Canada, aged 46 years. Funeral Sunday, December 9, 1906, from chapel in Evergreen Cemetery, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

CRONEMILLER. At 2105 Key West st., Los Angeles, Dec. 6, 1906, Mrs. Sarah Jane Cronemiller, aged 72 years. The funeral services will be held at Bresee Brothers' Chapel, 855 S. Figueroa st., Sunday at 11 a.m. Friends invited.

AYERS. At his home in Altadena, December 7, Frank Ayers, aged 47, husband of Amey E. Ayers. Funeral private.

SKANKS. In this city, Dec. 7, 1906, James S. Skanks, a native of Nova Scotia, aged 94 years. Funeral today, Sunday, at 2:30 p.m., from family residence, No. 417 W. 22nd st. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

BRADLEY. At her home, No. 1029 South Union avenue, December 8, 1906, Mary Frances, beloved wife of H. C. Bradley, aged 47 years. Funeral services will be held in the funeral chapel of the Orr & Edwards Co., corner Tenth and Flower sts., today (Sunday) at 2:30 o'clock p.m. Interment Rosedale, St. Louis, Mo., and Dubuque, Iowa, papers please copy.

HOWEL. Rebecca M. Howel, aged 61, 572 N. Chicago st. Funeral Monday, 10, 2 p.m. from Boyle Heights funeral parlors, 1333 East First st. Interment Evergreen. Friends invited.

MESSMORE. Mrs. F. H., Friday, December 7. Funeral services will be held at residence, Sunday, 2 p.m. 4323 Wisconsin st., Los Angeles.

ALEXANDER. In Los Angeles, December 8th, 1906, Mrs. Mary A. Alexander, aged 74 years. Funeral at Bresee Brothers' Chapel, 855 S. Figueroa, Monday at 2:30.

KENDALL. At his residence, 657 E. 48th street, December 7, 1906, Charles A. Kendall, aged 40 years. Funeral from parlors of Connell-Unterkircher-Crawford Co., 1051 S. Grand avenue, Sunday, December 9, at 2 p.m.

SUTTLE. December 8, 1906, Maria Elizabeth Suttle. Funeral services at Paul's funeral parlors at 2 p.m., Monday. Interment private, Taylor City, Ill., papers please copy.

MANNING. At Vermont and George avenues, Julia, beloved wife of James Manning, a native of Ireland. Aged 75 years. Funeral from the residence Monday, December 10, 1906, at 8 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Vincent's Church at 9 a.m. Interment Cavalry Cemetery.

Marriages.

CONNER-BROWN. Bert A. Conner, aged 33, a native of California, and Andesaie Brown, aged 24, a native of New York; both residents of Los Angeles.

BOWLES-KING. Alonzo F. Bowles, aged 29, a native of Ohio, and Gertrude King, aged 32, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

CHRISTENSEN-KIAR. Carl Christensen, aged 24, a native of Denmark, and Enny Kiar, aged 25, a native of Denmark; both residents of Los Angeles.

GFERDING-JORGENSEN. Jorgen V. Gferding, aged 31, a native of Denmark, and Anna Jorgensen, aged 35, a native of Denmark; both residents of Los Angeles.

WILLIAMS-HATON. George E. Williams, aged 44, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Annie E. Bacon, aged 41, a native of Missouri, and a resident of Santa Monica.

LAMB-BRILL. Charles E. Lamb, aged 29, a native of Indiana, and Georgia Brill, aged 25, a native of Colorado; both residents of Los Angeles.

HAWXHURST - HUMPHREYS. Henry I. Hawxhurst, aged 28, a native of Iowa, and Edith Nora Humphreys, aged 24, a native of England; both residents of Sierra Madre.

VALLEI DE FRANCE LODGE, No. 329, F. & A. M., will convene at Masonic Temple, Sunday, 9th December, at 2 o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Louis Cugnier. The entire services will be rendered at the lodgerooms, 431 Hill st. By order of W. M.

A. CAZEAUS, Secretary.

Notice of High Mass.

Anniversary mass for the soul of Senida C. Machado, late beloved wife of D. A. Machado, will be observed at St. Campbell's Church, Ocean Park, on Monday, December 10, at 10 a.m. Rev. Father Hennessy, officiating.

Card of Thanks.

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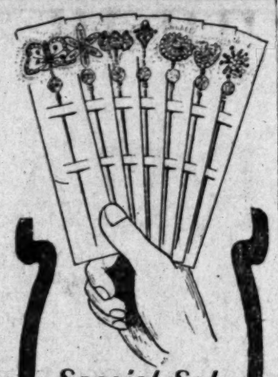
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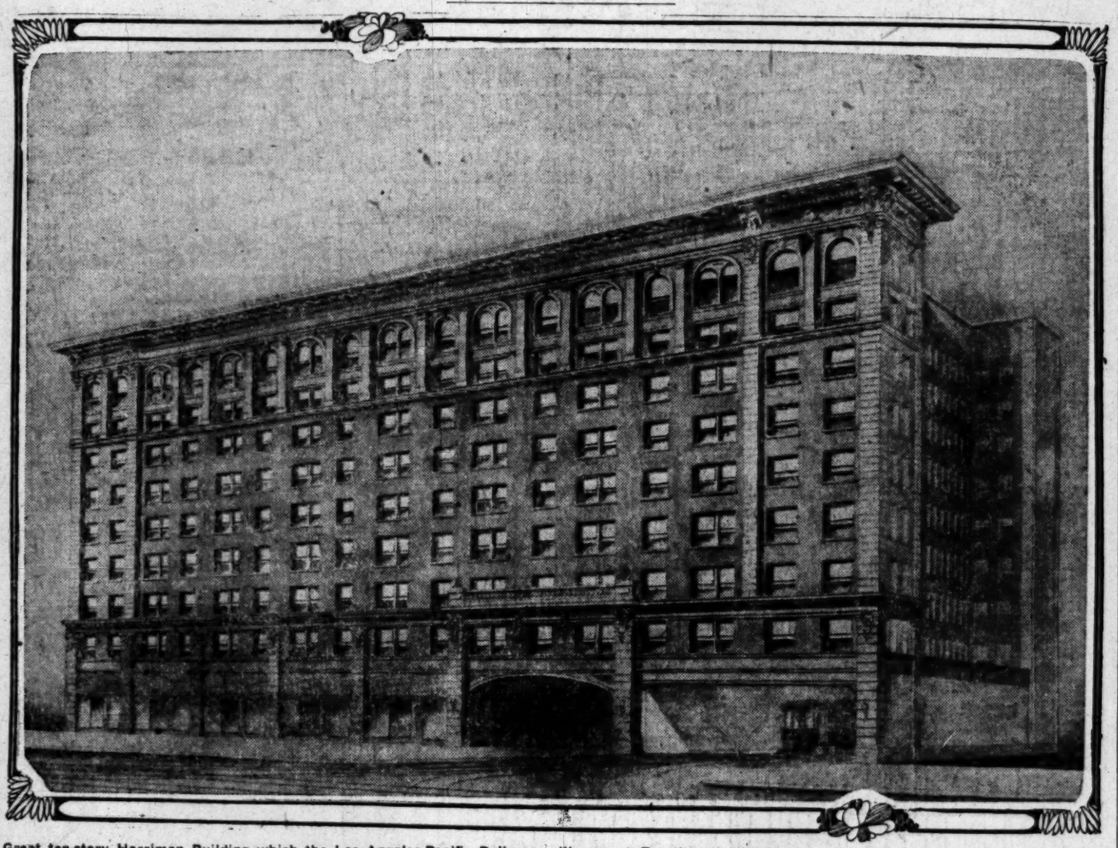
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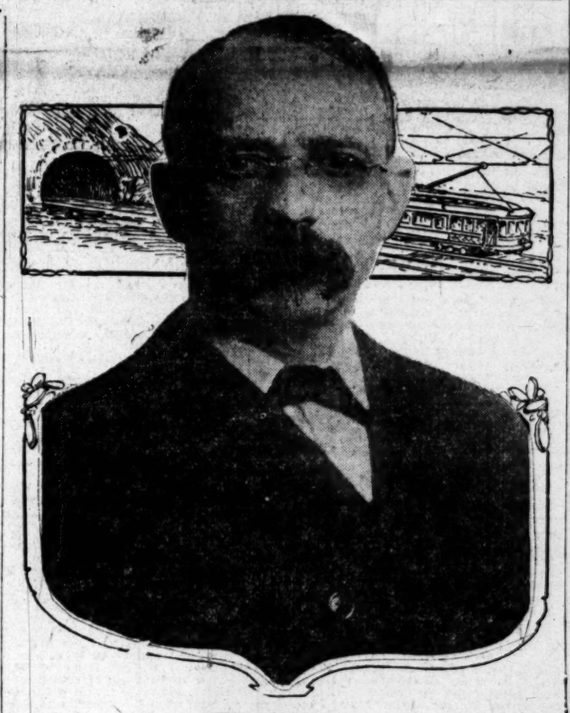
More than $1,500,000 has already been expended securing rights of way for the subways; the estimated cost is $5,000,000.

Outside the city limits new lines are to be built reducing the distance to Ocean Park and to Hollywood, and to adjacent territory. All these lines, like the main project, are to be broad gauge.

There is a well-defined rumor afloat that these Los Angeles-Pacific extensions are but the forerunner of a great commercial harbor. At Santa Monica Bay the Harriman interests control fifteen miles of ocean front.

The next move in the railway and commercial development of the Southwest may be a mammoth breakwater similar to that the government is building at San Pedro. This would be a private Harriman enterprise.

Mr. Harriman has confided to some of his associates that he sees in Los Angeles the metropolis of the Pacific Coast. Not content with getting in on the ground floor, he has gone to the basement.



E. H. HARRIMAN, controlling power of the Los Angeles-Pacific.

Twenty minutes to Santa Monica and Ocean Park, ten minutes to Hollywood, five minutes to the western city limits—this is the electric-railway service that E. H. Harriman, king of railroad strategists, has promised Los Angeles.

A mammoth concrete subway equal to that which has made New York City's railways the pride of the East, and a great steel office building larger and more magnificent than any other in the West—these are two minor details of the titanic project which for Los Angeles is second only to the Owens River enterprise.

Three years of time and more than $5,000,000 of money will be required to complete what will be the finest electric railway system in America. Mr. Harriman has already expended $1,500,000 in the purchase of property in the western part of the city necessary to secure the right of way for the great concrete conduit which is to carry the cars of the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway through the heart of the western hills and deposit them on Vermont avenue near the old Baptist College, fairly outside the city limits.

SUBWAY NEARLY FOUR MILES.

This subway of itself will be almost four miles in length; it will parallel West Fourth street from Hill street to Vermont avenue. The entrance will be from a magnificent ten-story office building located on the site of the Masonic Temple on South Hill street. This building will contain 1100 offices and will house 3000 people. It will be a city of itself with floor space almost equal to half the territory in the Eighth Ward.

The Fourth-street subway is only a moiety of the new system that is to comprise forty-five miles of track, and will bring Hollywood and beach points closer in time to the heart of Los Angeles than are University, Vernon or Highland Park. The project is one which only the genius of a Harriman would devise; it will give to Los Angeles and its suburbs an electric railway service which has no peer in Europe or America.

Mr. Harriman explained his plans for electric railway extension to his local captains of industry just five weeks after he learned that Los Angeles had secured the Owens River. Mr. Huntington was already in on the ground floor so Harriman made a bee line for the basement.

To his subordinates Mr. Harriman has confided his faith in the future of Los Angeles and Southern California. He considers this the favored spot on the Coast and he sees in Los Angeles the metropolis of the West.

HE GRASPS BIG THING.

Three years ago Mr. Harriman paid an extended visit to the south coast. When bidding his lieutenants good-by the morning of his departure, he said:

"Paris, Vienna, Italy are not half so beautiful. But you have about reached the limit; there is no more water."

It was then that he counseled retrenchment in the matter of the extension of suburban electric lines. But he was quick to grasp the changed situation when Fred Eaton and William Mulholland revealed the possibilities of the Owens River.

Mr. Harriman is the Napoleon of the railway world. He has won that position in commercial struggles as brilliant as Marengo and the Bridge of Lodi. His ability as an organizer dwarfs that of Jay Gould and the elder Vanderbilt. And he is backing his faith in the Southwest with millions of golden eagles.

There is no other city in America outside of New York in which Mr. Harriman is investing so much. In the last year he has turned more gold back to California than the entire output of the mines of California, Colorado and Nevada. He is sowing anew in the heart of the commercial West the yellow metal that is filched from the mountain and desert. He is preparing for a harvest richer than the mines of King Solomon.

PEOPLE REAPERS, TOO.

But in this harvest he will not be the only reaper; the people also will reap, for his success is wholly dependent upon the continued prosperity of Los Angeles and its environs. His present plan is to eliminate space with the wand of electricity and to bring the foothills and the beaches within walking time of First and Broadway.

Great electric express trains running at an average speed of seventy miles an hour will make it possible for a resident of Hollywood or Santa Monica to go home to lunch from his offices in the new Harriman building on Hill street and be back at his desk within an hour.

GREAT AIR LINE PLANS.

From the western entrance to the Fourth-street subway air lines will be built direct to Ocean Park, Santa Monica and Hollywood. The main line will extend across private right of way from Fourth street and Vermont avenue to Wilshire boulevard. There it will enter a second subway 3000 feet in length, running through the Nadeau vineyard and finally connecting with the present lines at the junction of the line to the Soldiers' Home and that to Ocean Park.

A second line will extend from Fourth street and Vermont avenue to Sherman Junction, a distance of five and one-half miles, making a short line for Santa Monica and the Westgate line.

Midway between Vermont avenue and Sherman Junction a third road will run through Hollywood by way of Highland avenue.

These are details which have already been approved by Mr. Harriman. There are others, possibly more important ones that are developing. But for the lines already mentioned the rights of way have already been secured.

Some of the great electric flyers which are to run over these lines have already been ordered. They will bring the entire Hollywood highlands within the residence district immediately adjacent to the business section.

By stepping into an electric express train at Fourth and Hill streets, one can be in Santa Monica or Redondo in the same time that it would take to walk to Ninth and Figueroa streets, or to ride on the surface cars to Figueroa and Adams streets.

These are possibilities undreamed of in the last century. Wizard Harriman and his millions make them already almost a reality.

IMPOSING BUILDING.

The new Harriman building will be the most imposing structure of its kind west of Chicago. It will be a massive pile of steel and reinforced concrete, comprising nine stories and basement. It will have a frontage of 240 feet on Hill street and a depth of 330 feet.

The estimated cost of the building alone is $1,000,000. It will have a floor space of 663,000 square feet, or fifteen and one-half acres.

The first and second stories will be faced with granite; the upper seven

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IF MR. TOGO SHOULD COME.

Where Would Los Angeles Be Blown to?

Coast's Defenseless and so Is the City.

Urgent Need of Forts, Guns and Gunners.

If Admiral Togo should come prowling into San Pedro Harbor about 1 o'clock this morning, wouldn't it sort of spoil your appetite for dinner?

Would you give up that Sunday trip to the beaches and go off for a hurried excursion over behind Mount Lowe, or would you take the old Mauser rifle you brought back from the Yanko-Spanko War and go down and blow the Jap fleet clean out of the water?

If there were to be any hostile demonstration it would lie entirely with you and your shotgun to defend the entire Southern California coast from Santa Monica to Newport against the invasion of the enemy. The Bannings might lend you their Cabrillo if you preferred to meet the destroyers of the Russian fleet in the open. But you would probably feel away down in your heart that any Fourth of July artillery you might train against the invaders would hardly crack the paint from the scarred battle beaks of the powerful warships of the Orientals.

But aside from the danger of being peppered full of bird shot by some patriot stationed up in the lighthouse at Point Firmin, there would be mighty few life insurance policies collected on dead Jap sailors slaughtered in the storming of San Pedro.

WE HAVE NO DEFENSES.

Other cities of the Pacific Coast have some fortifications, inadequate and under-manned though they may be, but Los Angeles has nothing of defense more formidable than captured relics of the Spanish War. The Japs could land their fighting forces on this Coast with infinitely more ease than the captains of the squealy little Long Beach tugs tie up to the wharf at low tide.

They could sail of a Sunday morning the whole length of this beach resort coast and make spooning on the sands more perilous than it has ever been before. They could touch off all the beach towns, and while enjoying the spectacle of their burning, could amuse themselves by firing through the smoke and ploughing up the whole southwest residence district of Los Angeles with thirteen-inch shells. The nicely-oiled streets would be ruined; real estate signs would be torn to smithereens, and the burning of the buildings themselves would make the San Francisco holocaust pale into insignificance. It might be thrilling to a disinterested spectator watching from the observatory on Mount Wilson, but it would be a painful sight to the man who saw his home and business go up in smoke punctuated by explosions of lyddite.

WHERE WOULD WE BE?

In case of war with Japan what of our Pacific Coast defenses as a whole? Should a flying squadron come cruising up and down from Puget Sound to San Diego, with the grim destroyers of the Russian navy playing their heavy guns upon the port cities of the Coast would they be promptly met with such a storm of shells from long distance disappearing guns as to make them churn at full speed out to sea again, or would they come right on in under a firecracker-like demonstration from small guns inadequately manned, and do to Pacific Coast ports what they did to Port Arthur?

The people on the Coast are interested to know. This question in its various phases is a live topic in San Diego, San Francisco, and Puget Sound where there are fortifications manned with heavy guns and trained gunners, and coast defense vessels at anchor. But in Los Angeles, which hasn't so much as a revenue cutter, the subject is perhaps seldom mentioned.

The Chamber of Commerce has a coast fortification committee which has made recommendation after recommendation setting forth the need of fortifications at San Pedro, and asking that some provision be made by Congress for such defenses. But as far as can be ascertained these efforts so far have been without results.

NEED FOR SAN PEDRO.

"I don't apprehend war with Japan—just yet," said Gen. Charles Forman of the Chamber of Commerce Coast Defense Committee yesterday. "But if from this agitation Congress can be moved to take the steps toward the fortification of our coasts that the conditions call for, much good will be the result.

"We need, immediately, more fortifications, more guns and more men along this whole Pacific Coast, unless we are to be left at the mercy of any hostile power that may come along. I have always advocated proper action along such lines. All military men and thoughtful statesmen have taken the same view of the situation. But Congress has delayed positive action for years. It is to be hoped that it will now be brought to a realization of the urgent need of doing something at once.

"Look at Los Angeles and Southern California for instance. There is absolutely nothing along our coast line here to protect us from hostile invasion. The fleet of an enemy might land off our coast here anywhere with absolutely no resistance being shown them. Their ships could throw shells into Los Angeles and destroy the entire city. Their troops could land and take possession of everything in sight before we might raise a hand to protect ourselves.

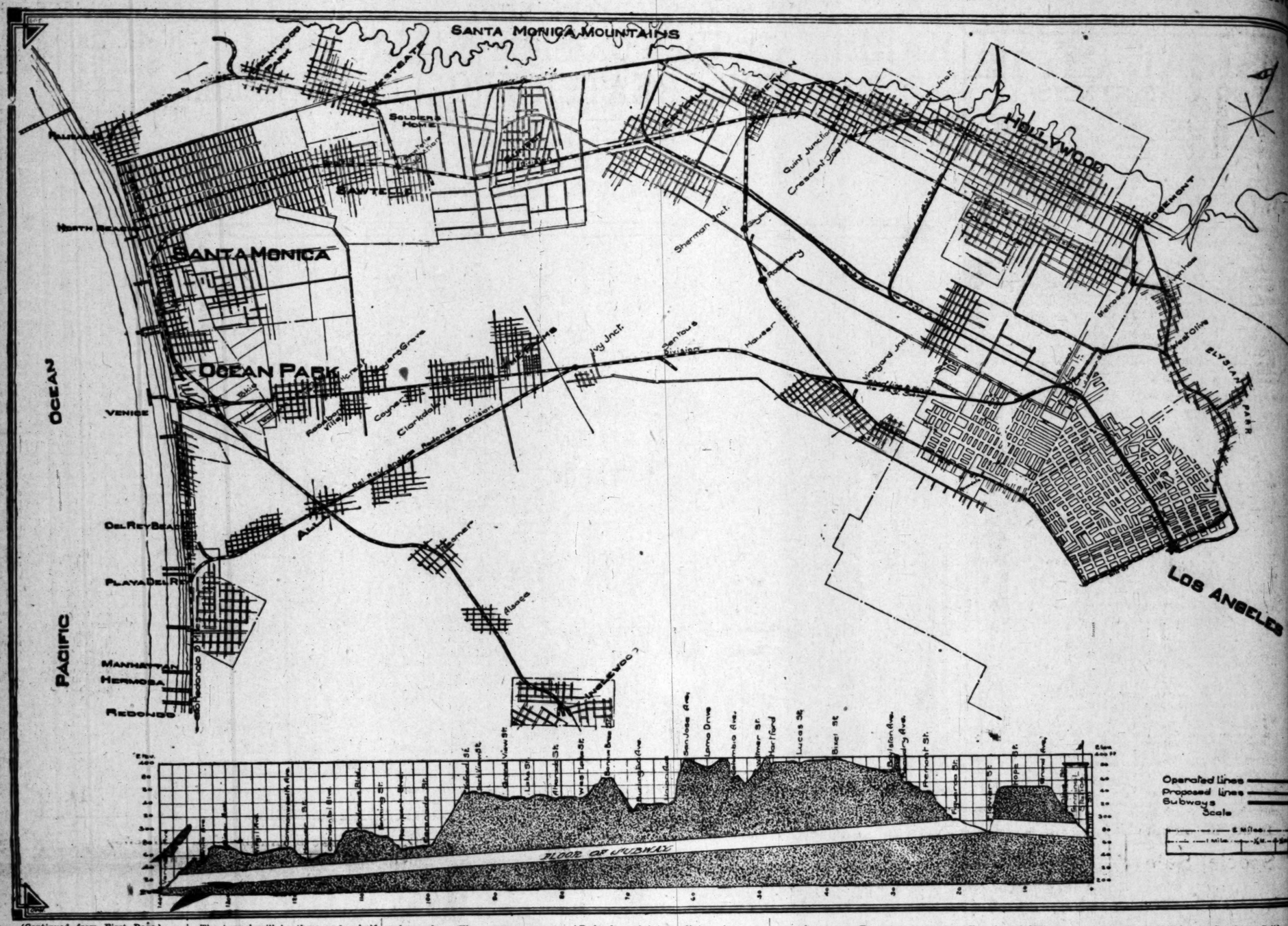
"We ought to have fortifications and guns at Point Firmin and south of San Pedro at least. And we ought to have stationed here a coast defense vessel of a similar type to those now anchored at San Francisco. There ought to be several more of these same vessels to be placed at San Diego and other Coast points to be readily available in time of need."

SOUTH COAST ESPECIALLY WEAK

"We are especially weak in our Southern California coast defenses," said William D. Stephens, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Harbor Board, yesterday. "It will be a good thing if this Japanese war talk would result in forcing Congress to take some recognition of the existing con-

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MAP OF THE GREATER LOS ANGELES-PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILROAD, THE DIAGRAM BELOW SHOWING THE POSED CITY SUBWAYS, NEARLY FOUR MILES LONG, THROUGH THE HILLS FROM HILL ST. TO VERMONT AV



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stories will have a facing of terra cotta. It will be equipped with eight passenger and two freight elevators.

On the first floor will be waiting rooms, a large ladies' parlor, restaurants, ticket offices, an information bureau and three store rooms. There will be 1100 office rooms, exclusive of light wells and stairways. Specially constructed fire escapes will lead from each story.

There will be eight tracks leading from the subway and two from Hill street. All outgoing and incoming trains will be handled through separate entrances, so as to avoid confusion and every possible danger.

The accommodations will be such that ten trains can arrive and depart every five minutes. All new cars will be equipped with multiple unit control. The overhead trolley system will be used. There is to be no third rail, even in the subway.

The tunnel will be three and a half miles in length. The maximum curvature will be four degrees; the maximum grade, .87 per cent, and the ruling grade one-half of 1 per cent.

FOUR UNDERGROUND TRACKS.

In the concrete subway there will be four tracks. These will come to the surface at Flower street only. The subway will be a great concrete tube. Fourth and Hill streets will be the single depot inside the city limits.

The average running time to Venice will be twenty minutes for the accommodation trains; the limiteds will do better than that.

The service will consist of express trains containing five or six cars each. The power will be so regulated that the head motorman will be in charge of the entire train. He will handle it just as easily as an engineer handles a train of Pullman cars.

Power is an important item of the new service. The Los Angeles-Pacific Company has $1,000,000 of power now under order. Five enormous motor-generator sets will be located at Nadeau Vineyard and other places to reinforce the present substation capacity and to equip new stations.

These are but a few details of the new Harriman enterprise that have slipped past the censor. They probably do not comprise a tenth part of the project as planned—for Mr. Harriman enjoys a reputation for building railroads on the solid earth and not on paper. He has little use for a press agent, and less for a vaporing promoter.

OUT FOR OCEAN TRAFFIC?

In business and commercial circles there is considerable speculation as to the ultimate object which Mr. Harriman has in view in developing and extending the Los Angeles-Pacific lines in the direction of Santa Monica rather than the lines leading to the great port at San Pedro.

Already it has been decreed that the great lumber traffic of Santa Monica, Redondo and intermediate points, aggregating millions of feet and constantly augmented, a traffic heretofore handled by the Los Angeles-Pacific through Redondo, will now be thrown to the Southern Pacific at Port Los Angeles.

Some think that Mr. Harriman has in mind the vested Southern Pacific at that port. These interests plus the new ocean front privileges taken over with the Los Angeles-Pacific—tantamount to a practical monopoly of fifteen miles of ocean front—may be considered sufficient to warrant Harriman in spending additional millions to make Santa Monica Bay a port of entry capable of safely harboring the entire shipping of the Pacific.

The man who had the audacity to bridge the great Salt Lake will hardly falter in the face of the comparatively inexpensive necessity of a breakwater at Port Los Angeles.

Men who are nearest the railroad king have confided to friends that Harriman is preparing to anticipate increased ocean traffic and tonnage that will reach this Coast through the Panama Canal by building a foundation broad enough and deep enough for a second great independent port on the coast line of Southern California.

The improvements planned for the Los Angeles-Pacific by the allied Harriman interests evidently mark a new epoch in the history of Southern California. Enterprises like these are not attempted by men of the Harriman caliber unless others and greater ones are to follow.

It is known that the subway plans do not contemplate the abandonment of the project to build a short line into the Hollywood district via North Hill street. Plans for the North Hill-street tunnel are still under contemplation.

Hill street is Mr. Harriman's favorite thoroughfare. It is here that he expects the great skyscrapers of the future to be built. His investments in Hill-street property already run into the millions.

Mr. Harriman personally selected Fourth and Hill street as the site for the building that is to bear his name. His plans for improvement extend as far north as Sunset boulevard. To his associates he has expressed the opinion that ten years hence Hill street will be the heart of the business district.

The Fourth-street and Hill-street subways will provide routes of ingress and egress for the half-million population that will be here to greet the Owens River when it arrives in 1910. They will pave the way for the underground transportation routes that will give quick and easy entrance to the business district, and will prevent the blockades that occur on the main thoroughfares of so many large cities. It is the first movement toward a city under ground, and marks the admission of Los Angeles as one of the select fifty large cities of the world.

Half owner in the Pacific Electric and Inter-Urban railroads, and holder of a controlling interest in the Los Angeles-Pacific, Mr. Harriman has taken another step in his obvious purpose of becoming master of transportation facilities in Southern California.

These new lines mean just [illegible] to Santa Monica, Ocean Park, Del Rey, Venice, Sawtelle, Colegrove and the territory [illegible] to these suburbs, as it does Los Angeles. Rapid transportation is a valuable asset they can [illegible] means rapid and permanent [illegible] in the price of real estate, [illegible] pares the way for uniting them [illegible] a single municipality, which [illegible] the most beautiful and most [illegible] sive of all the cities of [illegible] Fifty years ago cities grew [illegible] fined territory; but with an [illegible] only fifty square miles, the [illegible] would be an hour's time from [illegible] ness district. Now all that is [illegible] the beach resorts will be [illegible] half hour in time than were [illegible] mile suburbs two decades ago.

Some of the outskirts of Los [illegible] fourteen miles from the business [illegible] ter. These are now reached [illegible] minutes by London's new [illegible] system. Mr. Harriman proposes [illegible] as much for Los Angeles.

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ditions and make appropriations immediately for badly-needed fortifications.

"When you stop to consider that there is nothing between San Francisco and San Diego to stop the landing of a hostile force, it gives food for thought. Here in Los Angeles we would be wholly at the mercy of any hostile forces which might make a sudden attack upon us. Under the guns of a powerful warship a landing party might fortify itself on the heights about San Pedro and be immune from land attacks of any but a powerful force.

"Mind, I don't take any stock in this Japanese war agitation. I think it is all foolishness. But there is nothing like being prepared. And that we assuredly are not now. We may find to our regret that we will get to building fortifications after the great need for them has passed. But it is possible even now, I think, with a man of the hustling qualities of President Roosevelt at the head of things to accomplish many things along this line if Congress can be induced to take the necessary steps.

"In the work of the Harbor Board we have not as yet been called upon to consider the question of fortifications, except in a very general way, but there is no doubt in my mind that more adequate defenses ought to be provided for all of the coast, and something specific for San Pedro and vicinity."

FOR GOOD SHOTS.

Asst.-Gen. Corwin, formerly in charge of the Department of the Pacific, said recently: "We need legislation for the coast artillery. The matter of pay of enlisted men of artillery also demands attention by the lawmaking power. Service of requisite character is obtained in this world only by proper pecuniary remuneration.

"Above all, the greatest efforts should be made to retain in service men who have shown themselves expert gunners; men who can actually train the gun and hit the target, not simply men who have a knowledge of the theory of gunnery.

"A man who can hit the target, not once, but time after time, showing thus an inborn faculty for the work, should be retained at all hazards, be he non-commissioned officer or private, a well conducted soldier or one not well conducted. After all, in the coast artillery, as well as other combatant arms, the main object is to hit.

"I for one, strongly advocate that the coast artillery be increased at least one half and the pay of enlisted men to the grades noted raised."

THE PRESIDENT URGES.

President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Taft, heading a unanimous list of army officers, have strongly urged the improvement of the Pacific Coast defenses. It has been repeatedly pointed out to Congress that on the entire Pacific Coast from Puget Sound to San Diego the coast artillery is manned by but 3000 men and officers, when it is estimated that one full working detail ought to be 10,000 men and officers. An effort is being made to improve the existing coast fortifications through the expenditure of $10,000,000.

The erection of fortifications such as they propose would render all of the principal cities of the coast immune from attack and destruction from the sea, with the exception of Los Angeles. A hostile fleet could be kept off San Francisco, for with the immense guns which it is proposed to install both there and at Puget Sound and San Diego, the enemy's fleet could be sunk before it came within firing range of the forts.

So the Japs would probably turn their attention to Los Angeles, which they could devastate at their leisure and in the face of the whole assembled army of the United States without the loss of so much as a single man. It would be merely target practice for the little brown sailors. But the target would be about the most costly and valuable ever set up for gunners to take the range of. Also it would be a valuable lesson to the government of the United States to have Los Angeles entirely wiped off the map in a day by a hostile fleet, but Los Angeles could scarcely be expected to be pleased to any great extent.

CITY WOULD BE SHELLED.

So while business men of Los Angeles are for the most part actively in favor of the improvement of the coast defenses to an extent which will enable hostile fleets to be held off, they are anxious enough that Los Angeles should be included in the general scheme of fortification.

It is certain, they say, that no other city on the coast is more in need of such defense, or has more to lose through hostile attack. This city, it is pointed out, lies directly in the path that a hostile fleet would take after capturing the Hawaiian Islands with a like absence of struggle, and would be the one to suffer the greatest damage from a sea attack, even at the distance which it lies from the ocean.

Even though Japanese soldiers or the armies of any other belligerent nation should land on this coast or in this vicinity, they could easily be repulsed by American troops already massed on the field, provided these troops were protected by coast defense guns from the fire from high power naval guns of a fleet lying off the coast. And under such circumstances it is highly improbable that any foreign power would have the temerity to land its troops where they would surely be annihilated unless brought over in a hundred transports at a time.

NORTH POLE NOW WOMAN'S QUEST.

ELLA OUGMAN WILL SEEK THE ELUSIVE SPOT.

Has Won Reputation Already as Explorer and Anthropologist in the Klondike Regions, and Will Start North in About a Month With Band of Eskimos.

"Somebody has got to find the North Pole. The men who have gone searching for it have failed. I'm going to try, and I think I shall succeed."

This is the confident assertion of Mrs. Ella Ougman, explorer and anthropologist, who is making ready at Nome, Alaska, for an expedition "farthest north." Photographs of this plucky woman and some of the interesting retinue that will accompany her on the hazardous trip have just reached New York.

Mrs. Ougman is well known at Smithsonian institution, Washington, for her determined exploits in Alaska and other parts of the Northwest, where she had for several years been studying the habits of the Eskimos. She is regarded as an expert on the Innuits, as the Eskimos are known, and her collection of Eskimo curios is considered the finest extant.

TO RETURN IN TWO YEARS.

Mrs. Ougman expects to start within a month and believes she will return to Nome well inside of two years. This newest of the explorers will have Eskimos as her only companions. She understands the Eskimos thoroughly, speaks their strange language as fluently as she does her mother tongue and considers that they will be best able to withstand the temptation to dig for gold in the Klondike and stick to the object of the expedition.

"I would have recruited a few sterling white men," said Mrs. Ougman. "If I could have found any proof against their failing victims to the gold fever. I have not projected this trip for the sake of making money out of it. It is not gold we shall seek, but the elusive North Pole—that and nothing else. I cannot afford to take any possible deserters with me. I know the Innuits. They are faithful.

"Those who will go with me have sworn that they will stay to the end of the trip, and I know they will do it. Besides this, no white has the endurance that the Innuits have, and of all things endurance counts in a trip to the Arctics."

Mrs. Ougman is known to the Eskimos as a man. Although she wears skirts, the unsuspecting Innuits have always been led to believe that they were donned simply to keep her warm. The Eskimos do not trust women as they do men, and if they suspected that the leader of their bold expedition was of the weaker sex they would not follow her.

DON'T KNOW SHE IS A WOMAN.

"The Eskimos grant me courtesies they would not think of allowing women," said Mrs. Ougman. "For instance, they allow me to enter their burying grounds—a thing no woman not native born is ever permitted to do. In this way I have gathered all manner of things from the treasure buried with the Eskimo dead.

"On the trip to the pole this will be of much importance to me. It will be my object not alone to look for the pole, but to study the habits of the different Eskimo tribes we meet."

The expedition will start on sledges drawn by Eskimo dogs. At the Eskimo settlement farthest north in the journey the sledges will be loaded with food. There will be enough, Mrs. Ougman says, to last twenty-four months. Should the commissary supply by any chance give out there will be some extra dogs that can be spared.

Mrs. Ougman has the distinction of being the only woman who has seen Mount McKinley, on the heights of the snowy Alaskan range. With a party of explorers she pushed up the Yukon Valley two years ago and stood at the base of the mountain. The climb to the peak of Mt. McKinley is 17,000 feet.

"There won't be any chance of fatigue on this trip," said Mrs. Ougman. "I have had experience in the awful cold of the Alaskan country, and know how to keep warm. This time we will pass Mt. McKinley and continue north until we have found the pole."

SUICIDE OR ACCIDENT?

Former Indicated by News from Portland, the Home of Anton Fritz, Killed at Fernando.

Anton Fritz, who was killed by a train at San Fernando last Sunday, probably threw himself under the wheels with the intention of committing suicide. The Coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death, but facts now coming to light indicate otherwise.

It appears from reports from Portland, his home, that Fritz was driven to seek death because he had lost $4000 in an unfortunate mining speculation. He had previously been robbed by a negro woman in this city of $9500, an dhe is said to have insisted that his son, Lawrence, was implicated in the affair.

Relatives testified that after the second loss of money, Fritz showed signs of mental derangement.

INDORSES SEATTLE EXPOSITION.

The Los Angeles Stock Exchange passed resolutions indorsing the Alaska - Yukon - Pacific Exposition, which Seattle plans to hold during June, July, August, September and October, 1909. The exposition is announced to be held to demonstrate to the world the vast and increasing commerce of the Pacific Ocean, and to bring before the public the great resources of the vast Northwest region of the continent, especially Alaska, the Yukon country, and northwest Canada.

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ON TRACK OF CAPT. HALL.

Mexico Pursues Little Rover and Her Skipper.

Queer Things Said About His Mysterious Cruises.

Romance and Drama Both in Singular Career.

When "Capt." A. W. Hall and the Pioneer Rover are both seized by the Mexican authorities in Lower California, as is expected soon, there are a good many persons in this city who will be rather pleased than otherwise. "Capt." Hall has been known to the old-timers about the Courthouse for the last twenty-five or thirty years, and his life during that time has been something of a puzzle.

In 1888 he was arrested for an alleged assault, with intent to murder Henry Kegel, and he preferred the same charge against Kegel, who also was arrested and brought to trial. Guerilla warfare had existed between the men for a long time in the Santa Monica Mountains.

Kegel held 160 acres as a homestead and alongside Hall held another quarter section. When first the land was taken up, Hall and Kegel were like brothers, but there was a falling out and Kegel forbade Hall to trespass upon his land. As Hall couldn't get out of the La Vegota Cañon without crossing the disputed territory, he had either to stay at home or else run the risk of being shot by Kegel.

The latter, while law-abiding enough, intimated that any one trying to complicate matters by plastering fording him into a corner, would have to answer to him for it. He always carried a gun instead of a walking stick, and as he was known to be expert in its use, he was not molested.

TAKES CHANCES.

Hall wouldn't remain boxed up like a rat in a trap, and crossed the debatable land whenever he felt like it, but he knew that he was taking chances. Kegel is said to have laid for him one day with a shotgun. Hall was driving a cart. A fusillade was heard, and Hall, after banging away once or twice, laid down in the bed



Christmas Umbrellas

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ON TRACK OF CAPT. HALL.

Mexico Pursues Little Rover and Her Skipper.

Queer Things Said About His Mysterious Cruises.

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Both "Capt." A. W. Hall and the Little Rover are both seized by the Mexican authorities in Lower California, as is expected soon, there are said many persons in this city who will be rather pleased than otherwise. Capt. Hall has been known to the officers about the Courthouse for the last twenty-five or thirty years, and his life during that time has been something of a puzzle.

In 1888 he was arrested for an assault, with intent to murder Henry Kegel, and he preferred the charge against Kegel, who also was arrested and brought to trial. Open warfare had existed between the men for a long time in the Santa Monica Mountains.

Kegel had 160 acres as a homestead and alongside Hall held another quarter section. When first the land was taken up, Hall and Kegel were like brothers, but there was a falling out and Kegel forbade Hall to trespass upon his land. As Hall couldn't get out of the La Vegota Cañon without crossing the disputed territory, he had either to stay at home or else run the risk of being shot by Kegel.

The latter, while law-abiding and unintimated that any one trying to complicate matters by plastering lead on his holdings, or otherwise driving him into a corner, would have to answer to him for it. He always carried a gun instead of a walking stick, and as he was known to be expert in its use, he was not molested.

TAKES CHANCES.

Hall couldn't remain boxed up like that in a trap, and crossed the dead line whenever he felt like it. It is said that he was taking chances, Kegel is said to have laid for him one day with a shotgun. Hall was driving a cart. A fusillade was opened and Hall, after hanging away for a time, laid down in the bed of the cart and let Kegel fire until his ammunition was exhausted. It is not of record that either combatant was injured, but both were arrested, and Kegel was found guilty in the Superior Court, but the case was appealed and finally dropped out of sight.

Some time later, Kegel's wife died and Hall insinuated that his neighbor had hastened the woman's death and had him arrested again. But the charge could not be sustained, and Kegel returned to his mountain home more at enmity with Hall than ever.

In a few months Kegel married again and took his wife to the house in the cañon, but ill luck dogged his footsteps. One day, when he was absent from home, the house was burned to the ground and his wife was burned to death.

By this time Hall began to get a little bit scared. He and Kegel had been having almost daily quarrels. Each would talk to the other from behind a tree, and there was constant dodging for an opening. Hall thought it wise to get out and he moved to Pasadena, where he got hold of a little piece of property. He was probably the organizer of an organization known as the Patriotic Order of American Mechanics. He got a "Council" started and then went to San Bernardino to organize a council there, for he was making money at the organizing game.

He borrowed the Bible and flag used in the council in Los Angeles as the San Bernardino council didn't possess any such articles at that time. Whether Hall utilized the Bible and flag in organizing the council or not, the Los Angeles council never had them returned. There was a row, for the flag was made of silk. Hall said that he had unfortunately lost it, but his enemies claimed that he sold it out for what it would bring.

GRAND ARMY REJECTS HIM.

Repeatedly Hall tried to gain admission to the Grand Army posts of the city, claiming that he was an old soldier. He said that he was born in Pennsylvania, but had served with the Third Indiana Cavalry through the war, under the name of Mike Flannagan. The local veterans would not believe his story. Then Hall wrote to the adjutant-general at Indianapolis and received a certificate of service under the name of Flannagan.

Armed with this, Hall again rapped at the lodge doors, but they were never opened to him.

FORGERY IS CHARGED.

In 1892 Hall was arrested on the charge of forging a check on the First National Bank, but while the man had the most wonderful aptitude for getting into trouble, he was equally lucky in getting out of it. After being in hot water for several years, he bought a little sloop, and went cruising. He was away for a year or two, and it was reported that he had been shipwrecked, and had afterward died. His wife applied to the Probate Court to administer his estate, and the small property remaining was about to be turned over to her, when Hall appeared at San Diego. Then his wife was indignant, applied for a divorce and got it.

Hall set sail again, and was again absent for a couple of years, and again returned. He took unto himself another wife, registered as a voter, and said that he was going to settle down in Los Angeles. But he couldn't keep quiet, and in a few months he started again for San Diego, and again hoisted the anchor of his little vessel. The strange thing about Hall's maritime adventures has been that at whatever port he puts in, his vessel is as empty as when he started. H enever takes a cargo, but claims to be going somewhere in ballast. Ill-natured critics have accused him of running Chinese into the United States from Mexico via the Channel Islands, and also say that, when occasion offered, a light cargo of opium brought him big profits.

On an average, Hall has been arrested in Mexico about once a year, it is said. When last boxed up at Ensenada, it was for a more important offense than usual, and he wrote beseechingly to friends here, asking to get Congressman McLachlan to set the machinery in motion at Washington, or he would be a "dead 'un." His note also said that if his old Courthouse friends cared to make up a little purse for the purchase of luxuries for his prison, he would not say them nay.

And now the Mexican authorities are again watching for Hall, for he is charged with inveigling a woman and a young girl into making a voyage with him on the Rover.

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Coast defenses, Uncle Sam, coast defenses. "That's the medicine which our disease requires."

War talk is again springing up in various parts of the world. And Christmas is coming.

It is not so much a question as to where Christmas will be spent as it is how it it will be spent.

Hills turning green and the poinsettias blazing out in their Christmas clothes. Hail California of the South.

One often wonders how Senator Tom Platt of New York finds the time to attend so many lawsuits.

If it be possible that Abe Ruef got money out of actors, as charged, he is not only a thief but a wonder.

A "part-time" form of marriage is now advocated. But it can never take the place of the old rag-time sort.

The Japanese object to being classified with the Chinese. But instead of objecting they ought to feel complimented.

Charlie Schwab evidently has a desire to die poor, too. He is buying up all the mining properties he can get his hands on.

No doubt the Japanese came to the conclusion that we are barbarians after they had witnessed a few of our football games.

It doesn't matter what the amount of money is that the Philippines have cost us. The question is, how much blood are they to cost us?

The inside history of the Chicago Teamsters' Union is aired in the courts owing to the trouble between Kelly and Shea. Where's Burke?

A man may arrive at a stage in his career when he can write a check for $10,000 as easily as to give 10 cents to a beggarman, and still he may not be happy.

We do not blame Russia for hoping the United States and Japan will mix up in war. The fight would give Muscovy a chance to get square with both of us.

Things are looking better in spots, anyway. China is trying to prevent the use of opium among the natives, and France is endeavoring to stop the manufacture of absinthe.

College students are not always to be condemned for their rough-house tactics in public. Last week they stopped one of the theatrical trust's plays in a New York theater.

Money was reported "jumping" on Wall street, yesterday. And no doubt it was jumping sideways, as it has a habit of doing, not only in Wall street but on every other street the world over.

It would appear that the Civil War did not entirely dispose of the question of State sovereignty. It is still the subject of debates in Congress, which indicates that it will never be settled.

It seems that in Italy poets are awarded the "Collar of the Annunziata." In this country they are usually collared by a bill collector almost every time they venture out on the streets.

Throughout all these discussions on "How to be happy though married," it seems strange that no one ever mentions the old-fashioned plan of husband and wife just loving and respecting each other.

American authors are now demanding that the copyrights on their books shall last fifty years after their death. It will do no harm to grant the demand. In most cases nobody will notice the difference.

Two white men held up and robbed two Japanese in Los Angeles one night last week. They will probably excuse themselves on the plea that they suspected the Japs did not come by the money honestly, anyway.

MILLIONS FOR DEFENSE.

The time is ripe, this very morning, to recall the old American proclamation, "Millions for defense, but not one cent for tribute." Congressman Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, in Congress the other day, speaking in behalf of the improvements of our rivers and harbors, gave it as his opinion that less should be spent on the navy and the money thus saved should be devoted to the improvement of the rivers of the country. Mr. Burton's constituents are in a position of happy safety. It is not at all likely that any foreign power will be able to reach his people in the city of Cleveland or anywhere along Lake Erie.

It is entirely different with those who live in the great coast cities, whether on the Atlantic or the Pacific shores of the country. The United States needs at the present time to go on with the utmost vigor and dispatch in building up a modern navy until it is at least twice the strength of what we have today. At the same time, every seaport on both shores of the country should be fortified as rapidly as money can be obtained, the guns cast and mounted, and ammunition provided. The nervousness felt at the time of our war with Spain seven or eight years ago was intense. The people of Boston and New York scarcely slept a quiet moment for thirty days after the proclamation of war. The Spanish had scarcely a warship of the real modern type, and what they had were badly manned and badly sailed.

It is a very different matter with Japan. This empire has within the last few years built up an exceedingly strong navy. The units are not numerous, but they are of the most powerful and efficient type. Today there is not one American battleship on the whole western coast of America, nor, in fact, anywhere in the waters of the Pacific Ocean.

It is not supposable under the present circumstances that we are to have any war with Japan, but one never can tell what will happen. The Japanese are an exceedingly conceited people as a result of their wonderful triumph over the great armies of the Russian empire. They really think that they can whip about half the world in a stand-up battle on land or sea. Their fighting qualities are undoubted. They have courage, patriotism, and skill. The army which took Port Arthur and overran Manchuria in the face of the powerful forces of Russia is scarcely disbanded. With the wonderful system of detail prevailing in the Japanese army, 100,000 fighting men could be assembled in a month and put on board of transports convoyed by powerful warships to sail for any port on the Pacific. It is only 1700 miles from Tokio to Manila. The Philippine Islands cost us, to begin with, $20,000,000. Americans are preparing during the coming year to put into investments in railroads and other industries in these islands twice that sum. During the six or seven years that we have had possession of the archipelago, it is estimated that our people have invested a total of $400,000,000 in one way or another.

The Hawaiian archipelago is a little farther from Japan than the Philippines and much nearer to America. But the distance from Japan and the nearness to San Francisco cut no figure, inasmuch as there is not a single American battleship in the whole Pacific Ocean. If Japan has or conceives warlike intentions toward the United States, that country will strike us as it struck Russia, without a word of warning, treacherously if need be. Before our government could weigh anchor on a single battleship prepared for action, Japan could send a half-dozen of the finest war machines afloat, convoying an army of 50,000 or 60,000 trained soldiers and land them at Manila, defying us to dislodge them. The fleet and transports could at once sail back to Tokio, where another fleet would be ready to land 25,000 or 30,000 soldiers in the Hawaiian Islands, and it all would be done before we could "get a move on."

As to the cities of this coast, there is only one safe from the guns of the Japanese fleet. Portland, fortunately, is situated so far inland that no hostile fleet could reach that point. In ancient times, cities were built far enough from the seashore to preserve them from hostile invasion by sea. Our era being one of commerce rather than of fighting, we have placed our cities as near the broad ocean as we could find a safe harbor to protect our ships from storms. The Puget Sound towns would be shelled one after another before we could raise a finger to prevent it. A single Japanese battleship could do the whole work. A second could stand off of the Golden Gate at the Farallone Islands and shell San Francisco and Oakland. A third battleship could from the bay of Santa Monica knock down every ten-story building in the city of Los Angeles.

Of course this would not be done. What the Japanese would do would be to slow down steam in the ocean off of these cities and send a boat ashore, demanding the surrender of every dollar in the vaults of every bank in each city. They would collect (and we could not help ourselves) a war indemnity without firing a shot.

These cities are extremely easy to defend. Sufficient guns properly mounted on the bluffs around the Golden Gate would defy the combined fleets of Europe and Asia to enter the port or destroy the city of San Francisco. The same measures taken at the mouth of the Puget Sound would defy the heaviest ships on the sea to knock down a single brick in any of the sound cities. Guns mounted where the lighthouse stands at San Pedro and on the bluffs above Santa Monica would render Los Angeles and the surrounding towns impregnable. With proper batteries around the lighthouse at San Pedro and on the heights of Catalina Island, no warship could come within reach of anything along this part of the coast.

Our position in the world is utterly changed since the Spanish war. We are no longer an isolated nation with a sort of imaginary Chinese wall around us. We are in the thick of everything as a great world power with closest diplomatic relations with all the great nations of the earth. It is absolute foolishness for us any longer to go on in this negligent manner, leaving so much to hazard. The work of fortifying the coast on both oceans should be taken up at once and carried on with the utmost vigor. When the war with Spain broke out, there was not an arsenal in all America that had a ton of powder fit to burn. We had no equipment of any kind, and if the contest had been waged with a power more capable of defending itself than Spain, or more capable rather of attacking us, the war might have been lost by our defeat as quickly as it was won by the defeat of Spain, which resulted more from her greater unpreparedness than from our foresight and wise provision against such emergencies.

ALWAYS MAKING MISCHIEF.

When anything untoward happened in Turkey under one of the former Sultans, no matter what the nature of the event, the Turk always asked, "Who was the woman?" So when in our country and day any mischief arises the question, "Who was the walking delegate?" is pertinent.

The disturbance of friendly relations between the United States and Japan is a direct outgrowth of the mischief making of San Francisco's unspeakable gang—the gang at the bottom of all the troubles of that unhappy city, excepting the fire.

The people of San Francisco have undergone unspeakable losses and are contending against a condition of things that well might make weaker hearts faint in the struggle. To get the city rebuilt is an enormous task. There is not enough labor, skilled or unskilled, in any branch of industry, to perform the necessary work, and the people whose means of living is the end of their tongue will let no man work if they can prevent it.

The débris of buildings remaining after the fire had in many cases a considerable value. The little Japanese, with skillful hands and patient souls, were engaged at moderate wages to clean these bricks and prepare them for reuse in the erection of temporary buildings for business purposes on the lots of people who had lost so heavily. That was enough to inspire the detrimental interference of the walking delegates. They immediately took up a crusade against the industrious Japs, as they have always done against any industrious people. There were no white men nor black men nor red men in San Francisco to do this work. If the bricks could be cleaned and reused there was not only the saving of the value in the bricks, but the saving of cost incident to hauling them away to be dumped far from where they were found. The walking delegate, unconscious of any regard for the interests of any but himself, declared that these bricks should not be cleaned by the Japanese, which meant that they should not be cleaned at all, but on the contrary, the owner of the lot should be taxed to haul them away at considerable expense before he could begin the erecting of the most temporary building to carry on his business. Not content with waging warfare upon the industrious Japanese engaged in cleaning these bricks, the same irresponsible loafers started the propaganda for the exclusion of Japanese laborers from the United States by an act similar to the Chinese exclusion law. This led up to the attempt to exclude the Japanese children from the public schools of San Francisco.

Here is the whole root of the matter. It comes back, as all these disturbances come back, right to the door of the loafer who, at the head of the most tyrannous trust in the United States, the labor trust, is always against the man who works, regardless of the color of his skin, or the nation into which he was born.

The question about schools for the Japanese is a minor matter. It will undoubtedly be arranged to the entire satisfaction of the people of San Francisco, of the Japanese government and of the Japanese students themselves. It is pretty clearly defined under our system of government that this is a mere matter of policing the city and that the municipal authorities have the right to make such regulations as they may see fit. The treaty, of course, is the supreme law of the land, but like an act of Congress, it must conform to the general principles of the Constitution of the United States.

A much more important question is this other one about the exclusion of Japanese laborers from the United States. If the President or the Congress or the people of the East generally, who at heart would be opposed to such a law, are misled by the demagogic outgivings of the average California Congressman, especially the one from San Francisco, who has to look to the influence of the walking delegate for his reelection, they will make a grave mistake. California needs 100,000 laborers to do unskilled, rough work at this present moment. The farmers and fruit growers, the sugar-beet growers, and, indeed, every one engaged in the cultivation of the soil, finds himself very much handicapped all through every harvest time to get his crops gathered. About the only reliance we have is upon the few Chinese left in the country, and they are very few, indeed, who are not engaged in gainful pursuits on their own account, and the small number of Japanese already here. It would not do one cent of damage to any individual in California, and it would work a great deal of benefit to thousands of the farmers and fruit growers of the country, if 100,000 Japanese were landed in the State within the next twelve months.

The agitators and their representatives in Congress do not represent the real sentiment of the real people of California. Wherever a citizen of any standing in the State (not a politician) has the courage to speak his thoughts freely, it is his opinion that not only the incoming of these Japanese is no detriment in any way to any interest in the State, but it is almost a necessity that we should have more common laborers to do rough work upon the farms and in other capacities.

HOW TO BE HAPPY.

It is a good sign of the times that a great deal of attention is devoted to the effort to make men and women happy. It is a subject that is widely discussed in the newspapers, the magazines, on the forum and in women's clubs.

It is also a good sign that the talk, whenever it is up, takes on a decidedly optimistic trend. It seems to be the general belief that the world can yet regain the lost art of being happy if the proper effort is put forth. There are many of the writers and orators who even go so far as to claim that it is quite possible to be happy, though married.

And why not? Really there should be no reason why the world could not again be as happy as it used to be in the dear old days before we all became money-mad and strenuous and yearners after the flesh pots. Our grandfathers were happy, and so were our grandmothers. They hadn't much money, they never knew what an automobile was, but they used to get around just the same. They made use of their hearts for the purpose of loving one another, and not merely to pump blood into their brains so that they could think up some new way to make a million dollars.

Even as the world is now constituted it is just as easy to be happy in it as it ever was, and, indeed, more so. The way to do it is to quit this insane race after the rolling and elusive coin, "to earn a little and to spend a little less." To "have a few friends, but those without capitulation." To regard our neighbors with affection. To slow up. To learn to wreathe the countenance in smiles, and to take at least 60 per cent of the chances to laugh that come a thousand and one times between every morning and night.

The House of Happiness is subject to no particular rules of architecture. It may be a mansion that it took a king's ransom to build, or it may be a log cabin that you builded with your own hands. Let "the joyless American face" be banished from the highways. In the immortal words of Dr. Harry Ellington Brook, "Don't hurry, don't worry, and avoid certain inward physical restrictions."

BLACK DEVILTRY SURE.

It is about time the world, that is the sane, wholesome part of humanity, lifts its voice with one accord against the tommy-rot and rubbish that is played up nearly every week that the moon comes around about hypnotic influence and emotional insanity and other subterfuges and hollow pretenses for breaking the statute laws of the country and the eternal laws of righteousness.

Here we have a bunch of our newly-acquired citizens in Chicago with one Herman Billeck exercising a diabolical influence over a married woman and that woman's own daughter. There are intimations in the story that Billeck poisoned one or two members of the Vrzal family and that he maintained utterly abominable relations with the Vrzal woman. This woman's daughter, a young girl, tells about the brute, whom she intimates poisoned her own sister, kissing her mother. And she kissed him, too, saying that it seemed perfectly right for her to do so. Then the pair fall back on the rubbish of hypnotic influence. It is simply bestial nastiness when you shear it of all this false pretense and foolishness, nothing more and nothing less.

It is the same with the Thaw murder case. The attempt will be made to establish for that red-handed shedder of human blood that he was beyond all moral responsibility because beyond all mental control when he killed Stanford White. The man is a murderer if ever a murder was committed since Cain slew Abel, and ought to pay the just penalty of his crime.

We have a case here in our own court, a horrible one from Long Beach, in which a male brute committed an offense as black as hell upon an unsuspecting and innocent child. That the brute is well out of the way no one will dispute, but that the stepfather of the child, driven on by the energetic frenzy of her mother, was justified in killing the man cannot be set up with any sense of justice in this day and place. The peace officers who stimulated the mother to stir up the father to commit this crime certainly are accessories before the act. They are not fit to exercise the duties of peace officers.

Lax administration of the law is the only excuse for these heinous crimes. When our courts will cultivate sufficient moral perspicacity and mental stamina to insist that juries do their duty and execute the laws impartially, not vindictively nor cruelly, but firmly for the best interests of society, there will be an end to these acts of unlawful violence and it will be better for the United States and for each community in it.

AS TO CORPORATIONS.

It is very much to be feared that there is a confusion in the public mind which prevents us a just discrimination between corporations, as such, and monopolies that exist "in restraint of trade." It is to this confusion that must be attributed the feeling of actual animosity that is prevalent against corporations in general, and which is really a senseless animosity, having no reasonable grounds upon which to sustain itself.

Corporations are a necessity of the times in which we live, and the conditions which govern us as a civilized and progressive nation. When a number of persons combine for the better conduct of any particular trade or business, they form a corporation. The laws of the various States of the Union not only recognize such combinations, but encourage them.

A corporation is, in reality, merely a combination of individuals who have associated themselves together in order to conduct their affairs more economically and with greater facility than they could do in any other way. Instead of being a menace, the average corporation is a convenience and a benefit to its members and to the communities with which it does business.

With a very few notable exceptions the various corporations that exist throughout the United States today are either directly or indirectly owned by the common people themselves—the very people, indeed, whom agitators and demagogues seek to prejudice against these organizations. In most cases their bonds are owned by savings banks—that is, by people who patronize savings banks and make a practice of hoarding the fruits of their labor. In equally as many cases the bonds that corporations issue are bought up by the great mass of the people. Whenever either the stocks or bonds of a corporation are placed on the market it is the public that picks these investments up.

The specious cry of politicians against the organized enterprises and industries of the country has no weight with thinking people, who have long ago realized that corporations are a necessity. The practice of a large number of persons of small means employing those means in a common cause has borne good results. The experiment has proved profitable and convenient.

If corporations were to be legislated out of existence the result would be to work a hardship on those who are least able to bear hardships. For these reasons, alone, there should be an end to this silly anti-corporation talk that the soap-box orators are so fond of indulging in.

The forthcoming Midwinter Number of The Times, to be issued on January 1, will contain six or seven magazine parts, aggregating over 200 pages.



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And happy waves are dancing by
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A day of turquoise in the sky
And sapphire in the wave,
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A day of large and vivid things
In cosmos of the soul—
The breathing of eternal springs
Where boundless aeons roll.

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Brig.-Gen. George B. David, U. S. A., Judge Advocate-General, has been designated by the Secretary of War as the representative of the War Department on a commission which will frame regulations for the proper care of antiquities in this country, in accordance with the provisions of a law enacted by the last Congress.

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The Lancer.

If there is any reasonable excuse for the existence of the Civil Service Commission and its rules and regulations, it is that the practical operation of the system places competent men in public service and retains them so long as they do their work faithfully and well. But your zealous civil service patriot will not tolerate for a moment the idea that rules are made only when they operate for the betterment of public service. His theory is that the rule is the all-important thing, and that the public service exists only to fit his pet regulations.

The Los Angeles Board of Public Works employs some expert workmen whose services are invaluable and whose withdrawal would hamper seriously the work of building a sewer. These men were not on the civil service list. That is the public inference from the fact that they know their business. Being capable workmen and knowing more about their job in a minute than any Civil Service Commissioner could learn in a year, these men naturally and properly decline to go through any such farce of an examination before men who couldn't tell Portland cement from Main street mud. The Board of Public Works, which is responsible for results, is anxious to keep the men and asks that they be exempt from the civil service regulations.

The solemn formalists of the commission can't consent to such a thing. An examination would not increase the efficiency of the men; it would never reveal their competency. It would be a futility and a farce. But reasonable workmen must go through the form of compliance with rules and answer irrelevant questions, or their places will be lost to the city and will be usually supplied by the commission to city departments.

The attempt to apply civil service rules to the employment of laborers and men not skilled of their hands results in the whole theory to a wretched travesty. When it works to bar the honest men from public work, by substituting substance to empty form, it is worse than absurd—it is a public nuisance and a fraud. The Civil Service Commissioners probably are not to blame. The law is on the books and it forbids them to use their brains and common sense in its application. They ask, plaintively: "If the commission doesn't stick for strict construction of the law, who is there to demand it?"

Nobody, thank heaven. All others are free to use the reasoning power with which it has pleased Providence to endow them.

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The Monkey People.

Let it be recorded that nowhere else in the civilized world can be found such an unmannerly gang of hoodlums as the occupants of the bleachers at Mr. McCarey's place of entertainment near Naud Junction. A large majority of the patrons of the place is disposed to peaceable enjoyment of the controversies instigated by Mr. McCarey. When Mr. Cook, the gentleman endowed with lungs of brass, would converse, the statesmen, doctors, lawyers, preachers and exemplary citizens assembled would like to hear his words of wisdom. Even the Bandarlog on the back benches has a rudimentary desire to know what the noises issuing from the cavern in Mr. Cook's face mean, but it can't stay quiet long enough to find out. Being in large numbers and individually irresponsible, the Yahoos know it is safe to yell insults at every one in sight. Like a troop of monkeys in the treetops, they shriek and scream their incoherent imbecilities from the opening of the show to the end.

Some good people condemn the boxing game because they think it an exhibition of human degradation and an encouragement of ruffianism. They are partly right, but not in the way they think. The ruffianism is in the crowd, not in the ring. Most of the fighters are quiet, civil fellows, and they batter each other with the greatest good nature imaginable. If one goes to prize fights to study the human brute, he must give his undivided attention to the howling hoodlums on the benches. In other cities, the natural instincts of the Yahoo are repressed by the policeman's club, but in Los Angeles the offensive beast is unrestrained, and the fact that the roof of the fight pavilion hasn't fallen in around the edges incites a suspicion that the evolutionary law which eliminates the unfit isn't in good working order.

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Infringement of Copyright.

Mayor-elect Harper is quoted as having said that he knows more about hydraulics than all the engineers in the world; that the Owens River should be brought down in a steel pipe and not in cement conduit. The quotation is open to suspicion, because it is made by one who has misquoted everybody on the subject; but Mr. Harper sells pipe, and naturally has a high opinion of the merits of pipe. If he were a tanner, he might think the conduit should be made of leather. The Mayor-elect should remember that there is only one person in Los Angeles properly qualified to settle all questions offhand—only one who knows everything, is everything, has done everything and can tell everybody how to do any old thing in the world. It is unbecoming in Mr. Harper to trespass on the prerogative of Uncle Helne, who was the first to demand that the Owens River aqueduct be made burglar proof and suspended in the air from balloons to preserve it from damage by earthquakes.

WHAT'S SAID IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—Hungry as the after a taste of blood are not more ominous to sink their fangs in quivering flesh than our citizens to see the indicted Mayor and his boss meet a Roman spectacle by striped convicts. San Franciscans, like other humans, deify a man and then quickly nail him to the cross. In this instance the two victims have furnished the cross and the nails, while the people are well provided with hammers. His excellency, the Mayor, and his highness, the boss, technically are in a criminal dock this week and heard a judge call his docket containing first the name of a man accused of murder, and their names were called as being charged with extortion. A plea for delay was made as is usual when a defendant has a doubtful case.

Vanity is, indeed, a besetting sin and it is said that our indicted Mayor is more hurt by the editorial accusation of a local paper that he is a moral leper than he is by charges of graft that mountain high. Because of his musical environment as an orchestra leader in the past he has become such an accomplished poseur and as something friend of labor he has ingratiated himself into the belief that he is no idiot, moral or otherwise. His "dear friend," the boss, is also proud of his own reputation for cunning and he laughs at the appeal of Bulletin's Weekly to the San Francisco Bar Association to disbar him or else be convicted of calling a bribe a bribe. When they have both been triumphantly vindicated they will inaugurate a series of reprisals, journalistic and individual, but, of course, the organs of the smaller State papers will be swept as they have taken a friendly tone to the accused, acting under orders.

The number of indicted officials is increasing and they all console themselves with the thought that they will hang and fall with the Mayor. If he is acquitted they will be acquitted, and they read with glee of graft in the Volga and other parts of the earth.

The Labor Council has taken time by the whitefashing a delegate accused of stealing union funds to force the Supervisors to deny any more car railway franchises until the United Railways operate existing lines and use a lot of idle cars now in the present frightful congestion of passengers. Because of a lack of transfers the cars are jammed morning, noon and night, by people who for one fare are able to spend the day in traveling and do all their shopping, being homeward-bound at the time the working people wish to ride in the cars. General Manager Calhoun says that it will be all right next year when the cows come home and the platform men learn to like a manger.

The indictment of our police chief for a slight slip of his memory as to the presence of "the municipal boss" is taken hard by the crimson push because his open friendship for "Tim" Sullivan, their leader, has cost them his champions. He is not to blame for his friendship for the underworld and he would never think of ordering the pugilists and their backers out of town as Seattle's chief did. In fact, our pugilists are going to stay for a better time than ever before, for the fight trust has busted up and Referee Graney called the police to arrest a friend of Coffroth, his ex-partner, kicked him in the mouth.

Gelett Burgess of the Evening Post, who has a little careworn the other side on Fillmore street, when he is not on the road, when he has enough to make him stoop-shouldered. He is making a single-handed editorial fight against the four dailies and, in defense of the administration and a good fat city printing contract, he daily calls the Croakers, Hearst, De Young and Spreckels liars and plutocrats. He says that while he has worked most for the yellow papers he has worked for yellow papers; he has no use for yellow except once in a while.

when he had an attack of jaundice. He roasts the coal trust for gouging us out of $800,000 a month and says they ought to be put on ice at Truckee, where the ice crop is so big they cannot get men enough to harvest it.

A laborer, found dying here from starvation on Thanksgiving Day, was rather a sad criticism of the scientific relief which discouraged charity and thereby saved $4,000,000 which it does not know what to do with. Even the Cliff House seals had turkey last Thursday when a norther swept the decks of outward bound schooners. The New Orleans Times-Democrat suggests that a national relief fund be started with the $4,000,000, and I feel sure Congress would give a portion to it of the billion it is getting ready to spend.

One norther last week which was heralded by Prophet McAdie as breaking all records in town at sixty-four miles an hour, was a gentle zephyr, according to Lookout Hislop of the Merchants' Exchange, who told me that five years ago there was a wind of eighty-four miles an hour at Pt. Lobos and perhaps more, for it blew down the wind gauge.

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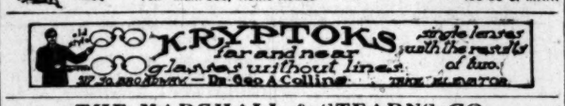
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The newest, the most exclusive the market affords. We sell good hand bags, not the cheap imitation leather kind. All kinds of leather, all colors, all sizes that are new and stylish, $2.50 to $25. We also show a nice line of finger purses which make most acceptable gifts.

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PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The office of gas and meter inspector was abolished yesterday by action of the City Council. It is said Mayor McAleer will veto the ordinance, as he believes the official is needed to make an investigation into gas supply conditions.

The City Council decided yesterday to readvertise for a fire engine house site in the district between Fifth, Sixth, Flower, Hope and Figueroa streets.

Public Librarian Lummis yesterday asked the Board of Public Works for advice as to the best method for securing funds to build a library in Central Park.

More civil service examinations are called for city employés.

The City Council yesterday decided to have a public hearing on the question of allowing an ostrich farm to locate near Eastlake Park. There are petitions from both advocates and protestants.

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AT THE CITY HALL.

CITY OFFICE IS ABOLISHED.

COUNCIL DOES AWAY WITH GAS METER INSPECTION.

Monthly Report Shows That Official Drawing Fat Salary Made Only Two Inspections, Collecting for the City Just One Dollar—Mayor May Veto Council's Action.

The city of Los Angeles is without the services of an official gas and meter inspector. But, judging by the past records of this office, the incumbent will not be missed.

The office was legislated out of existence yesterday afternoon by the City Council. This came about after the monthly report of Inspector L. C. Read had been read at the request of one of the Councilmen.

The report disclosed the fact that the inspector had made two tests during the month, and for this service had collected fees amounting to $1, which had been turned into the city treasury.

The salary of this inspector is $150 per month. His work was that of an average month. Councilman Smith moved that the office be abolished. He declared "This is getting to be a ridiculous proposition, and we must put an end to it." The Councilmen voted unanimously to abolish the office.

This abolishment has come, however, at a time when there is a demand for an inspector, if there ever was one. The gas famine of the past few weeks has aroused the people to demand an investigation of conditions which will permit such inconveniences and menaces to health, and the Board of Public Works, Mayor and City Attorney are casting about to determine just what form an investigation should be taken, and by whose authority.

Just what effect this doing away with the gas inspector's office will have on the proposed investigation is a question. Yesterday Mayor McAleer, City Attorney Matthews, City Attorney-elect Hewitt and Gas Inspector Read held a conference regarding the situation, and the inspector was instructed to gather certain data which is to be combined in a report to the City Council.

It is doubtful, in the opinion of the City Attorney, whether the Board of Public Works has any legal right to proceed with an investigation without further authority; but the Council can take up the subject and make provisions which will reach the case.

The formal repeal of the section of the ordinance creating the office of gas and meter inspector will require the presentation of an ordinance to be drawn by the City Attorney, even though the Council yesterday put itself on record. This will probably be presented at tomorrow's session. It was intimated last evening by those in close touch with Mayor McAleer that he will promptly veto the ordinance, as he believes that at the present time the official can be of much service to the city in the proposed investigation.

Councilman Hammon last evening declared that in case the Mayor vetoes the ordinance he would propose that the office be continued, but that all fees be abolished. This will allow people to call for tests at any time they suspect their meters are at fault or other gas troubles are suspected, without cost to the consumers.

DEATH'S TRAP.

WEDGED IN STORM SEWER.

W. J. Hicks of No. 1895 West Fifth street had a startling experience the other day while working for the city. He was employed to investigate the reason for the constant stoppage of the sixteen-inch storm sewer which runs forty feet underneath Sixth street at its intersection with Burlington avenue. He entered the sewer and managed to make his way back in the pipe to a distance of sixty feet, pushing a lantern on ahead of him when he suddenly found that a section of the sewer was caving in just ahead of him. Thoroughly scared he began to back out. His light was extinguished, and every moment he imagined he could feel the walls giving way as they pressed upon him. He had found as he made his original progress that the sewer pipe was shattered in many places and in his hurry to scramble out he dislodged many of these pieces. Hicks finally made his escape from what he was certain would be sure death, and he declared to the Board of Public Works yesterday that he would not go down into that hole again for $10,000. He reports that the entire section he traversed is liable to crumble down at any moment. The whole drain will have to be replaced, and unless done promptly property owners will suffer from the storm waters that are certain to accumulate. Notice was served on the board yesterday by property owners that they would hold the city responsible for any damages caused through this source.

NEW PUBLIC LIBRARY.

WHENCE SHALL IT COME?

Librarian Lummis has sent to the Board of Public Works a letter, asking an expression of opinion on the question of a bond issue for the purpose of erecting a public library building; as the advisability of a public subscription, perhaps in the form of an incorporation which would erect the building, and then turn it over to the city for maintenance under permanent conditions; or by direct appeal to Andrew Carnegie.

Lummis refers to the decision of the Supreme Court, in which the popular verdict of the people of this city is upheld, and the right to place the public library in Central Park is declared. He says:

"This is a question which concerns the whole city—and not only now but for generations to come. The board of library directors feels that a decision should be by consultation of the largest number of representative bodies and citizens that can be induced to share the responsibility."

He declares that the present library quarters will be adequate in space for three years, and that it will take that long to complete plans and erect such a building as is desired.

NEW SITE WANTED.

COUNCIL WILL READVERTISE.

The objection of many property owners to the city purchasing a lot in block 22½ of Ord's Survey, a lot on Flower street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, as a site for a new fire-engine house, was presented to the City Council yesterday, and caused much discussion.

It was stated that property could be secured at fully as desirable a location for half the cost. Councilman Smith championed the objectors. He declared that a suitable lot could be purchased so as to make a saving of at least $15,000 over the figures for the site selected.

"It seems to me that it has been the concern of the chief of the fire department, and of the Fire Commissioners to select sites that are on street railways, or some other place where there will be pleasant diversion for the fire boys while they are loafing. I am in favor of hunting out a cheaper site."

It was decided to readvertise for offers of lots, and this time it is desired to secure figures on lots lying between Fifth and Sixth, Hope, Flower and Figueroa streets.

Ostriches Cause Dissension.

Are ostriches a benefit to a neighborhood, or a detriment? This is the question on which the City Council will have to pass judgment on December 17. An ordinance has been prepared, at the request of certain citizens in the vicinity of Eastlake Park, prohibiting the placing of any ostrich far min that territory. At the same time there has come to the Council a petition from other property owners of the district, praying that this ordinance be not passed, and that the Council use its powers to encourage the establishment of an ostrich farm at or near the park, as they aver that such an institution will be the means of increasing the value of real estate thereabouts. A public hearing of the merits and demerits of ostriches as real estate boomers will take place on the date mentioned.

Florist Gowan Gets a Raise.

Florist William Gowan, whose splendid work at the Eastlake Park Conservatory has been a pleasure to thousands of Angelenos and tourists, yesterday had his monthly salary raised to $115 by the City Council, upon recommendation of the Park Commission. It is said Gowan has had more remunerative offers for his services from private parties, but his pride in the work accomplished at Eastlake Conservatory keeps him there.

Modern Accounting System.

The City Council yesterday authorized the Board of Public Works to expend $500 in the installation of a modern system of accounting and cost keeping in the bureau of the Los Angeles aqueduct. The Council also empowered this body, by the passage of a necessary ordinance, to employ the men needed to construct the outfall sewer.

Pay for Day Employees.

The City Council at yesterday's session gracefully adopted the request of the Board of Public Works that hereafter when the Council proposed to change the rate of pay or the hours of employment of any employé under the supervision of the board it confer with the board before so doing. Mayor McAleer had sent a veto to the ordinance proposing to give all day employés full pay for all holidays, except Sundays. Councilman Howton wanted to pass the ordinance over the Mayor's veto, but wiser council prevailed, and the last week's action was rescinded and the proposition was filed. Then the Council adopted by unanimous vote a motion that the Board of Public Works be requested to confer with the City Attorney with the view of "adopting a sane and satisfactory basis of hiring men under some other system than by the day."

More Examinations.

The Civil Service Commission has called examinations for Saturday, December 28, at the Turn Verein Gymnasium, No. 1345 South Figueroa street. The examinations include tests for drivers in the fire department, promotions from hosemen to drivers, hosemen. On the same date, at the Grand-avenue School there will be examinations of candidates for gas and meter inspector and inspector of reinforced concrete, tunnel foremen, foremen, carpenters and masons for the outfall sewer.

Association Protests.

C. S. James, Rev. O. V. Rice and J. P. Taggart, representing the Belmont Heights Improvement Association, yesterday morning made protest to the Board of Public Works over the condition of Kent street. They declare that Contractor Dunnigan, who has the contract for improving Bonnie Brae street, has hauled the surplus earth from this street out onto Kent street, and has left it there. Kent street is also to be improved, and this cannot be done until this earth is removed. They asked that a portion of the contract money for Bonnie Brae street be withheld until this work is done. The board will make investigations, and has summoned Dunnigan before it for an explanation.

New Branch Library.

A new branch of the Public Library is to be established the first of the year at the playgrounds No. 1, Violet and Mateo streets.

Want Elevated Bridge.

Attorney Clofelter, representing the Santa Fé Railway, appeared before the Board of Public Works yesterday and asked that plans be made for raising the new Seventh-street bridge when it is built, so that the Santa Fé Railroad will have a clear passageway under the westerly approach for its main line to San Diego. The matter has been referred jointly to the City Engineer and the railroad's district engineer. This change would require the extension of the approach a long distance westerly.

Election Officers' Pay.

A resolution was adopted by the City Council yesterday placing the compensation of election officers at the late city election at $10 each.

Consulting Engineers' Salaries.

It was discovered last week that the City Council had never formally ratified the plant to pay the board of consulting Engineers on the Owens River project the sums of $7500 each and expenses; and yesterday's session passed a resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to make a requisition for the proper amount for these salaries.

Proceedings Abandoned.

The City Council yesterday formally abandoned all proceedings for the widening of Maple avenue, between Fifth and Seventh streets, and for the opening of Darwin avenue, from Main to Douillard streets. Property owners in the Darwin avenue assessment district paid the sum of $1,401.90, the expense already incurred in that project, and on this consideration the work was abandoned.

Civil Service Examiner.

An ordinance was adopted by the City Council yesterday providing for the employment of a civil service examiner at a salary of $150 per month. The salary of the stenographer for this department was raised from $65 to $75 per month. There is no change in the salaries of other employés of this department.

Companies Want a Refund.

Both the Postal Telegraph and Cable Company and the Western Union Telegraph Company presented to the City Council yesterday demands for a refund of taxes paid under protest on an assessment of their franchises. They base their claims on a case in which the city of Fresno and a company operating under act of Congress were the principals and which was decided against the city. The demands were referred to the City Attorney for a report.

Will Advertise Franchise.

The City Council will sell to the highest bidder a franchise for an electric railroad extending as a continuation of the Garvanza line out through the New York and Eagle Rock valleys. The advertisement was ordered yesterday. This is the proposed line for which citizens have raised a $10,000 bonus.

More Alley Collections.

Superintendent of Garbage Collection Lofthouse has made a report to the Board of Public Works regarding the alley collections, in which he states that the experiment has proved fairly successful, although there is still much to be desired from householders in the proper placing of garbage cans. The board yesterday decided to apply the alley collection system to another district, and it will probably select a district in which there are many apartment houses.

Another Man Wrote Shakespeare.

Now it is Roger Manners, fifth Earl of Rutland, to whom a German scholar is attributing the plays of Shakespeare. The reference books say that a manuscript of "profitable instructions," written for his guidance, was probably by Lord Bacon. Perhaps this merely makes a circle of the old controversy. Did Bacon write Rutland's literary remains?

How She Broke the Cup.

Signora Veronelli (seeking a servant:) Why were you sent away from your last place?

"Because I broke a coffee cup."

"Was that the only reason?"

"Certainly, except that on that occasion my mistress had a little wound on the head."—[El Riso.

To Real Estate and other Classified Advertisers: The forthcoming Midwinter Number of The Times, to be issued January 1, 1907, will be a splendid medium for the exploitation of attractive real estate offerings. Thousands of copies will be mailed by citizens of Southern California to friends abroad who are figuring on emigrating to the Southwest. The rate will be 3 cents per word for classified announcements to run in the magazine section of this special issue. "Liner" copy will be received up to and including Dec. 27th.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

HOME IS NO LONGER HAPPY.

MOTHER-IN-LAW IS BLAMED FOR TROUBLE.

Former Brakeman on Espee Sues Her for Alienating His Wife's Affections and Asks Big Damages. Says Religious Fanaticism Is at Bottom of the Matter.

Fred R. King, recently a brakeman on the Southern Pacific, has brought suit against his mother-in-law, Mrs. Julia A. Marshall, for the alienation of his wife's affections and for inducing her to abandon her home and to take her children away with her. King claims $5000 as damages. He proposes to sue out a writ of habeas corpus and recover possession of his children, if he can.

The story lying behind this suit is rather exceptional. King married his wife in the East, and claims to have lived with her on most affectionate terms. He says that the trouble is of religious origin. While living in Chicago he claims that his mother-in-law first raised doubt and suspicion in the heart of his wife. The old woman is intensely religious, he says, and is a Catholic, as is Mrs. King. Mrs. Marshall, it is said, told her daughter that having linked her fate with a divorced man, she musn't think that she was married to him, for in the eyes of God she was not.

So constantly were these words dinned into the ears of his wife that she was made very unhappy, the husband says, and he tried to allay her fears, and did not raise any opposition when his wife and mother-in-law took the matter before high authorities of the church in Chicago. The church refused to meddle with the matter, except to say that though legally married under the law of the land, the marriage was not sanctioned by the church.

When Mrs. Marshall went to Los Angeles, King says that he and his wife and children were happy. But Mrs. Marshall, who was working as a nurse under Dr. McArthur, became ill and sent for her daughter. King was loth to come here and settle in the neighborhood of his mother-in-law, but he says that he loved his wife dearly and consented. The mother-in-law got better, and then, it is said, she again began to blame her daughter for living with a man in defiance of the commands of the church and of God.

King had furnished a nice little home for his family at No. 220 South Avenue Eighteen, but he was made anxious and unhappy by the unhappiness of his wife. Mrs. Marshall didn't visit his house, King says, but another daughter, Mrs. Molly Clifford, came constantly as an envoy from her mother to the young wife. Finally Mrs. King asked her husband if he wouldn't go to Rev. Father Harnett and seek counsel from him. King said he would do anything to give his wife peace of mind and restore happiness to their home. He says that he saw Father Harnett and was told that his wife had married innocently, not knowing that he was a divorced man, and that she was not in the same guilty position as himself, and that there should either be a separation or else he and his wife should live together as brother and sister.

The problem was solved when Mrs. King disappeared from her home, taking her two children with her. On December 3 King avers that he kissed his wife and babies goodby in the morning, and at night returned to an empty house. His wife took with her all the money there was, he says. He calls his mother-in-law a religious fanatic and blames her for all the trouble.

GETS FIVE YEARS.

BURGLAR'S PLEA FAILS.

Ferdinand Jaeschke is a young man who, in pleading guilty to the burglary charge before Judge Smith yesterday, claimed to have been compelled to participate in the crime at the point of a revolver.

Jaeschke and two other defendants are charged with breaking into Huber & Huber's store at No. 1822 South Main street, and stealing about 200 finger rings, 10 watch chains, a dozen lockets and a lot of other articles. After the defendants were arrested, all of the stolen property was recovered.

It was shown that one of the men broke in a door and Jaeschke told the court that he did it because he was threatened with death if he didn't do just what he was told.

Judge Smith sent him to Folsom for five years.

WILSON TRIAL NEARS END.

CASE GOES TO JURY MONDAY.

Earl Rogers completed his argument to the jury yesterday in the murder trial of Wilson, the Long Beach man who killed Wallace Belden last August. He said, in substance, that public opinion presented an iron front against all assaults upon innocent children.

Attorney Knight of Long Beach followed with a short argument in which he sought to show from the testimony that Wilson was not of sound mind and understanding.

Monday Maj. Donnell will close the case in behalf of the prosecution, and it will then go to the jury.

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We also have from Forsythe, Suits in White Serge—very dressy for carriage and street wear. These suits are absolutely new in design and effect—totally different from the models ordinarily shown.

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$2.00 $1.50 $1.50

MEN'S tan or black opera slippers, hand turn soles $1.50

MEN'S tan or black vici kid, hand turned soles, fancy trimmed $2.00

FELT SHOES AND SLIPPERS

LADIES' felt Juliets, fur trimmed Special 95c

LADIES' red, black, gray felt Juliets, fur trimmed, hand turn soles—made at Dolgeville, California $1.50

Full Line Felt Slippers for Children and Men.

A Nice Holiday Present Is One of Our SHOE ORDERS—Good at Any Time

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as opportunity presents itself, we will, on January 1907, make a further reduction of five cents per thousand cubic feet. This will make the rate

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Hill Near Seventh

$7.50 Silk Neck Ruffs and Boas for $1.98

Pretty shapes, long ruffled front pieces, and wide capes, collar or heavy ruffled round neck pieces, black, white and colors, any style and excellent values up to $7.50. See front window display, Monday, each $1.98

Magic Prices In Millinery

$6.50 Millinery $3.

Pretty tailored hats just received. Large line of newest and [illegible] styles, in all good colors, [illegible] and ornament trimmed. $[illegible] values Monday at $3.98.

$1.25 Untrimmed Shapes 25c

Shapes in navy, brown, champagne, gray, green, garnet [illegible] some black hats may be found [illegible] this line. $1.25 values Monday 25c.

$2.50 Street Hats 98c

Street hats made of braid, drap[illegible] felts, stitched felts, and fan[illegible] blocked shapes. These are la[illegible] flared shapes, sailors, and clo[illegible] fitting toques. Values to $2.[illegible] Monday 98c.

Stiff Bosom Shirts at One Half



Regular $1.00 Shirts at 49 Cents

Just half the original price. A brand of shirts that's well known all through the East. They are all stiff bosoms with separate cuffs, and in a big assortment of patterns, stripes and figures. Sizes 14 to 17. Assorted sleeve lengths. They are all open front and back and one of the best fitting, best wearing and best made shirts. They go on sale Monday at 49c each.

Men's Half Hose

Hermsdorf black lisle thread and cotton half hose in neat silk embroidered figures. Good values at 39c, Monday 25c a pair, or 6 prs. for $1.39.

Initial Handkerchiefs for Men

Special men's fine linen hemstitched initial handkerchiefs, put up 6 in box, at 35c each, or $1.75 a box.

$1.50 and $1.69 Dresden and Pompadour Silks 98c

Mostly white or light grounds, beautiful combination of colorings and figures, a fine time to buy an evening dress; a dressy shirtwaist or silks for fancy work. Actual values to $1.69. Monday 98c a yard.

$1.35 36-Inch Taffeta $1.15

A soft rustling black silk, rich black, full yard wide, a good $1.35 value. Monday $1.15.

98c Wool Crepe and French Serge 75c

Crepe Egyptian and light fine serge, good colors in fine fabrics for present wear, finely woven, desirable goods that makes up handsomely. 98c values Monday 75c.

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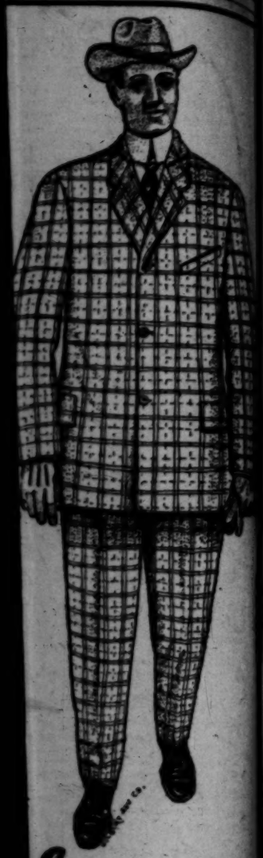
Oriental rugs in small and medium sizes and Canebaugh rugs in rich patterns and at 1-3 less than regular price.

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$1.98

Good Trades in Skirts

$16.50 Voile Skirts $12.50

Made of fine quality voiles, trimmed with bands of taffeta, knife and box plaited, with folds of same material, chiffon taffeta drop skirt, $16.50 values at $12.50.

$6.50 Walking Skirts $3.98

Made in fine suitings in light plaid and mixtures, gored, plaited, side, front and back, two rows strappings of same material, full flare. Skirts usually sold at $6.50, Monday at $3.98.

Store Superiority

These busy Christmas days besides demonstrating the superiority of the 5th Street Store in the matter of value giving are showing up its supremacy in store service.

Quickest change service here, promptest deliveries, most intelligent and obliging salespeople and the best handled crowds.

Maybe it's because there are always crowds here that the extra Christmas throngs do not bother us to handle. Anyway you take it the best shopping place is here. ALL our facilities are at your disposal. USE US LARGELY TOMORROW.

PRIZE WINNERS

IN THE NOVEMBER DUPLICATE SALES CHECK CONTEST

Below are given the names of the winners according to anouncement in last Sunday's papers:

Miss Therece Shilling, 344 S. Flower St.
Mrs. M. P. Sjostrom, 1824½ S. Jefferson St.
Mrs. A. W. Kirk, 2823 Brooklyn Ave.
Mrs. J. Byrne, 219 E. 29th St.
Mrs. B. B. Welsh, 813 S. Olive St.
Mrs. C. N. Nittel, 624 N. Bailey St.

$27.50 Women's Tailor Suits $19.50

Made in Cheviot, Panama, Venetian, Broadcloth; Jackets are Peplon, Eton, semi-fitting, Prince Chap styles; nicely trimmed with velvet, braids, fancy buttons, satin and silk lined, skirt gored and plaited, strapped and trimmed with folds of same materials, made in plaid, check, plain, navy, brown, gray, green and black. Values to $27.50 at

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$27.50 Women's Silk Rubberized Coats $18.50

New and popular rain and dust coats, have flat collars and fancy cuffs of stitched taffeta, box back, full length, colors are navy, tan, red, black and brown. Values $27.50 at $18.50.

The 5th STREET Store
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$4.50 Furs $2.98

Beautiful fur scarf in French, Coney, Imitation River, Mink, with six tails, chain clasp, values to $4.50 at $2.98.

$7.50 Furs $5.00

Nobby fur scarfs in new four-in-hand styles, Imitation Ermine, Mink, Jap Mink, Seal, values to $7.50 at $5.00.

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns FREE

A SPECIAL OFFER TO ALL WOMEN

We will give four dress patterns free to any lady who will bring to our pattern counter a club of two yearly subscriptions to the Ladies' Home Journal, at the regular price, $1.50 each.

At least one of the names in the club MUST BE A NEW SUBSCRIBER to the Ladies' Home Journal. The second name may be the club-raiser's own subscription, whether new or renewal.

The two subscriptions, accompanied by $3.00, must be mailed or delivered at the same time to our Ladies' Home Journal pattern counter. Four patterns orders will be issued to those who wish to select their patterns later.

Get some friend to give you $1.50 for her NEW subscription to The Ladies' Home Journal. This new name, with your own subscription at $1.50, makes the club of two yearly subscriptions, which entitles you to any four Ladies' Home Journal Dress Patterns.



39c Oval Trays 19c

39c oval trays, made of clear white basswood, stamped in a big variety of floral fruit and facial designs. Monday at 19c each.

$1.50 Long Silk Gloves $1.00

$3.00 pyrography outfits, complete with bulb, black and white, all sizes, heavy silk and good values at $1.50. Full 16-button length. Monday at $1.00 per pair.

$3.00 Pyrography Outfits $1.98

$3.00 pyrography outfits, complete with bulb, tube, fine platinum point, cork handles, 2 bottles, art stain, practice pieces, lamp, benzoine and bottle, all put up in basswood box stamped, a variety of designs for burning. Monday for $1.98 each.

Golden Fleece Yarn 10c

Now is the time to buy the yarn for Xmas shawls, jackets, mittens, etc., while the stock is full and the lines are not broken. The famous golden fleece brand yarn is worth much more than the common run of yarn, but sold here at lower prices than yarn not nearly as good. Shetland floss, Germantown, per skein, 10c.

$12.50 Women's Silk Eton Jackets $7.98

Odd lot silk jackets in chiffon taffeta, trimmed with applique and silk diamond braid, around collars and cuffs and down front, lined with satin and taffeta, plaited front and back. Values to $12.50 at $7.98.



$12.50 Women's Covert Jacket $4.98

Women's covert jackets, made of fine French coverts, flat collars, semi-fitting and fitted styles, strapped and stitched, satin or taffeta lining. All sizes. Values to $12.50 at $4.98.

$15.00 Women's Plaid Coats $9.50

Made of all wool cheviot in plaid and checks, flat and turnover collars of velvet, cuffs to match, finished in braid, box back, full 7-8 length. Values to $15.00 at $9.50.

$20.00 Women's Coat $14.98

Made in fine cheviot and cloaking, plaid, in light and dark, flat collar, inlaid with velvet and broadcloth, finished in braid and fancy buttons, box back with strap of same material, full flare, 7-8 length. $20.00 value at $14.98.

$12.50 Children's Coats $7.98

Made of all wool Kerseys or mixtures, and plaid box and plaited back, velvet collar, trimmed with braid, fancy buttons, with belt, plain colors in tan, navy, red, brown and plaid. Values to $12.50 at $7.98.

Stiff Bosom Shirts at One Half



Regular $1.00 Shirts at 49 Cents

Just half the original price. A brand of shirts that's well known all through the East. They are all stiff bosoms with separate cuffs, and in a big assortment of patterns, stripes and figures. Sizes 14 to 17. Assorted sleeve lengths. They are all open front and back and one of the best fitting, best wearing and best made shirts. They go on sale Monday at 49c each.

Men's Half Hose

Hermsdorf black lisle thread and cotton half hose in neat silk embroidered figures. Good values at 39c, Monday 25c a pair, or 6 prs. for $1.39.

Initial Handkerchiefs for Men

Special men's fine linen hemstitched initial handkerchiefs, put up 6 in box, at 35c each, or $1.75 a box.

$1.50 and $1.69 Dresden and Pompadour Silks 98c

Mostly white or light grounds, beautiful combination of colorings and figures, a fine time to buy an evening dress; a dressy shirtwaist or silks for fancy work. Actual values to $1.69. Monday 98c a yard.

$1.35 36-Inch Taffeta $1.15

A soft rustling black silk, rich black, full yard wide, a good $1.35 value. Monday $1.15.

98c Wool Crepe and French Serge 75c

Crepe Egyptian and light fine serge, good colors in fine fabrics for present wear, finely woven, desirable goods that makes up handsomely. 98c values Monday 75c.

On Sale 8 to 10 a. m.

$1.00 White Lace Curtains 49c pr.

Good, white lace curtains with plain centers and pretty floral scroll and medallion borders, best button hole stitched edges, 3 yds. long. Regular $1.00 curtains, Monday from 8 to 10 a.m., at 49c a pair.

7c Calicoes 5c.

Standard prints in dark and medium blue, gray, red and black and white. 7c qualities Monday from 8 to 10 a. m., at 5c.

8c Outing Flannel 5 1-2c.

Outing flannels in stripes and checks, good durable quality, Monday from 8 to 10 a.m., 5 1-2c.

8c Checked Ginghams 6c.

Apron ginghams in a variety of blue checks, fast colors, 8c quality Monday, 8 to 10 a.m., 6c.

7 1-2c Unbleached Muslin, 4 1-2c.

36-inch unbleached muslin, good, firm quality worth 7 1-2c, Monday from 8 to 10 a.m., 4 1-2c.

The Basement Furnishes These
Supremely Attractive Values



French Coffee Machine

The modern coffee maker; makes the best coffee that can be produced; finely nickel plated; priced at $5.50, $6.50 and $7.50.

Haviland China Dinner Sets

A dainty French china dinner set is the pride of every housewife. What nicer gift could we suggest? Splendid savings Monday. All decorated ware and open stock patterns:

$26.00 50-piece Haviland set, special.....$18.95
$30.00 57-piece Haviland set, special.....$22.95
$46.50 100-piece Haviland set, special.....$29.90



CHAFING DISHES—A generous saving here; our chafers are equipped with the very latest improved lamp.

$5.00 Chafers priced at.....$3.98
$6.50 Chafers priced at.....$4.98
$7.50 Chafers priced at.....$5.98
$8.50 Chafers priced at.....$6.98



PLATE RACKS for wall decoration, a place for those jolly steins and pretty plates; weathered oak finish. Monday 69c, 98c, $1.69.



Fancy Haviland China

Dainty French China at the price of German.

Fancy Haviland China cups and saucers 39c
Fancy Haviland China plates 25c, 35c, 39c, 49c
Fancy Haviland China cake plates 98c
Fancy Haviland China creamers 69c, 79c, 98c
Fancy Haviland China olives 48c, 65c, 85c

And dozens of other gift suggestions in Haviland China will be featured Monday.

RICH CUT GLASS—Special sale Monday, with most desirable pieces; nothing nicer for Xmas gifts.

NAPPIES—Two sizes, $2.00 values. Special, $1.49.

HANDLED OLIVE DISHES—$2.50 values, special, $1.75.



$4 CUT GLASS $2.98

New line just arrived: 8-inch berry bowls, handsome vases, water bottles, sugar and cream sets, etc. $4.00 values, Monday, choice, $2.98.

50c COVERED STEINS 39c—Hundreds to choose from; all sizes. Buy these 50c covered steins Monday, at 39c.

JOLLY MONK STEINS—Several subjects; choice 48c.

JOLLY MONK PLAQUES—To match; choice, 48c.

On Sale 8 to 10 a. m.

$1 Fountain Pens 69c

Guaranteed 14K gold pens, chased and plain barrel, fully guaranteed to give satisfaction, each in box with filler and directions. Regular $1.00 pens, 8 to 10 a.m., 69c.

35c Fancy Colored Pictures 19c.

Fancy colored Passe Partout pictures, large size, good subjects, including Bryson's Widows, Campbell's heads, Japanese maids, Newsboys, French heads, etc., in colors. Regular 35c pictures, Monday 8 to 10 for 19c each.

$1.50 Five-foot Smyrna Rugs 98c.

Good, heavy, reversible Smyrna Rugs, 30 inches wide, 5 ft. long, with heavy fringed ends. Rugs worth $1.50 each, Monday from 8 to 10 a.m., 98c each.

15c Fancy Figured Silkolines 3 1-2c.

2000 yards mill remnants of fancy figured silkolines in oriental and floral designs for comforts and draperies; silkolines worth up to 15c a yd., Monday from 8 to 10 a.m., for 3 1-2c.

On Sale In the Pit



$2.00 Vanity Purses $1.00

Hand vanity purses made from genuine leather in walrus, seal and Morocco grains; leather and moire lined; 3 and 4 pockets; one with clasp fastening; gilt and oxidized frames; new shapes in black, brown, green, tan and gray; values to $2.00. Monday in the Pit, $1.00.

$2.00 Carriage and Envelope Bags $1.00

Extra large size shopping bags made from real leather in Morocco, seal and walrus grains; finely lined with leather and fitted inside with purse; also some lined with moire and fitted inside with card case, purse and mirror; leather covered riveted frames; latest shapes in black and brown. Monday in the Pit at $1.00.

$5.00 Leather Bags $1.98

Carriage, envelope and vanity shapes; made from real leathers in walrus, seal and Morocco; also some imported bags nicely lined with leather and silk and fitted inside with latest fittings; all the latest in black, brown, tan, blue and gray; regular values to $5.00. Monday $1.98 each.

$1.00 Souvenir Spoons 69c

Sterling silver souvenir spoons in French gray and bright finishes; some beautifully embossed with California views; others nicely engraved with "Los Angeles;" regular $1.00 spoons. Monday, 8 to 10, 69c each.

25c Sterling Thimbles 10c

Good weight sterling silver thimbles; plain and embossed borders; all sizes; regular 25c thimbles. Monday, each, 10c.

House Garments for Women

Travelers' Sample Silk Petticoats, One-Fourth Off

100 travelers' samples of fancy plaid, plain and brocade silk petticoats, in fancy colors, black and white, richly trimmed, perfectly made petticoats at just ¼ less than regular price Monday.



$35.00 silk petticoats, each $26.25
$25.00 silk petticoats, each $18.75
$20.00 silk petticoats, each $15.00
$15.00 silk petticoats, each $11.25
$10.00 silk petticoats, each $7.50
$8.00 silk petticoats, each $6.00

$7.50 Eiderdown Bath Robes $4.98

Women's eiderdown bath robes with and without collars; trimmed with wide satin bands on collars, sleeves and down fronts; silk cord girdles and loops; colors red, light blue and gray; $7.50 bath robes. Monday for $4.98.

$3.50 Eiderdown Dressing Sacques $2.48

Fancy eiderdown dressing sacques trimmed with wide satin bands and silk loops and fastenings; pretty colors; worth $3.50 each. Monday $2.48.

$10.00 Fancy Silk Shirt Waists $4.98

Sample line of fancy taffeta silk waists in pretty colors with handsome lace trimmed yokes, sleeves and collars; swell waists worth up to $10.00 each. Monday for $4.98.

$6 Fancy Wool Waists $2.98

Fancy nuns' veiling and brilliantine shirt waists with swell silk and lace trimmed yokes and sleeves; all the best of colors to choose from; waists worth up to $6.00. Monday for $2.98.

$1.50 Long Fleece Lined Kimonos, 98c

Women's long kimonos made of fleece lined materials, navy blue, with small and large size polkadots, trimmed with wide bands of plain materials. $1.50 kimonos Monday for 98c each.

$1.50 Sweater Jackets for Women 98c

Good warm heavy knit ribbed Jersey sweater jackets for women. Pearl button trimmed in black or red. Regular $1.50 sweaters Monday for 98c.

$2.50 Women's Xmas Slippers $1.45

Large assortment of the very best grade felt, with imported fur top trimmings in a variety of colors, some have silk roped vamps, others have fancy ribbon bows, most useful and beautiful as gifts. $2.50 value, $1.45.



$3.50 Men's Shoes $2.45



Men's shoes suitable for either dress or street wear, in patent colt skin, box calf, or vici kid. Made over a straight or swing last, giving a dressy effect, at the same time insuring perfect comfort.

$5 and $6 Women's Fine Shoes $2.95

The celebrated Laird, Schoeler & Co. make, the very latest styles in patent colt skin or kid, in lace or button, with French, Cuban or military heels, a large variety of up to date footwear in this lot for either dress or street wear. Values up to $6.00, Monday $2.95.

Men's $2 Holiday Slippers $1.45

Just what they want. We have so many styles we are bound to please them. Opera, Everett or Romeo styles, with warm chamois skin linings, either black or chocolate colored kid with rounded shapely toes. $2.00 values at $1.45.

$2.00 Women's Comfort Shoes and Juliettes $1.39

Come in hand turn flexible soles with low broad heels and are made from the softest of vici kid, plain rounded toes or with tip, some are cut high in front and back, others are in lace. They will not only wear well, but will hold their shape, insuring comfort throughout the life of the shoe.

59c Ready Made Sheets 39c

Seamed sheets for double beds, good heavy quality, excellent for hotel use. 59c values Monday 39c.

$1.00 Bedspreads 69c

Bed spreads for double beds in neat crochet patterns. Regular $1 values, 69c each.

59c Mercerized Damask 39c

Heavy mercerized damask, 56 inches wide, permanent finish and very good patterns. 59c values Monday 39c.

Oriental Rugs at ½ Less Than Regular

Oriental rugs in small and medium sizes, Kazaks, Sheraz, Persian and Canebaugh rugs in rich patterns and colors. On sale Monday at 1-3 less than regular price.

Oriental Rugs for Xmas Gifts BUY EARLY

$75.00 Oriental Rugs Monday for $50.00
$50.00 Oriental Rugs Monday for $33.33
$35.00 Oriental Rugs Monday for $23.33
$25.00 Oriental Rugs Monday for $16.66

15c Brass Extension Rods 5c

Polished brass extension rods with fancy beaded ball ends; rods extend from 30 to 50 inches; complete with brackets. Rods that retail about town for 15c each, here Monday for 5c.

$1 Soft Cotton Blankets 75c

Good soft fleecy 10-4 cotton blankets in white, gray or tan, with fancy borders. Regular $1 blankets Monday for 75c.

$2 Thick 11-4 Blankets $1.48

Extra thick warm 11-4 twilled blankets in gray, tan or white, with pretty borders, shell stitched ends. Regular $2 blankets Monday for $1.48.

$5 All Wool Scarlet Blankets $3.98

Good big soft all wool scarlet blankets with pretty black striped borders. Blankets worth $5 a pair, Monday for $3.98.

$3 Imported Robe Blankets $1.25

German bath robe blankets, large size (2x2½,) for bath and lounging robes, etc. Slightly soiled robes, worth $3 each, Monday for $1.25.

$2.50 Fine Silkoline Comforts $1.98

Good big soft white cotton comforts with best quality fancy figured silkoline covers, hand tufted comforts. Worth $2.50, Monday for $1.98.

65c Fancy Kimono Silk 49c

Fancy printed silks in swell Oriental and floral designs, rich coloring for kimonos, draperies and fancy work; 30 inches wide. Worth 65c a yard, Monday for 49c a yard.

12½c Hemmed Towels 9c

18x36 hemmed huck towels, the best bedroom towel for the money in Los Angeles. 12½c value Monday for 9c each, or $1 a dozen.

20c Fast Black Sateen 12½c

Fast black dress sateen, fine soft finish. 20c value for 12½c.

12½c Plain Outings 9c

Plain outing flannel in white, cream, pink and blue, a heavy soft twilled flannel. 12½c values Monday 9c.

79c Seamless Sheets 59c.

81x90 seamless sheets, an excellent quality of soft finish heavy sheeting, torn and hemmed. 79c values, Monday 59c.

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A Comparison

Three or four years ago "Marconi" stock was begging purchasers at fifty cents a share on the dollar, the same as we are asking for Murry Marine Steady-Floating Steel Structures Company Stock today. The latest quotation we have seen of "Marconi" is $154.00 per share.

Its Birth Place

Los Angeles is the birth place of this great discovery of a new application of a basic principle by William Edward Murray, and here we are making our first offering of stock and giving the people of Los Angeles and vicinity the first opportunity to subscribe for shares.

A Possibility

Today twenty (20) shares of Murray Marine will cost you $100.00; one hundred (100) shares will cost you $500.00. It is possible you will have an opportunity of selling this stock at from $35.00 a share to even a higher price within twelve months.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

An Offering of Industrial Stock.

The present special offerings of 15,000 shares of Murray Marine Steady-Floating Steel Structures Company stock is for the purpose of providing an immediate fund that will enable the management to properly present our meritorious inventions to: (a) The government at Washington. (b) A Boston syndicate of wealthy gentlemen, who by letters and telegrams, have evinced great interest. (c) Pittsburgh parties who are acting in behalf of the United States Steel Company.

An immediate demonstration on the high seas, or at least in open water, is now desirable and timely, and to this end the officers and directors have decided to provide sufficient cash to defray in a dignified manner, the expense of giving model demonstration in the "White House" at Washington and to certain moneyed centers, where already a surprising interest has manifested itself. That the company and stockholders will have an opportunity to sell if they should elect to do so, at anywhere from $35.00 to $70.00 a share for their holdings, seems more than likely, but in order to bring this about, certain preliminary work must be hastened to completion, and for this reason the present special offering of 15,000 shares at $5.00 per share (par value $10.00) is being offered.

Parties wishing to participate in the present special offering of $5.00 per share for Murray Marine Steady-Floating Steel Structures stock—stock non-assessable, can do so by calling on or writing for further particulars to the company. Free demonstration with models. Call from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at the office of

THE MURRAY MARINE STEADY-FLOATING STEEL STRUCTURES CO.
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Remember—"there is a tide in the affairs of men which, taken at its flood, leads on to fortune." There is no time like the "present" Come in and see us, make a crucial investigation and you will in all probability invest.

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One of the wealthiest and most conservative financial institutions in California, is the Registrar and Transfer Agent of every share of the stock of this Company.

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The stock of the Murray Marine Company is an "Industrial" stock, pure and simple, and we venture the prophecy it will be as valuable as U. S. Steel preferred stock in the very near future.

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Closing Out Sale in the Bargain Basement

Hundreds of Opportunities for Practical Gift Buyers

Your Selections Will Be Stored Free and Delivered When You Say



This Department Will Be Closed Out At Once

Our department of Office Furniture needs more room. It is imperative that it be arranged for at once. After considering all possible changes we have decided to do away with our Bargain Basement. We have only six days in which to do the work, but coming at a time when hundreds are searching for odd pieces for Christmas gifts we anticipate no trouble in doing it. Because we call it the "Bargain Basement" don't get the idea that it is used only for low grade goods. On the contrary all grades including the very highest are all represented. Select what pieces you want, pay a deposit and we will hold them subject to your delivery order. Remember, the sale is for one week only, and act accordingly.

Prices are Reduced from One-Third to One-Half—A Deposit Will Hold Your Purchase

Sideboards, Buffets, Side Tables and China Closets



Great chances if you are considering a dining-room piece for a gift to someone. Every piece we offer is in good condition—modern in design and prices are certainly low enough to demand attention:

$22.50 Side Table $15.00
(Solid mahogany.)

$28.00 Buffet $14.50
(Weathered oak.)

$32.00 Side Table $18.50
(Weathered oak.)

$35.00 Buffet $19.00
(Quartered golden oak.)

Buy nothing but the best lines in any grade of dining-room furniture. You can't find better goods, no matter where you go.

$55.00 Buffet $27.50
(Fumed oak.)

$75.00 Sideboard $40.00
(Weathered oak.)

The China Closets

Are at the top of the list for values. The quantity is not large so you had better come early if you are interested.

$45.00 China Closet $30.00
(Weathered oak.)

$45.00 China Closet $30.00
(Quartered golden oak.)

$45.00 China Closet $30.00
(Tuna Mahogany.)

$60.00 China Closet $42.00
(Weathered oak.)



Odd Chairs by the Hundred



And all marked at a price which will make them go. There are many places where they can be used to "fill in"—we have all woods and finishes and naturally a great variety of designs.



Bedroom Rockers

Good idea for a gift to the wife. We have several of them—all marked at about 40 per cent less than regular. Snaps at $2.50, $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00.

Dining Chairs

Too many of them to give prices, but you'll find that you will pay about a third less on the average. In some cases we have four alike. You have something like 200 designs to choose from and a range of prices comparatively large. We buy our chairs from the best factories in the world—you can't get them any better.



Office Chairs

Office men will find some great bargains here in odd arm chairs. We have one, two and three alike—most of them in golden oak. The designs are so conventional that they will fit in with most any combination in the same finish. Prices are cut very deeply. They are not as valuable to us as they are to you.

Dressers in Every Finish

And a Good Range of Prices:

$22.00 Dresser $13.50
(Solid golden oak.)

$25.00 Dresser $16.50
(Tuna mahogany finish.)

$27.50 Dresser $17.00
(Mahogany finish.)

$36.00 Dresser $25.00
(Quartered golden oak.)

$70.00 Dresser $40.00
(Bird's eye maple.)



Two Piece Suite

A chiffonier and dressing table in solid mahogany, beautifully carved. Reduced from $134.50 to $75.00.



Birds Eye Maple Suite

A dresser, a bed, a princess dresser and a dressing table. Reduced from $170.00 to $107.50.

Splendid Chiffonier Assortment

$40.00 CHIFFONIER $22.50
(Quartered Golden Oak.)

$40.00 CHIFFONIER $27.50
(Mahogany.)

$43.75 CHIFFONIER $25.00
(Mahogany.)

$50.00 CHIFFONIER $30.00
(Tuna Mahogany.)

$47.50 CHIFFONIER $28.00
(Bird's Eye Maple.)

$60.00 CHIFFONIER $37.00
(Quartered Golden Oak.)

$90.00 CHIFFONIER $45.00
(Mahogany.)

Saving Certain in Iron Beds



There's a long row of iron beds for you to choose from. You will find all the popular colors and combinations of colors. We quote prices on full size beds only, but we have the smaller sizes marked in proportion. Don't miss this chance at a bed bargain:

$3.25 BEDS $1.75
$3.75 BEDS $2.00

Wooden Beds Reduced Half

Half price is the rule with these beds. We offer a number from suites of various woods—all woods and finishes, and a splendid variety of designs.

$ 6.75 BEDS .....$ 4.00
$11.50 BEDS .....$ 8.00
$22.50 BEDS $12.00
$35.00 BEDS $21.00
$34.00 BEDS $18.50
$42.50 BEDS $25.00
$20.00 CHILD'S CRIB $10.00
(Brass Trimmed.)

Unusual Opportunities in Parlor Pieces



$27.50 PARLOR CHAIR $15.00
$20.00 PARLOR CHAIR $10.00
$40.00 ARM CHAIR $20.00
(Carved Frame, Tapestry Upholstery)
$12.50 CORNER CHAIR $7.00
$15.00 CORNER CHAIR $8.50
$19.50 CORNER CHAIR $12.00
(Solid Mahogany)
$35.00 SETTEE $19.75
$10.00 ARM CHAIR $6.50

Three Piece Suite

Colonial design, a settee and two arm chairs. Reduced from $35.00 to $18.50.

Scores of other pieces all marked on the same reduction basis.

Bookcases, Magazine Racks and Library Tables

BOOK CASES

$12.00 BOOK CASE .....$ 8.00
(Weathered Oak)

$28.00 BOOK CASE $18.50
(Weathered Oak)

$30.00 BOOK CASE $16.50
(Weathered Oak)

$39.00 BOOK CASE $27.00
(Fumed Oak)

$60.00 BOOK CASE $30.00
(Corner Case—Mahogany)



Magazine Racks

$10.50 MAGAZINE RACKS $7.00
(Weathered Oak)

$13.50 MAGAZINE RACKS $7.50
(Weathered Oak)

$16.50 MAGAZINE RACKS $9.00
(Weathered Oak)

Library Tables

$26.00 LIBRARY TABLES $16.00
(Weathered Oak)

$42.00 LIBRARY TABLES $32.00
(Weathered Oak)

$55.00 LIBRARY TABLES $27.50
(Weathered Oak)

Miscellaneous Bargains

$18.00 Ladies' Desk .....
(Bird's eye maple.)

$4.50 Pedestal .....
(Fumed or weathered oak.)

$3.50 Tabourette .....
(Verais Martin finish.)

$2.00 Tabourette .....

$1.25 Foot Stools .....

$17.50 Bedside Tables $8.50
(Bird's eye maple and Mahogany.)

$65.00 Hall Seat and Book Case $32.00

$31.50 Cheval Mirror $18.00
(Walnut.)

$48.00 Work Table $22.50
(Mahogany.)

And we might go on indefinitely telling of odd pieces of all kinds. The best plan is for you to come and look the stock over for yourself.

Curtain Material and Portieres Half Price

One of the big features of this great Closing Out Sale. One and two pairs of each design in portieres; various designs in curtain material by the yard.

We are also closing out a big lot of Remnant Rugs at about half price.

Morris Chairs are Represented, Too

One at $8.75

Worth $10.50. Made of solid golden oak—a good strong frame. Velour cushions of good quality in a variety of colors are included at this price.

One at $14.00

Worth $20.00. Made in weathered oak with velour upholstered cushions. Has the foot rest extension.



Children's Morris Chairs

Great suggestion for a practical, sensible gift for the child. They are made in solid golden oak and velour cushions are included.

$4.00 Chairs $2.25
$6.00 Chairs $3.25
$7.00 Chairs $3.75

Parlor Tables Bargain Prices

$1.50 PARLOR TABLE $1.00
(Mahogany finish)

$2.25 PARLOR TABLE $1.75
(Mahogany finish)

$2.50 PARLOR TABLE $2.00
(Mahogany finish)

$4.50 PARLOR TABLE $2.75
(Bird's-eye Maple)

$6.50 PARLOR TABLE $3.75
(Weathered Oak)

$20.00 PARLOR TABLE $10.00
(Weathered Oak)

Leather Upholstered Furniture

A good selection in high grade pieces, full leather upholstered, and in most cases in mahogany frames.

$32.00 ARM CHAIR $16.00
$34.00 ARM CHAIR $20.00
$35.00 ARM CHAIR $22.50
$42.00 ARM CHAIR $25.00
$60.00 ARM CHAIR $25.00
$100.00 SETTEE $45.00

Two Rocker Specials

A solid oak chair in both cases with the exception of the seat which is golden ash. The rockers are well built, well finished in golden oak. We have a limited number of these to sell on this reduction basis.

$2.75 Rockers $1.90
$2.25 Rockers $1.60

Barker Bros

413-5-7 S. Main St. 420-2-4 S. Spring St.

NEWS OF THE MINES—Review of Week.

OUTLIVED USEFULNESS.

MINERS' CONVENTION WAS A DISAPPOINTMENT.

California Association Said to Have Been Perverted to Uses of Land Grabbers and Schemers—An Example to Be Avoided by Los Angeles Chamber of Mines.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—The California Miners' Association has come and gone, and while there was a great blaze of trumpets as to the large number of delegates who would be in attendance and the prominent mining men who would be on hand to deliver addresses, for some reason they failed to materialize, and the convention was a frost. As Vice-President Denton observed, after viewing the many empty chairs in the hall, it was time for the miners to either support the association or disband. He complained of the lack of funds, and Secretary E. J. Ensign, who was at one time a Justice of the Peace in the city of Bay'n Climate, began to "sit up and take notice." He probably wondered if the funds would be forthcoming to pay for the stationery.

The chairman looked in vain for the appearance of Gov. Pardee, Gov.-elect Gillette, Jake Neff, who used to be a wheel horse of the association, and his honor, Mayor E. E. Schmitz. The latter had a legitimate excuse, for about that time he had business with Assistant Dist.-Atty. Francis J. Heney. John Hays Hammond, who had been heralded for an address, failed to show up, as did also a large number of prominent mining men, who, the press agent of the association had given the public to understand, would surely be on hand.

PRESS AGENT FAKES.

It is suspected that in order to bolster up the meetings of the association the secretary sends invitation to every miner of prominence he can learn of, and suggests a subject upon which the association would be pleased to hear from him, and then passes it up to the press that Mr. So-and-so will deliver an address on such a subject. It is presumed that in 1907 the association will have a membership of three, i. e., the president, secretary and janitor.

The Southern California delegation of the new Chamber of Mines, who were invited to come to this city and learn practical methods of how not to conduct an association, were also conspicuous by their absence. They evidently thought that an amalgamation of their Chamber of Mines with the remnants of the California Miners' Association was not desirable.

That the California Miners' Association has fallen into a state of "innocuous desetude," is evident by the way the real miners of the State have of recent years shunned it. Now and then some poor, misguided miner, who had come to the city more to view the ruins or to sample some of the firewater, he had been assured was mellowed by the action of the great fire, dropped in, but when he viewed the slim attendance and saw none of his kind, but a straggling lot of lawyers, politicians and a few machinery men, who laid in wait to sell him a hoist or an air drill, he shook his head, withdrew and wondered where the eminent speakers were and if he had not made a mistake and entered the grand jury room.

RELATED RESOLUTIONS.

While waiting for the eminent speaker, some one thinks it about time to offer a resolution, as some showing for the existence of the association must be made, and one is offered to have a law passed to stop frauds in mining.

By this time Judge Davis is on his feet and tells the offerer of the resolution to wake up; that the best law that could be enacted was placed in the statutes two years ago.

Then there was a discussion of the best means to prevent an overproduction of gold, and it was finally agreed that if there should be one the blame should be placed on the d—d Chinaman. For some reason the Jap could not be brought into the controversy.

Frank Short of Fresno then took the stand, and while Frank is known politically all over the State, it was not presumed that he had developed into an oil expert. However, he acquitted himself ably by roasting the railroads, which is always a good subject, and is sure to evoke applause. Short also advocated that the oil men pour all their petroleum into San Francisco. He thought it might in some way assist in rebuilding the city. Anyway, it would keep down the mortar dust.

Before adjournment the National Relief and Red Cross Committee advised the convention that it had 10,000 pounds of dynamite on hand, which it did not know what to do with, and thought perhaps it might be used to advantage in blowing up absent members. As but few present had any use for dynamite or knew anything of the manner of handling the dangerous stuff, it was voted to refer the communication to Abe Ruef.

There being not much else to offer, President Tregidgo invited those few who remained to take a boat ride to the navy yard at Mare Island as guest of the Miners' Union of Vallejo. Something new in associations over there, for outside of a current plant and a quicksilver mine employing a few miners, whom President Tregidgo superintends, Solano county has never been credited with being a mining county.

AXES GROUND TO ORDER.

The few members left in the association feel grateful to H. H. Yard, who, it is alleged, came forward with the necessary funds to pay for new furniture and fittings for the secretary's office, which were destroyed in the fire of April 18. Others have been unkind enough to ascribe Mr. Yard's generosity to an ulterior motive. Mr. Yard is now one of the directors of the association and it is said that on this account many of the old members withdrew. Yard had located over 200,000 acres of timber land, with placer mineral locations, and in doing so had jumped the claims of many poor miners in Plumas and Butte counties, and had ridden rough shod over their rights, they concluded that Yard's interest in the association was to give him a standing in Washington. His methods are now being investigated by the government.

That Yard is the backbone of the present organization, such as it is, and that he will use its name to further his own ends can hardly be questioned.

PERVERTED FROM USEFULNESS.

Years ago the association had a good standing and it was looked upon as an ideal miners' association, but its former fair name is now being traded upon after it has lost its glory by a clique who are using its name to further their own selfish ends. Of late years it has failed entirely of results which would be beneficial to the miner, and it cannot point to the accomplishment of any object which would aid the miner in his search for wealth. In fact it has worked against the miner's interest and the association is on record as opposing one of its principal objects, laid down when originally organized. It declared against the establishment of Forest Reserves in Plumas, Lassen Shasta, Trinity, Siskiyou and Tehama counties in 1902, but, notwithstanding the opposition of the association to the creation of the reserves in the above counties, the President established them, and every miner in those counties has blessed him for it.

The hands of Yard, Benjamin, F. B. Walker, Holbrook, Webb and others interested in acquiring timber lands in the above counties, or acting for timber speculators, were apparent in framing the resolutions which aimed to deprive the miner of millions of acres of land. (The resolutions passed and to which this refers can be found on pages 157 and 158. Proceedings of the California Miners' Association, 1902.)

ABETTED HYDE LAND FRAUDS.

That the association was used to further the interests of F. A. Hyde, of Hyde-Benson fame, in Southern California, particularly in San Bernardino county, can be shown by the resolutions to be found on page 159-160 of same proceedings. The resolutions were presented by a prominent member of the association in the interest of Hyde. They urge upon the Secretary of the Interior that all the land embraced in certain dry lakes be noted at prima facie saline in character, and he is requested to issue instructions to the local land offices by which they are to be declared. It is alleged that Hyde purchased thousands of acres of school land for $1.25 per acre in these dry lakes. These lands were entered at the United States Land Office as agricultural. It was his object to have these lands declared saline in character after which he could appeal to the commissioner of the General Land Office for scrip, which could be sold for not less than $4.50 per acre or be placed on valuable timber land in Northern California. It was a big job and would yield large profits to Hyde. Yet while the association formally went on record as opposed to scrippers and their methods it was not consistent but passed resolution assisting Hyde to obtain scrip for a lot of worthless land.

AN EXAMPLE TO SHUN.

These are but samples of some of the methods pursued by the association, and it was this raw work which caused the self-respecting miners to withdraw from it. It is to be hoped that the new Chamber of Miners of Los Angeles will profit by the mistakes made by the State association Since my arrival I have interviewed many of the past members of the association, and they all agree that an association conducted upon proper lines would be at this time of incalculable value to the State. But with the barnacles of the present association to contend with, they are of the opinion that the association could not be rejuvenated.

HECLA CONSOLIDATED.

Large Body of Gold and Copper Ore Said to Have Been Developed in Cabeza Prieta Mountains.

W. C. Tonkin, manager of the Hecla Consolidated Mines Company, a corporation composed largely of Los Angeles men, gives a glowing account of the results of development work on the company's property in the Cabeza Prieta Mountains, sixty miles southeast of Yuma.

"Yuma county has been making great strides in mining," said Mr. Tonkin, "and with the aid of new lines the transcontinental railroads are building, the mineral districts are being developed as never before. The Santa Fé is now building from Wickenburg on the Santa Fé, Prescott and Phoenix, over to the Colorado River, and that line will tap rich fields in the Salome and Bill Williams Fork districts, where high-grade copper ore has recently been discovered. Ten miles northwest of the King of Arizona, Col. Espes Randolph's property, George W. Norton of Mohawk has opened up veins of high-grade gold ore, running eight to ten feet wide. Fine copper ore has been found by McDaniels of Dome down in the southeastern part of the Gila Mountains near the Tenacas Altas (High Tanks.)

"Our property consists of thirty-six claims in all, covering a strip about four miles long. We have been working three years, seeking to uncover fully the two main leads of ore before beginning milling, with the result that today there is no longer any guess work. Shafts and tunnels on every part of the property have uncovered splendid bodies of milling ore. Some of it runs as high as $90 in gold and 14 per cent. copper, but the average of all our assays and samplings gives $14 in gold and 12 per cent. copper. That's mighty rich ground when you figure the extent of the ore bodies.

"There is no surface water at the mine, and we are today down 500 feet, with every indication that we will strike a plentiful supply of water at about 800 feet, where we are drilling. As soon as the well is completed we will build mill and reduction works at the California-Arizona, the middle of the three groups of claims. At present we are shipping what ore we have taken out to El Paso, and that little has been rich enough to pay a large part of the expense of development."

Plans are already formulated, Mr. Tonkin states, for a standard-gauge railroad from the mine to the man El Paso road of the Southern Pacific. The distance is fifteen miles, and connection will be made at Tacna, a siding forty-six miles east of Yuma. In case water should fail at the mine the road will be extended north to the Gila River, where a mill site has been secured.

Mr. Tonkin returned to Los Angeles with a party of Los Angeles men, who spent several days inspecting the property. They were George R. Bentel, president of the Hecla Consolidated; C. C. Bragdon of Pasadena and Auburndale, Mass.; W. S. Vawter of Santa Monica; J. J. Davis and C. L. Bundy of Santa Monica; H. W. Barlow, J. R. Bragdon, S. H. Ellis, W. R. Dickinson, E. M. Hills and S. V. Martin.

Developing Ely Mines.

The companies in the Ely camp are steadily opening up their ore reserves. Work on the concentrator for the Giroux is being steadily pushed forward. The ground has been cleared for the concentrator, the grading is practically completed and it is expected that the building will be under cover within six weeks. The contract calls for completion of the 500 ton concentrator by the first of March.

It is possible that the Giroux smelter will be started up within two or three weeks, running on ores from the Morris and Bunker Hill shafts which run 6 to 7 per cent. in copper.

Nearly every company in the camp is adding to its ore reserve, but all are handicapped by the lack of labor and the difficulty in obtaining an adequate timber supply.

Greenwater Townsite.

The old townsite of Ramsey has become the new town of Greenwater, and business is concentrating there under an agreement of consolidation. Owners of lots in the old Greenwater townsite are to be given similar locations in the new townsite of Greenwater.

The postoffice will be called Greenwater, and business houses will be concentrated there.

This consolidation does not include the Patsy Clark townsite "Furnace," three miles away from Greenwater, where the Patsy Clark mine is located.

IN JOHNNIE CAMP.

Still Taking Rich Ore from the Minnie Mae Leased Ground—Development Progressing.

JOHNNIE (Nev.) Dec. 5.—Last week another bonanza vein was broken into on the forty-foot level of the Frost Rathbone, that shows the ore full of free gold. The drift in which this vein was found is now extended about twenty feet, and the vein shows two feet wide. The ore is characteristic of the Minnie Mae Hill, where this lease is located, it being a dark brown, copper-stained, decomposed quartz. Through it runs a seam of gold. The superintendent is of the opinion that the whole will bear the expense of shipping. The ore on each side of the rich seam show much more copper stain. Rich ore is also extracted from the Bowler lease. Work on this lease is mostly confined to sinking the shaft. When it is a little deeper another drift will be run. Manager Stewart of this leasing company is now in Denver, ordering mill machinery to work the ore.

The ore body in the Johnnie Consolidated on the 700-foot level is assuming great proportions and a crosscut already shows this vein to be fifteen feet wide. The ore is characteristic of the Johnnie mine, and will average $26. An ore body on the same level in the south drift is widening out, and though a cross-cut of five feet has been run, the foot wall has not yet been encountered. Satisfactory progress is being made on the new shaft. The men are working through open ground and progress is slow, as much timbering is necessary. On the 400-foot level the men have struck a fault, which to all appearances, has thrown the ground to the hanging wall. The face of the drift is now in quartzite.

On the Globe the men are still working in the lower tunnel. Though the men have broken through the fault, the ore does not show any "glims," but gives big sannings.

On the Bullfrog Johnnie a tunnel is now being driven on the Primero claim. As yet the ore body has not been reached.

On the Belmont Johnnie, in addition to the other work, a vein is being prospected on the Red Chief claim.

The Panama mines have begun operations. Many experts consider this a valuable property. The shaft, which is now down sixty-five feet, will be sunk to the 100-foot level. Recent assays of the ore in the bottom of the shaft give returns of $60.

Good progress is being made on the Battery mines. The tunnel is now advanced sixty feet and the vein has been found. It shows good width and assays $20 across the face. The shaft is down thirty-five feet and will be sunk to the 100-foot level.

Copperhead Valley is the scene of great activity. On the Johnnie Copper Company's No. 1 claim, a shaft is being sunk. On No. 2 claim a tunnel has been run which has exposed a good ore body. At present operations will be confined to the shaft, which will be sunk to the depth of 100 feet before any drifting will be commenced. The vein outcrops and the shaft is in ore all the way.

The Johnnie Wonder is sinking a shaft on the Ella B. and the Copper King claims. Recently a vein was exposed on the Copper King claim, that shows excellent indications and has considerable malachite.

BULLFROG IN WINTER.

Fuel and Transportation Problems on the Desert—Railroads Will Soon Bring Normal Conditions.

During the recent cold snap the mining camps of Southern Nevada were caught short of fuel, and the price of wood went up to $75 a cord. Coal went away out of sight and became so valuable that it was shipped in by express. The Bullfrog paper asserts that the railroad men had to stand guard with guns to save ties and box cars, and that coal oil cases sold for $4 each. The Beatty Miner says Goldfield was saved from freezing to death by the hot air emanating from the Goldfield News Bureau.

Grading for the Brock railroad down the Amargosa River is within fifteen miles of Beatty, and it is expected that rails will be laid into town before the new year, and that a line will be extended south to Greenwater.

The Tonopah and Goldfield Railroad has announced that on January 1 passenger rates will be reduced from 8 to 6 cents per mile.

The Tonopah and Tidewater Railroad is now open from Ludlow, Cal., to Dumont, seventy-five miles, one from Ludlow. Stage and freighting line now in operation between Dumont and Greenwater.

Borax Smith will push his road north to Goldfield, Tonopah and a connection with the Western Pacific.

Following are the railroad freight rates from Los Angeles to Beatty, and from San Francisco to Goldfield:

Class.	Los Angeles to Beatty.	San Francisco to Goldfield.
1	$2.04	$3.66
2	2.90	3.50
3	2.46	3.31
4	2.18	3.03
5	1.83	2.41
A	1.46	2.37
B	1.31	1.65

Tenderfeet from the East, bringing copper cents and $1 bills, says the Bullfrog Miner, receive a rude shock when they learn that an auto trip from Tonopah south to Greenwater costs about $1000 for a distance of 170 miles, covering three days. About $700 pays for the auto and driver, and the balance goes for hotel accommodations, meals, drinks, etc. It is not what we spend, but what we make that counts. Such men as Macdonald, Parkhurst, Senator Oddie Schwab, Montgomery, Brock, Chapin and Richings, the Clarks, Shelby and a dozen others spend fortunes in auto travel.

The approaching railroads will reduce the costs of travel and mining, and normal conditions will follow.

Increase in Manhattans.

The three principal developments of the week in Manhattan were the advance in Indian Camp from 60 cents to $1.15, the advance of Toquima Copper from 10 cents to over 20 cents, and the offer received by the owners of the Independence Consolidated of $200,000 for their holdings. The Indian Camp represents Manhattan proper, the Toquima Copper is eight miles to the east, and the Independence Consolidated two miles to the west. Nothing could better demonstrate the size of the Manhattan ore zone than these three almost simultaneous strikes of high-grade values in a district the extremes of which are over ten miles apart.

California Gold Product.

The State Mining Bureau has issued a table, compiled by Charles G. Yale, from all the available statistics, showing the production of gold in California for each year from 1848 to 1905. From $245,301 in 1848, the gold product jumped to $10,151,360 in 1849, and reached the highest figure, $81,294,709, in 1852. The yearly product at present is about $19,000,000, and the total since 1848 is $1,434,053,311.

Wages at Goldfield.

Miners get $4 per day at Goldfield; carpenters $6; painters $6 and $6.50; clerks per month $75 to $90; stenographers per week $30 to $50; mine superintendents per day $10 to $30; waiters per day $4; bartenders $7.50. Rooms rent from $25 to $40 per month and board costs from $1 to $2 per day.

SOUTHERN ARIZONA.

GUGGENHEIMS ACQUIRE MINES IN HELVETIA DISTRICT.

New York Capital Invested in Mineral Creek Properties — Ghost Dancers Hold Seances to Find Ore in Helvetia Claims—Benson Smelter to Be Blown in Next Spring.

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 6.—The acquisition by the American Smelting and Refining Company, which is commonly referred to as the "smelter trust" of the Tip Top mines in the Helvetia district, the most promising property in the entire district, is the best mining news that Pima county has heard since the announcement of the entrance of the Calumet and Arizona people into the Twin Buttes and the Mohawk districts.

The Guggenheims, who control the American Smelting and Refining Company, have a wide fame as careful mining buyers, and the fact that they paid $75,000 cash for the Tip Top, to be followed by a payment of $125,000 within a year, shows their faith in the proposition.

In all probability the American Smelting and Refining Company will acquire the Omega, Lewison and possibly the Helvetia properties, which are located near the Tip Top. The Guggenheims will within a short time begin surveys for a railroad from Helvetia to connect with either the main line of the Southern Pacific or the Twin Buttes road, which is a standard-gauge road. The distance from Helvetia to the Twin Buttes line is eight miles, while it is twenty miles to the Southern Pacific.

The Tip Top property has its main shaft down to a depth of 40 feet, with 6000 feet of cross-cuttings. Although the property had never been worked on an extensive scale, it has nevertheless been a payer for several years. Last year 10,000 tons of sulphide ore, which averaged 8 per cent. was shipped to the El Paso smelter. The sale of the property was made direct to the Kansas City Smelting and Refining Company, a branch of the American Smelting and Refining Company.

The second installment on the purchase price on the Hardshell group of mines was made this week in Tucson to R. R. Richardson by Los Angeles and San Francisco parties.

The new company will open up the property as rapidly as possible and will sink below the present workings to the sulphide zone. Already the surveys have been made for a tramway connecting the Hardshell mine with the Flux mine and continued to the Sonoita River, where a smelter will be built. Concentrating mills will be put in at each of the mines for the treatment of the ore.

PROSPECTORS IN LUCK.

Fortune has smiled upon Tom Haley and Bill Souffren, two Pinal county miners and prospectors, after a quarter of a century spent in the mountains in developing a property near Kelvin in the Mineral Creek district. Owing to limited means, development work has gone slowly for these men on their property, but they have succeeded in bonding their property to New York capitalists for $125,000.

It has been given out in Benson that the smelter there will be operated by a new company that has just been formed and will be blown in before April 1. The parties interested in the new company are also interested in mines in the Johnson Camp district, and expect to receive much ore for the smelter from that camp. A railroad is now being built from Dragoon Summit on the Southern Pacific to Johnson Camp, a distance of ten miles.

GHOSTS AS MINING EXPERTS.

Freaks are to be found in mining, but the hiring of two fortune tellers from St. Louis to find the place most advisable to sink a shaft on a property in the Helvetia district is considerably worse than the average. The fortune tellers are now on the property holding seances to determine where the "spirits" say the shaft should be sunk.

On the Arizona Blade group, near Box Cañon, about eighteen miles east of Florence, a tunnel is being run to tap the main vein at 150 feet. This property is owned by C. G. Warner and Los Angeles parties. Two shafts have been sunk, one of which is down 100 feet, and the other eighty feet. Both are connected by a drift, which is run along the vein, showing the ore body to be seven feet wide.

The Copper Butte Mining Company has put a force of miners to work on its property, and will quarry ore. The company expects to ship one carload of ore per day to the Humboldt smelter, over the Phoenix and Eastern, as the property is but a mile from the Sheldon station on the line.

BUILDING STONE.

Aubury Says There Is Plenty of California Material Suitable for the Los Angeles Postoffice.

At the St. Louis Exposition the California State Mining Bureau exhibited a great composite arch, constructed of California granite, sandstone, marble, terra cotta, slate, tiling, pressed and glazed brick, showing the variety and superior quality of structural material furnished by the quarries of this State. In January, 1906, the Mining Bureau published an elaborate report on the structural and industrial materials of California in a book of more than 400 pages. There is no lack of building stone of the best quality in this State, and neither is there any lack of information on the subject readily accessible to government officials, yet certain officials in Washington appear to be unaware that California produces building material and proposes to be unable to find anything suitable for the new Los Angeles postoffice nearer than Indiana. The following letter is very pertinent:

To the Editor of The Times: I have had called to my attention a telegram from Washington stating that "Supervising Architect Taylor is having lots of trouble selecting stone for superstructure of the new Los Angeles public building, and that Indiana limestone would suit the department exactly, but transportation charges to the Pacific Coast would be prohibitive, and that the officials of the supervising architect's office say, on the whole, the question is one of the most difficult the office has tackled in a long time."

Evidently the officials of the supervising architect's office are not familiar with the many advantages of California building stones. There is no necessity for the government to seek material beyond our borders, as we can furnish building stone of a superior quality, and of every nature and color, in the State of California. It would appear that it is a very short-sighted policy to erect California buildings of foreign materials when we have the same at hand, and to endeavor to

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MURRAY MARINE STEADY-FLOATING STEEL STRUCTUR

National Magazine's Tribute to a Los A Inventor.

That Los Angeles has been the birthplace of one of the most important industrial inventions of the age, the Murray steady-floating marine structures, was announced in The Times on August 5 last. Since our descriptive article appeared, wide publicity has been given to the subject by the press of the United States, of Great Britain and France. The following articles from the December issue of the National Magazine, by its editor, Joe Mitchell Chapple, pays a glowing tribute to our townsman, William Edward Murray, the inventor of these steady-floating steel fortresses, lighthouses, breakwaters, piers, railroad bridges, etc.:

THE PORT OF MISSING SHIPS.

From the earliest ages, man's mastery of the ocean has been the greatest problem of many which the race has from generation to generation attempted to solve; for without safe and sure transportation across the high and narrow seas, civilization would languish and beneficent commerce would fail in her splendid task of diffusing prosperity and honorable peace. The terrible anger of contending winds; the tremendous impact of mountainous surges; the perilous sweep of unseen currents, again and again mock at the skill of the sagest mariners, and the creations of the most renowned marine architects. Only in the sheltered haven can the strongest vessel be absolutely safe, when the elemental strife of wind, wave and current is at its worst.

Unfortunately, the number of safe and easily accessible harbors is small, and most, if not all, are reached only by evading the dangerous shoals and deep ledges which surround the course of the ship channel, as heralded by beacon and delimited by landmark and buoy. In too many cases the lighthouses which sentinel the outer haven of a port, have been as a candle to the moth, leading the mariner to his possible undoing, as well as into the path of safety, for the site of the lighthouse, like the barriers of the harbor itself, must be located on sea-swept ledges, and often far from the safer channels or the deepest anchorages. In fact, the great minds of the past have failed to realize that, on the surface, the ocean's power is almost infinite, and that havens and their approaches can be defended and deepened only at immense cost and often to little purpose; while below the surface the calm is unbroken.

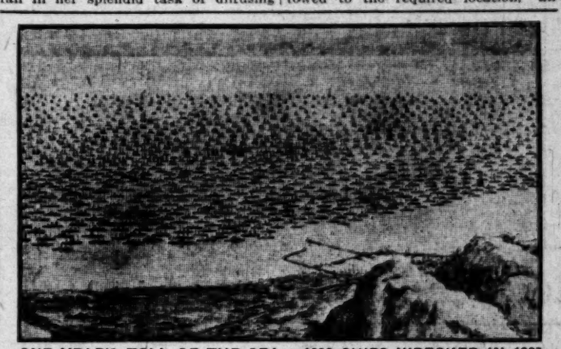
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In a modest office at Los Angeles, Cal., I lately sat listening to the story of an inventor, whose claims seemed little less audacious than the enterprise of that Prometheus who first brought down fire from heaven, and thereby carried eternal woe from men, and the undying enmity and vengeance of the gods. In brief, his contention was, that at a comparatively shallow depth below the surface of the ocean, from twelve to fifteen feet downward, there is no conflict of wind and wave; that below the superficial strife of fierce and unstable elements, there lies the ponderous, immovable, unvexed and eternally "Great Deep;" never "broken up" since in the days of Noah its "vast profound" was hurled upon the doomed nations of the antediluvian world. At thirty-two feet below the surface, a pressure of fifteen pounds to the square inch; say, two hundred and sixteen pounds per square foot; bears upon every sunken body, and the water thus compressed forms a stable foundation for any structure having a sufficient rotation and a flat bottom or base extending beyond the structure like a wide flange. Such a structure, strongly built, properly shaped, and moored where it cannot touch bottom, has only to bear the sweep of the seas, just in the same way as these harmlessly rage against the Arctic stream of massive, deep-floating icebergs and broad ice-floes moving majestically southward with the great Arctic currents; founded on the enduring bases of the incompressible deep as firmly as the alluvial soil and rock upheavals of the land rest upon the adamantine ledges of the primordial rocks.

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Upon these conditions, the inventor, W. E. Murray, a Scotchman by birth, has in his workshop-study at Los Angeles delved and dug his way through an immense labyrinth of scientific facts, the laws of statics and construction, making plans, elevations and the like, even as Samuel Morse planned and labored for a practical solution of the application of electrical energy to telegraphic communication. The successful construction of Morse's first line from Baltimore to Washington announced to an almost incredulous world that a new application of a great basic force and principle had been discovered and perfected, and now the earth is a network of telegraph and telephone wires, and the ocean is girded with cables in every zone and hemisphere. In like manner Mr. Murray has satisfied prominent engineers and hydrographic experts that, under his discovery and application of a new basic theory of construction, sea-borne structures may be built and securely moored in deep water, which while floating at anchor will be veritable islands, as secure against wind and wave as any islet along the coast. He proposes to construct and float in deep water, where ordinary solid foundations cannot be constructed or would cost too much to be maintained, any and all of the following structures, all of which it has hitherto been considered impossible to construct as floating bodies; viz: mid-sea, or deep-water harbors, lighthouses, piers, breakwaters, coaling stations, floating hotels and sanitariums, forts, torpedo stations, railroad bridges and terminals, salvage platforms or pontoons for raising ships, etc. The general principle of all these applications is the construction of a strong steel caisson fitted for the especial purpose desired, floating so deeply that its bottom rests on water too far below the surface to be stirred by the superficial commotions of the sea. The flat bottom of the caisson extends laterally beyond the body, like a wide flange or ledge, which is loaded with ballast to keep the caisson steadily at the desired depth. This flange also serves to prevent the caisson from being greatly careened or shaken, as an enormous downward pressure is exerted on this circular flange, or ledge, whenever the structure is subjected to lateral (side) pressure.

Mr. Murray's plan for a lighthouse includes a strong hollow steel caisson, whose bottom extends in a wide ledge or flange far beyond the sides, and is so rimmed and divided as to form a series of pens, in which ballast is piled to sink the structure to the proper flotation. Proper arrangements for taking in and discharging water-ballast make it possible to sink the caisson to any desired depth. At a point near the surface the top of the caisson slopes toward the center, at a moderately acute angle, and is there joined to a strong steel tower, which, in its turn, supports a lofty tube or cylinder sustaining the lense room and light. This structure is to be built wherever it can be most economically constructed, towed to the required location, anchored by numerous large chains to immense and ponderous blocks of concrete, supplied with men, provisions, etc., and placed in commission. It is not too much to expect that, in times not far distant, the shorter and more important routes of commerce may be lined with such lights, as Broadway is defined and illuminated by electric arc lights, and that the rules of the road will in ordinary weather be followed by sea-going steamers, as readily as two lines of carriages pass each other on the public street. Nor is it impossible that the great Atlantic ferry will some day be crossed by boats, whose navigators will lay their course for and by a line of floating fights, each numbered and known by its peculiar color and lights, and offering to the cast-away sailor a sure beacon of hope and deliverance.



ONE YEAR'S TOLL OF THE SEA: 1038 SHIPS WRECKED IN 1905.
Wrecks such as that of the "Sirio" are mere nine-days wonders, although some, by reason of their terror, appeal more to the popular imagination than others. It is only by such graphic presentations as this that we realise how vast a fleet the ocean engulfs year by year. In 1905, the "Bureau Veritas" tells us, 389 steam-ships and 649 sailing-vessels were lost—a total of 1038.

Last year's toll of the remorseless sea was 1038 vessels, ranging from great battleships down to coasting craft, of a few hundred tons burden. With these castaways of the deep there went down to a watery grave some eight thousand of our fellow-beings. And this is a recurring yearly tragedy! Humanitarianism alone calls out for the adoption of the Murray steady-floating lighthouses, which by virtue of their cheapness will be capable of guarding every point of danger and so reducing to a mere fraction the present loss of precious ships and still more precious lives.

Built on similar lines, the torpedo stations of the future, almost invisible and invulnerable to anything except torpedo attack, will guard the outer channels of our havens where no land fortress can be of use, and no vessel can be safely posted. The steadiness of the firing platform will insure perfect accuracy of aim, and no enemy's fleet would dare oppose itself to so terrible an engine of destruction. A series of such torpedo stations lining the coast near a large city, alternating with deep-water, steady-floating forts, would make an effective blockade or naval attack impossible.

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The Murray steady-floating steel fortress caps a floating caisson heavily armored, with a revolving annular gun platform within an invulnerable turret, and furnishes a steady emplacement for the heaviest seacoast artillery. Double the number of effective cannon for the cost of a single ironclad; economy in garrison, wages and rations; the power of carrying defensive lines so far to sea that shot fired at them cannot reach the cities they defend; a complete circle of range; great rapidity and accuracy of fire; such are a few of the principal advantages of Mr. Murray's invention in this line. These changes in the existing conditions of seacoast defense are so radical, that the adoption of his system by the leading nations of Europe would reduce the value of national "sea power" to an incalculable extent and with tremendous effect on the policies and destinies of nations.

A more peaceful proposition is that of great sexagonal, steady-floating, steel coaling stations, in which the subsea flanges are on the inside as well as the outside of the sexagon, whose massive walls inclose an artificial lagoon. The great coal pockets are divided and strengthened by massive steel partitions and the crest of the outer faces forms a continuous pier, at one side of which a ship can always find a lee and discharge or take in coal. Moored by great steel cables imbedded in enormous masses of concrete, such a coaling station for the purpose of war or peace can be safely located in any part of the ocean where anchorage can be found, and the irresistible force of floating ice cannot act upon it. This invention also seems likely to revolutionize the conditions of naval supremacy, on the open seas, such a coaling station suitably defended, would be of more value than most of the islands and havens now occupied for the purpose.

The Murray steady-floating steel salvage platform is intended for raising sunken vessels from great depths. It is really a long, narrow dry dock without a bottom, whose deep, hollow walls flanged along the outside, give a flotation, steady, immovable and capable of lifting enormous tonnage. The steady parallel platforms, furnished with many powerful winches, make it possible to lift simultaneously and powerfully on a large number of cables or chains, and comfortable quarters and workrooms end a snug dry dock, enable temporary repairs to be made quickly and effectively, when a wreck is raised to the surface.

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An immense circular caisson, flat-topped, lofty and defended by a massive and high parapet, and surmounted by a hotel or sanitorium, suggests another use for Mr. Murray's discovery. Such a building can occupy without cost, lake and ocean surface, in or near the most desirable resorts for business or pleasure, and will combine delightful and healthful surroundings with the most inspiring conditions of life and experience, with the management of [illegible] ties for making money.

The steady-floating [illegible] consists of a broad [illegible] base constructed of [illegible] steel construction [illegible] very narrow ship—[illegible] ovate top of the [illegible] the water, and is rigidly [illegible] the impact of the [illegible] broken by its sloping [illegible] the water behind it [illegible] broken. The same [illegible] buoyancy chambers, [illegible] air-tight compartments [illegible] last and steel construction [illegible] characterizes this [illegible] which has the added [illegible] breakwaters built on [illegible] that, given an adequate [illegible] ter, the cost of construction [illegible] never varies with the [illegible] but is always the same [illegible] most favorable circumstances [illegible] than that of any [illegible] known.

Of like nature is the [illegible] steel pier, anchored in [illegible] jutting out from shores [illegible] are deep fiords or narrow [illegible] sea and no harbors. [illegible] piers are arranged for [illegible] receiving and loading [illegible] vert water frontage [illegible] cause of the great depth [illegible] close inshore, into valuable [illegible] property. Such a location [illegible] lar means be made a [illegible] with its piers, docks [illegible] slips and wharves, [illegible] ner a railroad bridge [illegible] across deep water, where [illegible] tions are impracticable. [illegible] sinking is eliminated by [illegible] structure up of a number [illegible] en compartments or [illegible] swinging section [illegible] passage of shipping. Has been built over the Pa[illegible] stead of the great iron [illegible] sank with an express [illegible] dreds of passengers to [illegible] death remediless, such a [illegible] terrible loss could never [illegible]

In the brief half-hour Mr. Murray laid before [illegible] of his life work and the [illegible] which his discoveries have [illegible] It seemed that before my [illegible] orama of the passing [illegible] tleships of the navies of [illegible] that the establishment of [illegible] was the guarantee of [illegible] destructiveness of contact [illegible] the certainties of peace [illegible] I feel that in meeting [illegible] I have met a man who [illegible] place in history—a man [illegible] blue eyes, a moustache [illegible] with gray, a Scotchman [illegible] sterling worth of his [illegible] soul, mind and body [illegible] inventions. I felt that [illegible] upon a great benefactor [illegible] of the world. A glance [illegible] of Messrs. John Dix [illegible] Finkle and H. Hawgood [illegible] neers, reveals that the [illegible] passed the most severe [illegible] icism of the best scientific [illegible] experts. It is not [illegible] of the dreamer—but the [illegible] practical engineer. [illegible] called the age of achievement in the use of [illegible] and bridges and all the [illegible] world has been beyond [illegible] prophecy—and here is a [illegible] zation of the power of [illegible] upon "the multitudinous [illegible]

"Necessity is said to be [illegible] invention, and the Murray [illegible] Structure Company has [illegible] immense field in the [illegible] of the Pacific Coast, where [illegible] few. This invention has [illegible] growth of conditions and [illegible] that have demanded [illegible] and involves the same [illegible] that has been learned in [illegible] tion of steel vessels and [illegible] tures. These great floating [illegible] ters can be constructed [illegible] lower cost than was [illegible] Once the public found [illegible] lieve that steel ships would [illegible] we are to learn that steel [illegible] not only float, but [illegible] made to sink to a safer [illegible] tation, and that the [illegible] controlled by exact laws, [illegible] like the old floating [illegible] about on the surface of the [illegible] Murray marine building [illegible] the flotation of its own [illegible] on the deep, dense water [illegible] disturbed area.

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When I shook hands with Murray and bade him good-bye [illegible] vigorated by the spirit of [illegible] and the certainty that I [illegible] to deliver. The spirit of [illegible] alive on the Coast. In the [illegible] fice, above the noise and [illegible] streets below, I felt I had [illegible] sonal contact with the [illegible] idea—an all-convincing [illegible] has not merely revolutionized the [illegible] tionized the progress of [illegible] The great achievements [illegible] had been taken up and [illegible] ciples applied were to the [illegible] expansion of usefulness [illegible] cence. If the Naval Committee [illegible] Senate and House of [illegible] could see and hear the [illegible] it on that hot September [illegible] there would be less [illegible] ence to the naval appropriation [illegible] tleships, and a keener [illegible] necessity of building up our [illegible] coast coaling stations, [illegible] coast defenses, and prevent [illegible] increase of our merchant [illegible] exploiting the world's [illegible] opening up new avenues [illegible] new markets, by letting [illegible] this great invention [illegible] ways of the deep seas.

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CAN WOMEN SAVE BEAUTIFUL ARROYO?



One of the most beautiful natural parks in the world, the Arroyo Seco, is being despoiled. This piece of Nature's handiwork, shown in the picture, will soon be converted into a brickyard. Above is a rock crusher among the stately sycamores used to stand; below, where a boulevard was "graded" by a real estate firm, spoiling this pretty home on the edge of the Arroyo.

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...latest encroachments is ... giant placed at the ... East Avenue Thirty... ...glorious sycamores ... the children of the ... went to play.

...crushed," one may ... rocks must be ... there not enough ... spares where such ... carried on?

...East Avenue ...forty-ling, a real es... ...cut out the whole bed ... is to be put ... soon to be put ... content with this. ...appropriated as its own ... the city of Los ... owners of the ...known as Carlotta boulevard, and many homes on the edge of the arroyo were built to side on this prospective driveway. The present owners of this tract say the boulevard right of way was tendered the city, but the city has never gone through the legal process of accepting it, hence the ground belongs to them, as the purchasers.

However this may be, the people who bought property along the line of Carlotta boulevard regard it as a high-handed act, and it is popularly known as "the swiping of a boulevard." The accompanying picture shows one pretty little home, whose side entrance has been entirely fenced off by the real estate firm, materially depreciating its value. The fence would have cut off the post of the front pergola but "consideration for the feelings" of the lady who owns the cottage caused the fence builders to make an angle at the place where the post stands, though they still claim the ground.

If the arroyo were preserved as a park all along the plots bordering on it would be much more valuable in the future.

A pretty place jutting on the portion of the valley where the rock crusher was placed could have been sold just a year ago for $2000. Since the spoiling of the natura park at the base, with the noise of the machinery further annoying the owners, they have lately parted with their home for $400. As an ordinary money proposition, it would seem advisable to save the arroyo.

A brickyard will soon be in full blast away up nearer the city line. The trees will be cleared out and the sweet ferns that abound will shrivel into ashes. The land has just been let for this purpose, and where the woodland solitude now reigns this new blot will soon be placed.

Every one is familiar with the stinking gas works near the county bridge. With heavy black smoke rising like a pall against the bosom of the cliff, with noxious fumes vomited from ugly-looking vents, the familiar nuisance is almost under the noses of the artist colony, whose beautiful homes crown the high ridges on either side. Miss Howells, a cousin of William Dean Howells, has lately built a home near here. Olive Thorne Miller, the well-known author and bird lover, is just completing one, all for the sake of the magnificent view—and the beautiful arroyo below.

If concerted action were taken and a general movement inaugurated immediately, this beautiful strip might yet be saved, and, like the Juvenile Court, the Playground Commission, the Housing Commission and many other blessings, it may be left to the women and the women's clubs to put such an enterprise in motion.

The Outdoor Art Section of the Los Angeles Civic Association has long been desirous of getting a driveway made through the arroyo, to extend from here to Pasadena. A year ago Mrs. Willoughby Rodman and others drove through to judge the feasibility of such a plan. The new president of the Outdoor Art Section, Mrs. Matthew Robertson, has chosen as her especial work the starting of a movement to build a beautiful driveway from Los Angeles to some other selected point.

At the last meeting of the directors of the Civic Association this organization put itself on record as being ready to coöperate with other bodies in all movements for good and beautiful roads, through the head of the Outdoor Art Section, Mrs. Matthew Robertson. It was decided to hold a meeting of all bodies interested in the effort, and together to formulate a plan of action.

At this meeting the Arroyo Seco will have strong advocates. The Pasadena women's clubs are working for the preservation of the Pasadena end of the arroyo, and nothing could help more to the plan of making it a public park than an automobile roadway through it. Instead of planting hedges of roses and lilies to beautify a road, and waiting years for trees to line it, the arroyo would show a park, a tangle of wild woods, trees that are stately sentinels—in short, a unique surrounding that could not be duplicated or imitated.

Artistic bridges could span the deepest cuts of the arroyo, changing the road from side to side in effective manner. It has been decided by the Civic Association that a well-kept roadway fifty feet wide will be more practicable than a boulevard. Like the celebrated drives of this character which connect the parks in Boston, this one through the arroyo could be continued to the Los Angeles River, thence across the bridge into Elysian Park, and through the park along the ridge, where a water conduit already exists. Through Arroyo Seco Park to Elysian Park would make a roadway worthy even of Southern California—and the arroyo would be saved.

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You can buy a whole town on December 3 if you want one; in fact, you can buy six whole towns if you have the money and bid high enough. To be accurate, they are only embryonic cities on fertile open prairie lands in the "Big Pasture" of Southern Oklahoma; just townsites which the government is putting up for sale to the highest bidder. Plain unadorned townsites out in a wide expanse of uninhabited grass and may not attract the eastern people greatly, but people out here in the West know that on the day these towns are born under the auctioneer's announcement they will bud out in a wilderness of tents and gaudy canvas signs, such as The Imperial Bakery, The Palace Hotel, The Diamond Restaurant, The Eureka Steam Laundry, The Mascot Saloon, The Bon Ton Store, The Original Meat Market, and a hundred others of equally small beginnings and pretentious heralding. In a month the same towns will grow amazingly and be weaned, and in three they will walk alone in the glory of some three-storied brick structures, a railroad or two, a city government and a chamber of commerce which works for the interest of the entire community.

Young Oklahoma in the last seventeen years has seen a thousand towns grow this way miraculously, almost as if the waving grass land itself bore the vivifying spore from which sprang, at the first dawn of a sunlit day, the mushroom crop of white-capped tents and its multitude of human cultivators. Not one of these sporadic towns has failed to go on developing; no town has had an economic blotting out; every one of them has won success and strength and solidity with advancing years.

So the Westerner of the prairie lands does not look upon the townsite auction as having much element of gamble in it; not nearly the hazard, nor the excitement of the old-time runs when every man pitched headlong onto a new townsite with a hatchet and some wooden pegs and wildly drove stakes into the ground while he yelled menacingly at all other newcomers, and hoped he was staking out a real lot and not punching holes into an alley or the main road.

The "Big Pasture," it should be explained, is the 480,000 acres of land reserved some years ago by Congress as a further holding for the Kiowas, Comanches and Apaches, after their territory as a whole had been opened to settlement and they had been allotted separate farms. It lies on the Red River, just across the line from Texas, in Southwestern Oklahoma, and is some thirty-odd miles long east and west and twenty north and south.

On December 3 all this land is to be opened to the white man, except certain allotments of 160 acres to each of the Indian babies born since 1900. These lands will be sold this time on the sealed-bid plan, the boomer run and land-registry system having been done away with. Any American citizen can bid on as many sections as he pleases, provided he bids not less than $5 per acre, and deposits one-fifth the price of his highest bid for a quarter section, or 160 acres. No individual can get more than 160 acres.

There will be six townsites in this new land. Already they have been carefully selected and laid out by a commission from the United States Land Office, with due regard to location drainage and hygienic situation. The town lots, unlike the agricultural land, will be sold by public auction, under the hammer, by a man who will cry from the box, "Lot 36, corner of —— and ——; what do I hear bid?" and so on until the new city has passed from the possession of the United States into the molding hands of a thousand energetic citizens, who have the faith, enthusiasm and determination to create from dusty soil a prosperous metropolis.

The man most closely associated with the new towns of the "Big Pasture," and who is responsible for selling them to the American public, is W. L. Miller, special United States Indian agent and chairman of the Kiowa Townsite Commission.

Mr. Miller has already won a reputation along the Osage in this unique business of selling whole towns to the people. It is his duty not only to see that the towns are well laid out, but to appraise the value of every lot within the town limits. The lowest price that can be offered at the auction is his appraised valuation. If he puts the price too low, he may fail to properly protect the interests of his clients and the wards of the nation, the Indians, for the money goes to them, or is placed to their credit in the United States Treasury, drawing 4 per cent. interest. If he puts the price too high, the city may fail to materialize for want of takers.

The appraisement figures, of course, are not given out to the public at any time, for it is important to prevent as far as possible the danger of combination of bidders to buy in at an agreed price. Of course, it might so happen without the bidder's knowledge of the appraisement price that a certain number of men might hold down the bids somewhat, but it is as unlikely as the purchase of a whole town by a single individual, as suggested in the first paragraph, for the obvious reason that thousands and thousands of persons propose to bid on these townsite lots, and they come from all parts of the United States. The Rock Island Railroad alone, which runs closest to the "Big Pasture" at the present time, has hauled in a single week to convenient points around this reserve over 10,000 home seekers, most of whom will certainly file bids on lands, and large numbers, no doubt, will be on hand at auction day to try a chance on bidding on some choice town lots.

Mr. Miller got his first experience handling open townsites at the Osage Reservation, when five townsites were selected and sold by auction. The department took upon him as a wonder in land appraisal. In one town the lots sold for $230,000 and he missed the valuation by just $12,000. His valuation of all the other four it is said was equally close.

In talking with him, he said that his greatest trial and tribulation lay in the man who wanted to talk with him confidentially. In order to ward off the man with the proposition and the one who wants confidential advice and information he has adopted the simple and effective system of keeping his office doors wide open and his stenographer close at hand. The visitor sits at some distance from Mr. Miller, and all requests for private or confidential audiences are smilingly and respectfully declined. The commonest request is for information on appraised values; a query often asked in perfect good faith by persons who do not spurn the more tricky side of schemes. Woe to the man who tries to whisper. He is told in no uncertain language that sotto voce conversation does not go, and that any business the caller may have can be discussed in a perfectly audible tone of voice.

Mr. Miller says all of the six towns have admirable locations, with due consideration for the securing of water supply and drainage. So far not a single railroad enters the territory. What particular railroad or railroads will build into the region to connect the proposed towns with the outside world, he would not say, even if he knew, but it was pointed out that the two systems, the Frisco and the Rock Island, which had literally honeycombed Western Oklahoma in the past ten years, will naturally push their lines forward rapidly into a land which they know in two years will be a tremendous crop producer, if precedent after precedent is to be depended upon in the marvelous production following former land openings in Oklahoma.

The chairman was adverse to letting railroads run through the townsites, but knew of no way to prevent it, for nothing in the law can stop the individual or the corporation from buying a right of way straight through the town, or, for that matter, of buying up the entire site, if they outbid the other fellow.

The names of the six cities are Randlett, Eshiti, Quanah, Isadore, Ahpeatone, Koonkazachi. Can six towns thrive started in an open grass land where plow has never turned furrow, and which will possess nothing on the opening day except such latent possibilities as are stored up in the energies of the fertile soil and the eager brawn of courageous settlers? Yes, comes the answer from every Kansan, Oklahoman and Texan. The affirmative is particularly aggressive on the part of the Oklahoman and Texan man, who figures with a stump of a pencil to show you, fearing that you may be from Missouri.

"You see, it is this way, the Big Pasture is a fine cotton country. Put the whole first year's crop in cotton, which stands new soil and needs little moisture. Allow 400,000 acres in cultivation out of the 480,000. The cotton can be put in with disk cultivators and seeders if need be, but it will be better if the sod is plowed with gang plows first. A bale to the acre can be depended upon, or at least $50 per bale, $20,000,000 income for this district for the first year, or $6000 a year for each of the 3000 families and farm help. At the end of the first year the towns will average 1500 or 2000 people, or say, 1800 families, in all, dependent on commerce. Most of the twenty million crop income and another two or three million—which the 3000 families will bring in with them, for the class of farmers who will buy the land will be a fairly successful lot who have a few thousand on the side—will find its way back during the first year into the hands of the tradesmen for almost every conceivable necessity and luxury needed by the civilized man. The 1800 store-keepers will average $12,000 for the year's business, and they will do better than 25 per cent. in profit, which leaves a living sum for the family."

This is the big-talk-man who reasons optimistically perhaps, but the Oklahoman has done such wonderful things starting with raw lands, that if allowed him not only to circulate large first-year profits, but to believe his figures without smiling too broadly. When you add this modern day farmer's profits from cattle, hogs and several hundred bushels to the acre potatoes, broom corn, wheat, corn and silo maize, his total profits on his mixed crop will probably nearly figure out what the Southwestern boomer would have you believe can be done if cotton alone were planted.

One may rest assured, however, that the six towns will be built in the next year, and that some one of them by push and hustle and good fortune in becoming a railroad center will number 10,000 inhabitants in less than five. It has been happening that way for seventeen years in Oklahoma.

"Going! Going! Who'll have a fine lot, right in front of City Hall, finest corner in the town? Did I hear you make another five? Yes! All right, gentlemen! Going dirt cheap! Gone!"—[Boston Transcript.

AFRICANS KEEN-SIGHTED.

Could Distinguish German Officers Though Clothed Exactly Same as Common Soldiers.

Some oddities of campaigning against the Hereros in German Southwest Africa are detailed by Col. Bayer of the general staff in some sketches which he has been publishing from his personal experiences in the field. One point that particularly impressed him was the readiness with which the Hereros and Hottentots singled out the officers at long range.

"It wouldn't have been strange," said he, "if we had worn brilliant uniforms, sashes or other insignia of rank. But we didn't. In the presence of the enemy we used exactly the same uniform and equipment as our troops—suits of khaki and cork helmets, with blue border. We carried no swords.

"Every officer carried a rifle and a cartridge belt with 120 rounds of ammunition in it, exactly like the men. Many of us also wore bayonets. Hands, faces, hair, uniforms, weapons, everything came to be of the same earthy color. We often couldn't recognize one another and all sorts of funny blunders took place.

"In spite of this outward similarity the natives seemed never at a loss to pick out the officers. Their extraordinary power of vision enabled them to detect the slightest sign—a gesture of the hand to control the advance of the firing line, the use of a field glass, the reception of a report was enough to indicate rank.

"In one case I remember, an officer addressed by his superior turned to him and instinctively raised his hand to his helmet in salute. Instantly the fire of the natives was concentrated on them and the superior was killed.

He Had a Good Reason.

The plaintiff's barrister in the breach of promise case thought he would make life a burden to the unfortunate young man who was the unwilling defendant.

"Do you mean to say," he asked, after a number of embarrassing questions, "that after you had been absent for an entire month you did not kiss the plaintiff, to whom you were engaged to be married, when you first saw her on your return?"

"I do," responded the defendant, firmly.

"Will you make that statement to the jury?"

"Certainly, if necessary."

"Do you think that they would believe you?"

"One of them would, I know."

"Ah, indeed! And why should he, pray?"

"Because he was present when I first saw her. He was at the gate when I rode up, and she stuck her head out of the second-story window, and I said to her, 'how d'ye do?' and called out I'd be back to supper in half an hour. I'm no giraffe;" and everybody smiled except the barrister.—[Tit-Bits.

Could Stop Tillman Talking.

Senator Tillman was recently talking in his usual vehement manner. The conversation threatened to be stormy. A friend expostulated.

"Please don't talk so much," said the warning voice.

It irritated Tillman.

"Talk!" he shouted. "I'll talk as much whenever and wherever I please. I would like to see the man who can keep me from talking!"

"I can!" came a voice from the crowd.

Tillman turned and glared. Then his eye caught the speaker. He pretended to quail. The laugh went around and the critical situation was saved.

The man who had hurled the defiant "I can!" was Dr. T. T. Moore, Tillman's lifetime dentist.—[Judge.

CORONA Lithia water for your health's sake.

Make Your Christmas Selections Here

Those Who Are Remembered Will Surely Appreciate Such Sound Judgment

16-BUTTON LONG KAYSER SILK GLOVES PAIR $1.75

A COMPLETE new stock of these famous new gloves is now on our shelves; every pair double tipped, thereby making them doubly serviceable; every color on the card and black and white. Price per pair, only $1.75

ELBOW LENGTH KID GLOVES PAIR $3.50

A GIFT glove that is hard to beat. They come in white with either blue, mode or gray scalloped tops. Something strikingly new and dressy. Price per pair $3.50

Thirteen More Shopping Days to Xmas

THE NEW YORK

337-339 SOUTH BROADWAY

Money Refunded If Dissatisfied with Purchase

Sale Six Hundred Nail Brushes
Values Up to 75c
Your Choice Monday 19c

HIGH grade brushes in nine different sizes; have highly polished wood backs; either concave or convex; firmly secured bristles of best quality. Your choice Monday at Toilet Goods counter 19c

EL PARNASO CASTILE SOAP

SOLD the world over at 10c a cake. Special Monday at, each 6c



$35, $40 and $45 Street Suits at.... $24.50

The Greatest Values in High-Class Tailored Garments Ever Featured at This Price

MATERIALS are hard finished Panama cloth and serges, silk velvet, Scotch tweeds, novelty suitings and broadcloths; many have waistcoats in charming combinations of velvet and braid. There is positively a style and color to suit each individual taste; skirts smartly designed in the very newest and most effective plaited ideas. Values to $45.00 Monday $24.50

$38.50 and $35 Broadcloth Coats $24.50

THESE handsome seven-eighths length garments come in half fitted and full back styles; either silk or satin lined; braid, lace and medallion trimmed in lavish fashion; fancy metal buttons; many in semi-cape effect; fine range of colors, including the new browns, greens, reds, tans and white. Artistically constructed coats radiating style and beauty at every point. Monday price only $24.50

$13.75 For Long Coats Worth Up to $22

HANDSOME seven-eighths length coats in a wide variety of stylish materials; semi-fitting and loose backs; velvet collars; turnback cuffs and fancy metal buttons. Warm, comfortable garments cut and made in the height of fashion. Monday only $13.75

$45 Long English Covert Coats at $25

NOTHING newer in the market! Positively the very latest in outer garments are these tan English covert cloth coats; full seven-eighths lengths; three distinctly different styles to choose from; either tight or semi-fiting backs; single or double-breasted; fly front. The up-to-date swagger coat of the season and undeniably the proper caper for good dressers. Other stores will be showing similar coats priced around $45.00. Here now only $25.00

$40 Evening Costumes $24.50

A Matchless Bargain in Up-to-Date Evening Frocks of Stylish Simplicity

THE material is best quality China silk and comes in light blue, champagne, pink, lavender and write; the bodice is most elaborately trimmed with dainty lace insertion and fine tuck-shirring; has deep bertha to match; skirt is cut very full with shirred yoke and two clusters of four rows each lace insertion finished with double row of wide tucks at bottom. Values to $40.00, Monday, in our Suit Department on the Second Floor..... $24.50

Monday Shirtwaist News
Thrifty Values Call You

$3.50 Embroidered White Brilliantine Shirt Waists $2.75.

THESE beautiful models come in both long and short sleeve styles; fronts almost one solid mass of silk embroidery; tucked yokes and down the center; collar embroidered to match, which, with the cuffs, are edged with dainty Val. lace; tucked back. A big Monday leader on the third floor at $2.75



Sale Broken Lines Fancy and Tailored Silk Shirt Waists $7.50 and $8.50 Values Monday $5.75.

AN ASSORTMENT of broken sizes in some of the best selling numbers this season in mesaline and taffeta silks; all colors in the lot and maybe your size. Choice of any Monday. $5.75

Special Monday Values in Knit Underwear Department



Black Equestrienne Tights Pair, $1.00.

WINTER weight fleece lined tights with hand-made tops; finished with silk to the touch; narrow bed; full ankle length. Price, per pair $1.00

Women's Mixed Wool Union Suits Per Garment, 75c.

THESE are the regular $1 wool vests and drawers; elastic; form-fitting; silk hand-crocheted edges; either wide or narrow ribbon; colors cream and natural and best winter weight underwear to be found at the price; per garment 75c

Women's Wool Union Suits $1.75

THIS is a late shipment of women's medium winter weight mixed wool and cotton combination suits; are in natural color; high neck and long sleeves; ankle length; covered flat seams. Would be a splendid value at $2.00. Per garment, Monday $1.25

Showing Christmas Jewelry Note What You Can Save

At $2.45 Sterling silver handled whisk brooms. Regular $3.

At 95c Gold filled brooches. Regular $2.00 values.

At $2.25 Heavy, silver backed clothes brushes. Reg. $3.

At $1.45 Sterling silver nail buffers. Regular $2.00.

At 95c Sterling silver handled nail files. Regular $1.50.

At 95c Sterling silver souvenir spoons. Regular $1.50.

At 50c Sterling silver cuff links. Regular $1.00.

At $2.25 Metal backed mirrors; quadrupled plated. Reg. $3.50.

At $1.25 Metal backed hat brushes; quadrupled plated. Reg. $2.

At $2.45 Sterling silver backed hat brushes. Regular $3.50.

At $15.00 Men's solid silver toilet set. Regular $18.50.

At $2.45 Five piece fitted traveling case. Regular $3.00.

At 3.95 Set genuine ebony backed military brushes. Reg. $5.

At $6.75 Men's leather traveling roll, containing seven toilet articles. Regular $8.50.

At $1.45 Men's all-leather collar pouches. Regular $2.00.

At $2.45 14-carat solid gold brooches. Regular $4.00.

At $2.45 Solid gold stick pins. Regular $3.50.

At $25.00 Diamond cluster rings. Worth $35.00.

At $3.45 Solid gold set rings. Regular $5.00.

At $1.75 Solid gold signet rings. Regular $3.00.

At $2.95 14-carat gold-filled lockets. Regular $3.50.



Sale Holiday Handkerchiefs
At Booth in Center of Main Floor.

20c Irish Linen Handkerchiefs 12½c.

FINE sheer squares without a flaw; are one-eighth inch hemstitched and finished with tape borders. Price, each 12½c

25c Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs 19c.

A WIDE range of patterns to choose from in this splendid value; narrow hemstitched. Special Monday at, each 19c

$1.75 Box Embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs $1.35.

HANDSOME qualities with artistically embroidered initials and in narrow hemstitched effects. Monday, per box of six $1.35

$2.50 Box Linen Handkerchiefs Monday $2.15.

FINE pure sheer linen squares with exquisitely embroidered borders; some with dainty lace edging. Box of six, Monday only $2.15



Silk Opera Bags

$1.25

MADE of handsome embossed silk in exquisite floral patterns finished with gold gilt frame and chain. Monday, special at $1.25

High novelties in fancy silk and beaded opera bags at from $1.50 up to $8.00.

As Holiday Packages of Perfume We are Showing the First American Product as Well as the Imported Kinds

Prices range from $1.00 to $12.50.

Vantine's Japanese Perfumes are Here in Widest Variety.

This well-known make is endorsed by discriminating women the world over.

Ornamented Bottle Toilet Water $1.50

THIS is a choice little package peculiarly adapted for giving at Christmas time. The bottle is in long shape with lower half encased in a fine mesh basket ending in an elaborate gold gilt ornament; stopper to match. Price only $1.50

THE NEW YORK

337-339 SOUTH BROADWAY

Hosiery, Ribbons, Neckwear

$2 Holiday Ribbons $1.35 Ten Inches Wide

BEAUTIFUL printed warp Dresden ribbons; rich, heavy flowered patterns with colored edges; also vice versa, solid colored centers with three-inch Dresden borders. The correct ribbon for fancy bags of all descriptions; tie cases, handkerchief sachets, veil rolls and numerous other uses. Actual $2 values, priced as a big holiday special at, per yard $1.35

Hosiery Suitable for Gifts

Embroidered Silk Stockings Per Pair $3.50 and $2.25

HAND-EMBROIDERED all-pure silk hosiery; many dainty floral designs to choose from; have reinforced heel, toe and deep garter top. Price, per pair, $3.50 and $2.25

DuBarry Scarfs $2.45 and $3.95

Crepe Chiffon Evening Throws $5.75

YARD wide filmy affairs in the very best quality of crepe chiffon; wide satin borders; colors, sky, gray, champagne and navy. Luxurious additions to the wardrobe at only $5.75

An Umbrella is Practical



Reliable Rain-Shedders Ranging in Price from $1.45 to $15

A Special in Women's at $1.45

TWENTY-SIX inch; steel rod; Paragon frame covered with a gloria silk that will not split; neat silver mounted handles. Monday $1.45

Splendid Range at $2.75

TWENTY-SIX inch size; steel rod; Paragon frame umbrellas; best gloria silk covers; polished bamboo handles surmounted with mother-of-pearl and silver novelty tops. An exceedingly good value at $2.75

Untrimmed Felt and Pressed Velvet Shapes at Half Price

ALL the popular colors in the assortment, including red, gray, brown, navy, blue and black; fashionable flat and hood shapes. Price reductions range as follows:

$1.50 Hats 75c
$1.75 Hats 90c
$2.25 Hats $1.15
$2.50 Hats $1.25
$3.00 Hats $1.50
$5.00 Hats $2.50.

95c for Models Worth Up to $6.50



A TRUTHFUL description of this headgear would have a tendency to cause a doubt as to the genuineness of the offering, the qualities being so far in excess of the price asked for them. There is enough said when we tell you that there are in this lot hats which possess a degree of style and smartness seldom to be found in anything under a five-dollar bill. Your choice Monday, third floor 95c

Monday Be... Special

$1.50 Silk and Le... er Belts 45c

JUST fifty dozen in the lot bought underpriced to be the same way! Fifty dozen styles to choose from; every one represented; handsome buckles usually found on belts at twice the money. As a special Monday leader, only .....

$6.00 and $5.00 Purses and Bags Monday $2.45

THE remainder of a big purchase about three weeks ago composes this lot with the addition of a number picked up advantageously during the past week. The cleverest little receptacles for carrying ever offered to the public at the price; every leather used in the manufacturing of bags is represented in the assortment and there are numerous compartments for stowing away of the various toilet aids such as powder, puffs, etc. Make rich but inexpensive Christmas gifts. Price only .....

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337-339 SOUTH BROADWAY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER



Mail Orders

Those of Southern California who attend this monster sale, but wish to take advantage of these price concessions, clip out such articles as they desire, mail at once to this house. Cash must accompany order. Goods will be packed by expert packers and shipped immediately. Entire satisfaction is assured.

Bargains in C...

80c KITCHEN CHAIR

Wood seat kitchen chair, golden oak finish, while they last.

$1.10 DINING CHAIR

High back, golden oak finish, saddle pattern in back, this chair will go fast.

$1.35 DINER $1.15.

Solid oak diner, cane seat, braced post, bargain at $1.35. While they last

$2.25 DINING CHAIR

Quartered oak finish, panel back, saddle seat, substantial chair; bargain.

$4.00 LEATHER SEAT BOX DI...

Solid oak, genuine leather seat, heavy finish, French legs, a very handsome chair, bargain.

Special Prices in Sets

$5.50, 50-PIECE DINNER SE...

Neat patterns, white, Homer Laughlin, set for six persons; bargain.

$10.00, 100-PIECE DINNER SE...

Good grade 100-piece dinner set, artistic only, complete set for 12 persons; bigger offered.

$23.00, 100-PIECE DINNER SE...

Forget-me-not decorations, gold trimmed, pattern, complete set for 12 persons; this is a dollar set; ask to see them; special bargain.

$32.00, 52-PIECE HAVILAND SE...

Apple blossom decorations, gold trimmed, set; complete set for 6 persons; big value in china.

Specials in Din...

Extension Tables

$7.00 EXTENSION TABLE $5.00

Turned legs and bolted, 48-inch top, golden oak finish, six-foot extension, bargain.

$16.00 PEDESTAL TABLE $12.90

Round top, solid oak, large pedestal, best construction, plain neat design, excellent bargain.

$25.00 PEDESTAL TABLE $17.50

Solid oak, round top, massive pedestal and carved claw feet, 6-foot extension, regular $25.00 value, bargain at $17.50.

$36.00 TABLE $29.00

Six foot pedestal extension table, extra large top, claw feet with animal head carving, large massive pedestal, quartered oak, special price.

Big Ca...

Carpets and Ru...

75c "UNION" CARPET 60c

Cotton chain, neat assortment, adaptable as used quite extensively, sewed, laid and price only, 60c.

$1.00 BRUSSELS CARPET 75...

Good weave, rich floral and Oriental pat... value, sewed, laid and lined, 75c.

$1.50 BRUSSELS CARPET $1.1...

The best make, heavy body, firm weave, floral patterns, exceptional wearing quality, laid and lined, $1.10.

Rugs

$2.75 VELVET RUG $1.75

Handsome velvet rugs, 27x54 inches, rich Oriental patterns; bargain.

$8.50 4x7 SMYRNA RUG $5.75

Convenient hall size, rich floral and Oriental... big values.

Couch Specials

$8.50 VELOUR COUCH $6.50

Roll heads, plain or tufted tops, fringed or ... ing, best velours used.

$21.00 VELOUR COUCH $15.75

Handsome oak frame, extra width, upholstered... velours, graceful style, these couches are great gains.

$25.00 LEATHER COUCHES $18.0...

Plain top, imperial edge, the latest style, ... construction, oak frames, a rare bargain; see

Combination Bookc...

$20.00 COMBINATION BOOK CASE $...

Handsome combination book case and secretary, ... tered oak, nice French mirror, neat style, we... one of our best values.

$25.00 COMBINATION BOOK CASE $2...

Combination book case and secretary, mahogany... best glass door, nice artistic pattern, French ... very fine case, and a special bargain.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS



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Such a magnificent display of furniture cannot be equaled in Western America. The newest, swellest styles are here. Many suggestions for Christmas gifts can be found in the wide variety now displayed on our many floors. Nothing is more appropriate or more appreciated than a useful gift in furniture, as its utility is considered in every sense. The economical advantages of buying at Overell's is widely known, as they have established a reputation as

The Mecca for Shrewd Buyers

Facilities for holiding goods until Christmas delivery. Entire satisfaction is assured on every purchase.

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This store stands a monument to the free American people. Unhampered by any combine, it is our aim to serve the people faithfully, giving honest values and placing before them the advantage of our buying organization.

Bargains in Chairs

80c KITCHEN CHAIR 65c.
Wood seat kitchen chair, golden oak finish, a good bargain while they last.

$1.10 DINING CHAIR 85c.
High back, golden oak finish, saddle seat, neat pressed pattern in back, this chair will go fast at our sale price.

$1.35 DINER $1.15.
Solid oak diner, cane seat, braced continuous back post, bargain at $1.35. While they last at $1.15.

$2.25 DINING CHAIR $1.85.
Quartered oak finish, panel back, saddle seat, a very neat, substantial chair; bargain.

$4.00 LEATHER SEAT BOX DINER $3.00.
Solid oak, genuine leather seat, heavy frame, golden oak finish, French legs, a very handsome chair, extra bargain.

Special Prices in Dinner Sets

$5.50, 50-PIECE DINNER SET $3.75.
Neat patterns, white, Homer Laughlin make, complete set for six persons; bargain.

$10.00, 100-PIECE DINNER SET $7.50.
Fine grade 100-piece dinner set, artistic shapes, white with gold, complete set for 12 persons; biggest bargain ever offered.

$23.00, 100-PIECE DINNER SET $17.00.
Handsome gold decorations, gold trimmed, choice patterns, complete set for 12 persons; this is a very popular set; ask to see them; special bargain.

$12.00, 52-PIECE HAVILAND SET $25.00.
Apple blossom decorations, gold trimmings, plain, rich shape; complete set for 6 persons; big value in Haviland china.

Specials in Ladies' Dressing Tables

$11.50 DRESSING TABLE $8.50
Large top, with drawer, golden oak finish, neat style, French mirror; big bargain.

$15.00 DRESSING TABLE $12.00
Quartered oak ladies' dressing table, large French plate mirror, drawer, square legs, best finish, large table top; special.

$20.00 DRESSING TABLE $15.50
Divided top drawers, large quartered oak top, handsome oval French mirror, neat style; excellent value; bargain.

$23.00 DRESSING TABLE $17.00
Excellent mahogany finish, large oval French mirror, 16x34 table top, full swell front, French legs, neatly carved, best construction; bargain.

$27.50 DRESSING TABLE $23.50
Serpentine front, all quartered oak, French mirror, best finish; a very handsome dressing table; extra bargain.

Big Bargains in Ladies' Desks

$7.00 LADIES' DESK $5.00
Handsome solid oak ladies' writing desk, golden oak finish, shelf, well braced, neat style; unusual bargain.

$12.00 LADIES' DESK $9.00
Quartered oak, large French mirror, very neat style, well finished; big bargain.

$16.00 LADIES' DESK $12.00
Very select birdseye maple, French legs, drawer, excellent finish, fine style; bargain.

$19.00 MAHOGANY LADIES' DESK $15.00
Mahogany ladies' writing desk, large drawer, French legs, polished, very neatly arranged desk, and a beauty; special bargain.

$25.00 BIRDSEYE MAPLE DESK $19.00
Full swell, with French legs, large roomy desk section, several drawers below, all select birdseye maple; bargain.

Rocker Specials

$2.25 ARM ROCKER $1.65
Hardwood rocker, saddle seat, arms, neatly carved back; bargain.

$3.75 OAK ROCKER $3.00
Solid oak, neat style, high back, cobbler seat, braced arms, turned spindles; extra special.

$5.50 FANCY ROCKER $4.25
Handsome rocker, quartered oak, carved panel back, well finished; special bargain.

$7.75 ARM ROCKER $6.00
Broad panel back, quartered oak seat and back, rich style, well finished; extraordinary bargain.

Specials in Music Cabinets

$10.00 OAK MUSIC CABINET $6.90
Semi-colonial design, quartered oak panel door, half French legs; a rare bargain.

$12.00 MAHOGANY CABINET $8.75
French mirror, excellent finish, fine cabinet work, nice size, strong and handsome; bargain.

$16.50 OAK MUSIC CABINET $11.50
Full quartered oak, polished, has drawer, French plate mirror, fine cabinet work, very pretty design.

$17.00 MAHOGANY MUSIC CABINET $13.50
This music cabinet is the climax of elegance, French mirror, very ornamental top projection, a combination of Gothic and colonial design, handsomely finished; extraordinary bargain.

Library Table Specials

$4.00 READING TABLE $2.60
Golden oak finish, has 20x30 top with drawer, turned legs; special bargain.

$17.00 LIBRARY TABLE $12.90
Large massive table, handsomely polished top and shelf of quartered oak, heavy turned legs; has drawer; big bargain.

STANDS

$1.50 CENTER TABLE $1.15
Solid oak, 16-inch top, shelf, moulding around top to keep from warping, well finished.

$5.00 CENTER TABLE $3.75
Handsome clover-leaf top, rope turned legs, quartered oak top and shelf, fine finish; is exceptional value at $3.75.

Big Reductions in Iron Beds

$3.00 IRON BEDS $2.50
Heavy side rails, seven-eighths posts, full size, white only. Special value.

$4.00 IRON BED $3.00
Neat design, angle irons at head and foot; brass knobs, assortment of colors; rare bargain.

$7.50 IRON BED $5.25
Heavy posts, high head board, fancy scroll design, good substantial bed; bargain.

$8.00 IRON BED $6.25
Strong neat bed, heavy posts, angle irons at head and foot, brass trimmed. Special.

$16.00 IRON BED $12.50
Large posts, heavy chills, brass trimmed, vertical bars with center scroll design; colors gold or cream, extra value.

Cut Prices in Dressers

$8.00 DRESSER $6.50
Golden oak finish, bevel mirror, deep drawers, exceptional value.

$12.50 DRESSER $9.75
Solid oak, oval French mirror, large roomy drawers, good cabinet work, nicely carved. Special while they last.

$18.25 MAPLE DRESSER $15.00
Select maple, divided top drawers, full size base, large French mirror, well finished; bargain.

$22.00 MAHOGANY DRESSER $16.50
Large roomy dresser, handsomely finished, extra large French mirror, divided top drawers.

$35.00 CURLY BIRCH DRESSER $27.00
Full swell front, French mirror, beautiful finish, rich design, and very popular; bargain.

Specials in Dining Room Pieces

Extension Tables

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Turned legs and bolted, 48-inch top, golden oak finish, six-foot extension, bargain.

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Round top, solid oak, large pedestal, best construction, plain neat design, excellent bargain.

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Solid oak, round top, massive pedestal and carved claw feet, 6-foot extension, regular $25.00 value, bargain at $17.50.

$36.00 TABLE $29.00
Six foot pedestal extension table, extra large top, claw feet with animal head carving, large massive pedestal, quartered oak, special price.

China Closets and Sideboards

$15.00 CHINA CLOSET $12.90.
Quartered oak, adjustable shelves, well finished, good roomy cabinet, bargain.

$28.00 CHINA CLOSET $23.50
Bent glass sides, full swell glass door, all quartered oak, adjustable shelves, neat style, extra value.

$23.50 SIDEBOARD $18.00
Serpentine top drawers, top heavily carved, pillar supports, 18x24 French mirror, solid oak, big bargain.

$36.00 SIDEBOARD $30.00
Handsome quartered oak, large French mirror, very best cabinet work, excellent finish, exceptional bargain.

Bargains in Weathered Oak Pieces

Chairs and Rockers

$1.90 WEATHERED OAK CHAIR $1.50
Cane seat, neat back, well braced, hardwood, very substantial chair.

$3.00 BOX DINER $2.00
Weathered oak finish, saddle seat, square legs, flat spindle back, fine mission style, bargain.

Rockers

$5.50 ROCKER $3.75
Saddle seat, broad panel back, well braced, weathered oak finish, plain neat rocker, exceptional value.

$12.00 MISSION ROCKER $8.25
Strictly mission style, flat spindle back, leather seat, best construction and finish, massive, bargain.

Extension Tables, China Closets, Buffets

$6.75 EXTENSION TABLE $5.00
Large top, square legs, tapering smaller to floor, well bolted, plain, simple construction, weathered oak finish, bargain.

$28.00 PEDESTAL TABLE $21.00
Six-foot extension, round top, massive pedestal, plain neat style, best material and construction, a fine table, and a big bargain.

$19.00 BUFFET $15.00
Weathered oak finish, large drawer with plush lined cutlery compartment, has shelf, full quartered oak, substantially built, bargain.

$25.00 CHINA CLOSET $20.00
Solid oak, adjustable shelves, mission style, excellent weathered oak finish, glass sides, large roomy case, special.

Extraordinary Bargains For The Nursery

$1.25 CHILD'S ROCKER 95c
Saddle seat, golden oak finish, spindle back, neat, strong chair.

$2.00 RATTAN NURSERY CHAIR $1.45
Close wove rattan frame and back, neat table board, bargain.

$1.35 HIGH CHAIR $1.00
Golden oak finish, good large table board, strong neat chair.

$3.75 FOLDING GO-CART $2.75
Steel tires, good gear, medium size, folds very closely, strong and light, special.

$4.75 BABY WALKER $3.50
New patent seat, easy to adjust, large table, strong frame, golden oak finish, special.

$4.00 CHILD'S MORRIS CHAIR $3.00.
Solid oak, reclining back, floral cushions, good finish.

$6.25 PATENT WHEEL HIGH CHAIR $4.50
Solid oak, cane seat, table, adjustable frame, well finished, can be adjusted into wheel chair.

$6.00 FOLDING CRIB $4.50
Woven wire springs, folding legs, sides and ends, strong, well made, fold so they will go under any regular size bed.

$11.00 IRON CRIB $8.00
High drop sides, assortment of colors, woven wire springs, good style, excellent value.

$12.00 BABY CARRIAGE $9.00
Good gear, large body, spring bottom, neatly upholstered, parasol to match, boot brake, exceptional value.

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75c "UNION" CARPET 60c
Fancy chain, neat assortment, adaptable for bedrooms; is used quite extensively, sewed, laid and lined; sale price only, 60c.

$1.00 BRUSSELS CARPET 75c
Good weave, rich floral and Oriental patterns, $1.00 value, sewed, laid and lined, 75c.

$1.50 BRUSSELS CARPET $1.10
The best make, heavy body, firm weave, very pretty floral patterns, exceptional wearing qualities, sewed, laid and lined, $1.10.

Rugs

$2.75 VELVET RUG $1.75
Handsome velvet rugs, 27x54 inches, rich tones in Persian patterns, bargain.

$8.50 4x7 SMYRNA RUG $5.75
Convenient hall size, rich floral and Oriental patterns, big values.

Couch Specials

$8.50 VELOUR COUCH $6.50
Full heads, plain or tufted tops, fringed or with moulding, best velours used.

$21.00 VELOUR COUCH $15.75
Handsome oak frame, extra width, upholstered in rich velours, graceful style, these couches are genuine bargains.

$25.00 LEATHER COUCHES $18.00
Plain top, imperial edge, the latest style, best spring construction, oak frames, a rare bargain; see them.

Combination Bookcases

$20.00 COMBINATION BOOK CASE $16.50
Handsome combination book case and secretary, quartered oak, nice French mirror, neat style, well finished, one of our best values.

$25.00 COMBINATION BOOK CASE $20.00
Combination book case and secretary, mahogany finish, bent glass door, nice artistic pattern, French mirror, a very fine case, and a special bargain.

Sterling Values in Parlor Suits and Odd Pieces

$20.00 3-PIECE PARLOR SUIT $16.50
Mahogany finished parlor suit, upholstered in green cut velour, nicely carved, neat style and good value.

$25.00 3-PIECE PARLOR SUIT $19.50
Rich mahogany frames, upholstered in block cut velours, nicely carved, well finished, extraordinary bargain.

$67.50 3-PIECE PARLOR SUIT $57.50
Rich, plain mahogany frames, French legs, very newest styles, portable silk plush cushions, with tassels, best construction and finish, cannot be duplicated at anything near our sale price.

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$8.00 CORNER CHAIRS $6.00
Mahogany finished frames, handsome verona coverings, well finished, good honest value.

$12.50 MAHOGANY DIVAN $9.00
Elegantly carved back, upholstered in rich verona, handsome mahogany frame, special bargain.

$25.00 MAHOGANY DIVAN $20.00
Rich mahogany frame with animal head carving, artistic design, verona portable cushions, exceptionally well finished, big value, bargain.

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Stoves and Ranges

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Large oven, heavy castings, place for water coil, fine baker, positively the best value on the market, guaranteed.

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$25.00 "IDEAL" GAS RANGE $19.00
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Solid quartered oak three-piece suit, serpentine front dresser and commode, large French plate mirror, richly carved, heavy roll on foot board, special.

$87.50 BIRCH BEDROOM SUIT $72.00
Handsome curly birch bedroom suit, full swell, full panel ends on dresser and commode, large 28x34 French mirror, handsome bedstead, best construction throughout.

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$12.50 FLAT TOP DESK $9.00
Large 48-inch top, double pedestal, one for ledgers, one for drawers, golden oak finish, closed back, big value.

$20.00 ROLL TOP DESK $15.00
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Failures of the Socialist Experimenters Have Caused an Awakening.

Poorer Service in the Public Utilities—Properties Allowed to Run Down and Taxation Increased Fifty Per Cent.—Politicians Make a Mess of Running the Gas Plants—Street Railways Wretchedly Conducted.

BY S. FRED HOGUE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

LONDON (Eng.) Nov. 15.—London has sounded the death knell of Municipal Socialism in Great Britain. For ten years the rule of the faddists was unconfined, but the awakening has come. The Cockney Tammany met an overwhelming defeat in the November elections and the sturdy old Conservatives are returning triumphantly to power.

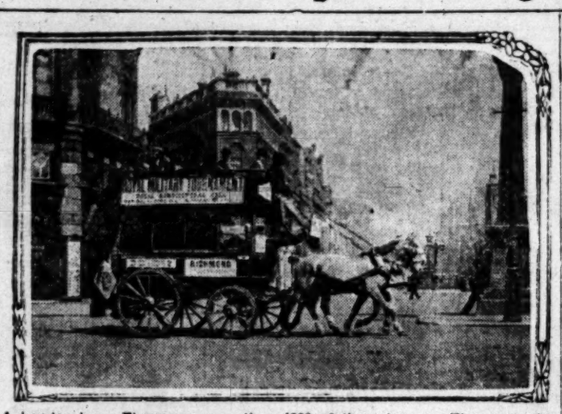
Municipal reformers have won 1115 of the 1362 seats in the city councils. They now control twenty-five of the twenty-eight boroughs of Greater London. Boss Crooks is about as popular as was his prototype Boss Tweed when Tammany Hall lost control of New York City.

November's elections affected only the borough councils; Crooks, Shaw and Kier-Hardie remain secure in their seats in the county council until March. Then will come the elections that are to decide whether London shall restore to private capital the great trading enterprises which her councillors have managed so disastrously as public utilities.

The municipal ownership bubble has burst. "While stands the London County Council municipal trading shall stand," asserted Kier-Hardie a year ago. The reform tidal wave now threatens to carry away the County Council itself and establish in its place a new system of borough councils.

SERVICE DETERIORATES.

For ten years London has followed the will-o'-the-wisps of the Municipal Socialists. During that time the public service has deteriorated, the municipal debt has almost doubled and the tax rate has increased fifty per cent. The awakening, so slow in coming, has arrived. It takes the average Londoner about as long to realize a civic extravagance as it does for him to see the point of an American joke.



A London bus. There are more than 4000 of these in use. They take the place of street cars and make a thoroughfare look like a procession of "sandwich" men.

London's awakening was accomplished by the workingmen themselves. These have revolted against the rule of the municipal bosses; the Socialists and the walking delegates have been alike repudiated by the honest workers; and the rule of the ring is broken. Twenty-five boroughs have elected councillors on straight anti-municipal ownership platforms.

Those fine salaries would be all well enough, say the workingmen, if we didn't have to pay them. I discussed this phase of the wage question with a number of workingmen who came to the rooms of the London Municipal Society, seeking for information about the tax rates.

"It reads smoothly enough when on paper," said one hard-fisted carpenter, "but it doesn't work out well. My neighbor is employed by the city. He gets off an hour earlier than I do and he receives two shillings a day more pay. I don't envy him his place, but I do object to taking part of my meager wages to pay his fine salary. Not one workingman in ten is employed by the City Council. This means that at least nine of us must pay higher rents in order that the tenth man shall get a soft snap.

"I have read a great deal in our papers of what your President says about a 'square deal.' If he were over here I do not believe that he would stand for a scheme in which nine of us give up part of our scanty earnings in order to provide the tenth man with an easy place at a fat salary.

"It spoils a man to get a city job here anyhow. He isn't expected to do more than half a day's work. If he does better than that he will get himself disliked by the workmen about him. After he has been with the city a few months he educates himself to be a loafer and he can't go back on a private job and keep pace with the other workmen."

It is largely due to the efforts of the municipal societies that the workmen of London have learned what municipal ownership really costs them. They have found that the city pays about twice as much as a private company for an improvement and that the improvement when completed is seldom satisfactory.

A LOS ANGELES PARALLEL.

The record which Los Angeles has made on its outfall sewer has many parallels here—in fact, they are the rule rather than the exception. London has spent $10,00,000 on workingmen's dwellings. The object was to clear away the slums. Many old buildings have been torn down and new ones built in their places, but the slums still exist. The city charges higher rents for the new houses, the old tenants cannot afford to pay the increase, and the result is that they are crowded back one street and a new slum district grows there.

In ten years London has lost $8,000,000 in rentals and taxes by taking the street railways from private companies. She has incurred an indebtedness of about $50,000,000, and in place of being reproductive the operation of the lines, including street widenings, has cost the city about $6,000,000 more than the income received from fares.

Two years ago London established a fleet of municipal steamboats on the Thames. These boats cost about $3,000,000. During the two years they were used the cost of operating expenses was $500,000 greater than the revenue. Now the boats are tied up at docks rusting out. The last of them was taken off the river on the first of November. For this costly experiment the taxpayers must subscribe $4,000,000, including interest on the bonds. For that expenditure the city could not now realize $250,000.

The City Council has already expended $3,000,000 on a power generating plant for the street railway system. At least $3,000,000 more must be spent before the plant is finished. This plant is a marvel in municipal extravagance. Years have been devoted to its building and others years must elapse before it is completed; there are some who assert that electric railways will be obsolete by the time this plant is finished.

Competent electrical experts say that an electrical station adequate to supply the London trams could have been built for at least half the sum that this plant will cost, and in half the time.

This is one of the monuments London taxpayers have raised to Bill Crooks and his ring of Socialist-Labor Union agitators. It is doubtful if its fellow can be found even in the records of the Tweed regime in New York City.

THE STORM.

These things are now common talk in London. When I wrote my first letter three months ago the metropolis was still asleep. Then the Socialist-Labor Union ring was corrupt and the city was apparently contented. It is now extremely doubtful whether Crooks and his followers will be able to weather the storm of indignation that broke with the dawn.

Complete municipalization of the London street railway system was one of the main issues of the campaign. The railways are divided into a northern and a southern system. The southern system has been operated by the city direct for three or four years, while the northern system is controlled and operated by private capital.

London's enormous population and congested districts present ideal conditions for street railroading. Under private ownership the system would be a greater money-maker than a government mint. But under the malignant influence of municipal socialism the lines do not pay expenses.

Last year the northern system, leased to a private company, paid ten times as great a revenue over working expenses to the city as the southern system operated by the County Council. But the Socialists were insisting on cancelling the northern lease so that the whole system might be under public control. The mass of population is in the southern district and it there that the profit should be greatest.

The reports of the London County Council reveal pretty clearly the reason why the southern system does not pay expenses. These reports show that the cost of laying a double track road by the municipality was $400,000 a mile. This was a little more than the London workingmen would stand.

Since the November elections there has been some inquiry about what price the city could get if it were to conclude to sell the street railways to private companies. This inquiry has been made by the conservatives. It is bringing to light some startling facts about the conditions of the power-houses and the shops, the rolling stock and other parts of the municipal street railway system.

In order to make a showing of profit on paper the Progressives have permitted the property to depreciate until a great deal of the machinery is worthless. The entire system needs overhauling, but a bond issue of at least $8,000,000 will be necessary to raise the money. The sum set aside for renewals has not been equal to one-tenth of the actual depreciation of the property.

One firm of acturaries has estimated that the city could not sell the street railways for $10,000,000 less than she paid for them. In fact, there is a growing suspicion here that the life of the electric street railway is doomed. Within the two-mile district more than 1200 automobile busses are now operating. The fares on these busses is as low as on the cars; in many places they make better time and they are much more popular. The result is that bankers and financiers are exceedingly chary about how they invest money in private street car lines.

It is freely predicted here that ten years hence there will be no street car rails on London thoroughfares; but for the next fifty years the people of London will be paying for the bonds with which the Progressives bought the street car lines.

At the present time there are no surface lines inside what is called the two-mile limit. This comprises the heart of the business district. Here the only means of transportation are the clumsy, unsightly, double-decked penny busses, the 'ansom cab and the automobile busses. The latter were introduced only last May but they have about crowded the penny bus off the streets.

London's failures in municipal trading have been duplicated on a smaller scale by almost every city of Great Britain in which the Crooks-Kier-Hardie ring have gained a foothold. The failures are probably more marked here for the reason that the population of the metropolis is so great the there are millions of customers for a gas or electric company, and millions of fares for the tram cars.

CHEAP GAS—WHY?

London gets cheap gas, as compared with the other English and Scotch cities, but for its electricity and for street car rides pays away above the average. Its gas plant is the only utility that has not been absorbed by the Municipal Socialists.

In order to test the Socialist argument that municipal ownership would always reduce the cost of gas and electricity to the consumer I have compiled a table showing the comparative prices charged by municipalities and private companies.

In England the cost of gas or electricity is regulated largely by the price of coal. I have classed together cities in the same localities or at equal distances from the great coal fields.

Here are two comparisons near the coal fields of the price of gas:

	Price per 1000 Cubic Feet.	Candle Power.
Sheffield (company)	1s. 4d.	
	1s. 8d.	17.4
	1s. 9d.	
Birmingham (municipal)	2s. 4d.	16.36
	2s. 3d.	
Liverpool (company)	2s. 5d.	20.9
	2s. 4d.	
Manchester (company)	2s. 7d.	17.4

Prices charged for gas by cities situated away from the coal fields are as follows:

	Price.	Candle Power.
London (company)	2s. 0d.	16.52
Glasgow (municipal)	2s. 1d.	
Bristol (company)	2s. 2d.	14.5
Hull (company)	2s. 0d.	15.62
Derby (company)	2s. 6d.	15.5
Hartpool (company)	2s. 1d.	16.28
Newcastle (company)	1s. 10d.	16.19
Wolverhampton (company)	2s. 6d.	15.77
Accrington (municipal)	2s. 8d.	15.77
Barrow (municipal)	2s. 6d.	20.
Blackburn (municipal)	3s. 1d	17.
Bolton (municipal)	2s. 9d.	18.
Hudderfield (municipal)	2s. 7d.	15.
Leeds (municipal)	2s. 2d.	18.4
Nottingham (municipal)	2s. 2—2s. 6.	16.
Walsall (municipal)	2s. 5d.	15.

Comparative prices charged for electric light are a follows:

	Price.	Candle Power.
Birmingham (municipal)	1s. 0d.	17.
Sheffield (company)	1s. 4d.	17.36
Glasgow (municipal)	2s. 1d.	21.
Bristol (company)	1s. 11d.	18.25
Leeds (municipal)	2s. 3d.	18.4
London (company)	2s. 0d.	14.7
Newcastle (company)	2s. 0d.	16.59
Darlington (municipal)	2s. 0d.	15.75
Tottenham (company)	2s. 1d.	15.59
Halifax (municipal)	2s. 3d.	17.64
Derby (company)	2s. 1d.	15.50
Nottingham (municipal)	2s. 2d.	16.



London streets. In the center is the Stock Exchange building. The long, low building to the left is the Bank of England. The narrow thoroughfare running past it is Threadneedle street. The three windows to the right are in front of the mansion house of the Lord Mayor.

ARROWHEAD COLLECTION.

F. L. Buchanan Has Interesting and Almost Perfectly-Formed Specimens.

F. L. Buchanan, of No. 1553 East Fifty-sixth street, has a collection of quartz arrowheads from the Nolachuca River district, in North Carolina, about twenty-five miles east of Ashville, which is one of the best in the country, it is said. There are about forty specimens in the collection, and they are made in the same general shapes as the flint arrowheads common throughout the West.

The largest specimen is 3 3-4 inches long and 1 3-4 inches across the widest part. It is perfectly transparent except for the refraction caused by the chipped surface. It is said to be the finest one of the kind extant. The smallest is an inch long and a quarter of an inch wide. Another is three-quarters of an inch long and one-half inch wide. All are almost perfectly formed. In the collection also is a clay pipe of peace.

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INDIAN SOCIETY APPEALS.

Urges Congress to Pass Laws to Protect Squaws in Alaska and Prohibit Liquor Among Tribes.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The National Indian Association today adopted resolutions asking Congress to legislate against the use of public funds for the aid of sectarian schools and urging the passage by Congress of laws for the protection of the Indian women and girls in Alaska, and for the maintenance of prohibitory liquor laws in all Indian tribes.

ARRESTED AT FRESNO.

Stockton Man Accused of Buying Two Automobiles With no Money to Pay for Them.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

FRESNO, Dec. 8.—Leo Schlesinger was arrested tonight on a telegram from Stockton, where he is wanted on a charge of embezzlement. Schlesinger, it is alleged, negotiated for the purchase of two automobiles, but had no money. In Stockton, it is alleged, he purchased 999 horses and went off without paying.

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Our $10 Offer

$10.00 is an ordinary popular price. Suits at this price are ordinary values usually, but at this sale will give every purchaser the biggest value he ever received at this price, suits that are made to sell at $22.50 will be sacrificed at this price—merely to advertise the excellent goods made in our own factories. No better suits were ever sold for less than $10.

Also 100 Overcoats

All this season's styles, selected materials and patterns will be sold at this price, $10.00.

Shirts

Usual 50c and 65c Golf shirts, only 29c.

75c Golf shirts, at this sale, for 35c.

Regular $1.00 values in black Sateen work shirts, between 40 and 50 shirts to be sold at this price, 45c.

$1.25 Dressy shirts, will sell for 65c.

$1.75 Selected materials and popular patterns for, 85c.

$2.00 Popular makes, up-to-date patterns, 89c.

A $2.50 line of shirts in Black and Light colors, soft shirts, collars attached, all marked at one price, to move them quickly, 89c.

Swell $2.50 Silk shirts at, $1.25.

$3.00 Values in silk shirts, selling for $1.50.

$1.25 Big values in Sateen shirts for 69c.

Underwear

40c and 50c values in popular balbriggan goods all marked at 21c.

75c and 80c, a selected line of these values in heavy ribbed styles for 45c.

85c values in light weight wool underwear, 45c.

$1.00 values in heavy wool underwear, going for 69c.

$1.50 grade of heavy wool garments at this sale, 75c.

$2.00 selected fine wool underwear, 99c.

$1.25 values in special lines of wool underwear, 85c.

Handkerchiefs

Regular 10c handkerchiefs going for 3 1-3c.

Regular 15c handkerchiefs going for 6c.

Regular 22c handkerchiefs going for 12½c.

12½c and 15c fancy bordered handkerchiefs will sell at 8c each.

Hosiery

15c Fine black and tan hose marked 6c.

25c fancy and plain colored hose, 11c.

35c line of fancy hose, 15c.

Excellent 50c fancy lisle hose, 19c.

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Pants

$2.50 Men's popular styles in trousers for $1.65.

$4.50 Popular worsted patterns, hand tailored, $2.45.

$5.75 and $6.00 pants will go at $2.95.

$6.50 Latest imported worsted material, $3.25.

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$2.50 Shoes in popular lasts and makes at $1.65.

$3.00 Shoes, stylish and well made lines, at $1.98.

$4.00 and $4.50 Shoes, the very best, including lines of Vici Kid and Patent leathers, for $2.95.

Hats

$200 Hats, in many styles, all good values at $1.25.

$2.50 Fedora Hats in stylish blacks and grays, $1.45.

$3.00 Stiff and soft hats, this season's latest styles, at $1.65.

Suspenders

25c Men's Suspenders, 14c.

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Extra fine 50c Suspenders, 25c.

Regular 75c Suspenders only 25c.

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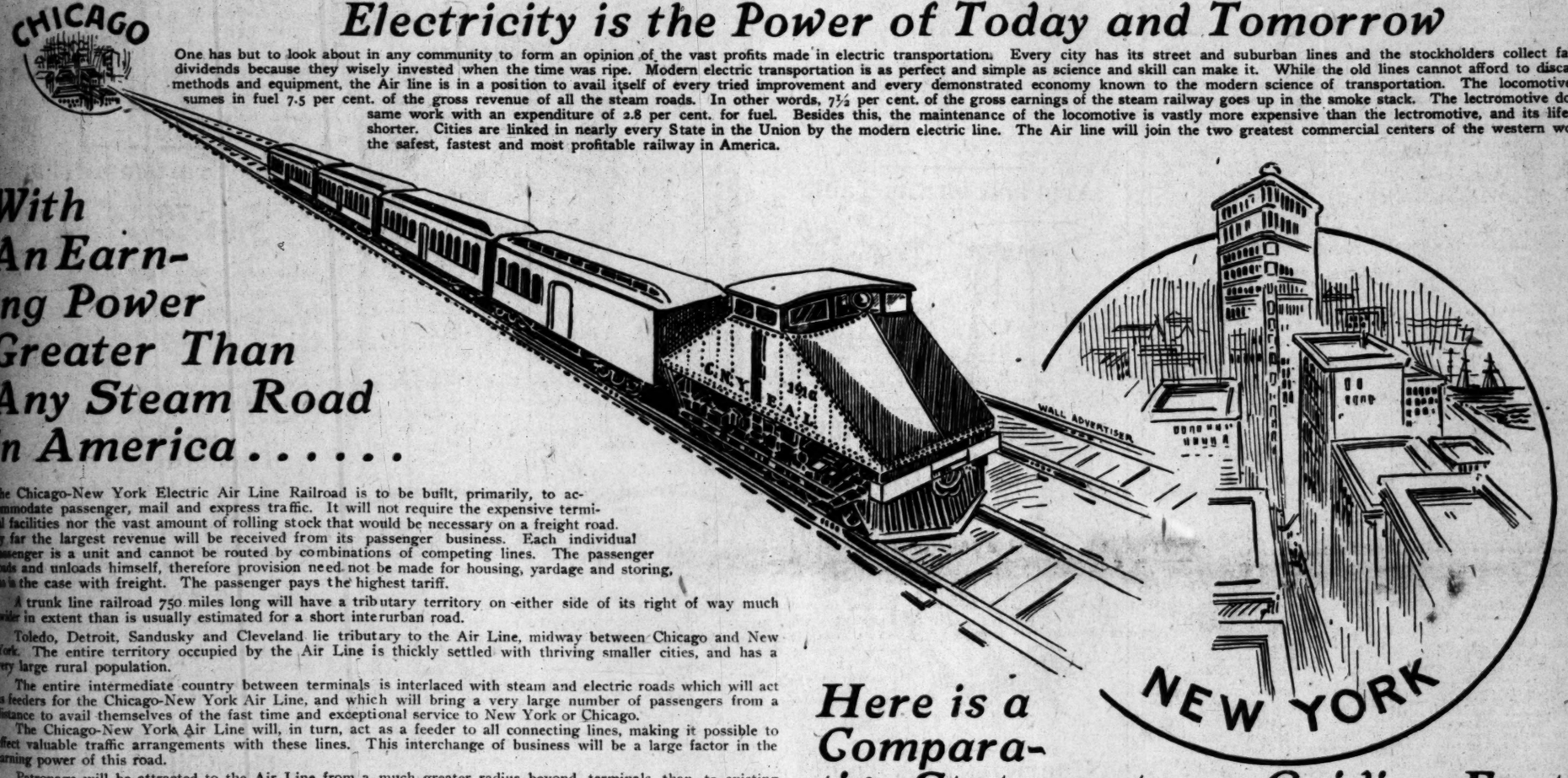
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The Chicago-New York Electric Air Line Railroad is to be built, primarily, to accommodate passenger, mail and express traffic. It will not require the expensive terminal facilities nor the vast amount of rolling stock that would be necessary on a freight road. By far the largest revenue will be received from its passenger business. Each individual passenger is a unit and cannot be routed by combinations of competing lines. The passenger loads and unloads himself, therefore provision need not be made for housing, yardage and storing, as in the case with freight. The passenger pays the highest tariff.

A trunk line railroad 750 miles long will have a tributary territory on either side of its right of way much wider in extent than is usually estimated for a short interurban road.

Toledo, Detroit, Sandusky and Cleveland lie tributary to the Air Line, midway between Chicago and New York. The entire territory occupied by the Air Line is thickly settled with thriving smaller cities, and has a very large rural population.

The entire intermediate country between terminals is interlaced with steam and electric roads which will act as feeders for the Chicago-New York Air Line, and which will bring a very large number of passengers from a distance to avail themselves of the fast time and exceptional service to New York or Chicago.

The Chicago-New York Air Line will, in turn, act as a feeder to all connecting lines, making it possible to effect valuable traffic arrangements with these lines. This interchange of business will be a large factor in the earning power of this road.

Patronage will be attracted to the Air Line from a much greater radius beyond terminals than to existing roads. The through business between Chicago and New York is very large as it now exists; but better accommodations, more frequent service, shorter distance, quicker time and the lower rate of fare which is made possible by this route will create a vast amount of new through business, and will also build up a local traffic between intermediate points on the road.

The revenue from United States mail contracts will add a large amount to the earnings of the railroad. Time in the delivery of the mails being the essential factor, the Air Line will have every advantage necessary to secure large contracts.

The government contracts for the transmission of mail with railroads operating between Chicago and New York amount to about $9,000,000 annually. The revenues which the Air Line will derive from this source will amount to at least $2,000,000.

Contracts with express companies can readily be secured, for the same conditions prevail in handling express matter as with the mails. The revenue from this source is estimated to equal or exceed that received from government mail contracts.

Enormous Earnings of the Railroads of the Country

Almost fabulous in their extent are the figures made public by the Interstate Commerce Commission of the earnings of the American railways for the year ending June 30, 1906.

Total gross earnings as shown were $2,319,760,030. This is equivalent to $10,548 per mile. Passenger earnings alone were $618,555,934, or $2,811 per mile. Operating expenses were $6963 per mile. These figures are instructive as indicating the vast profit in railroad traffic even with the clumsy and wasteful steam methods of transportation. Given a modern electric equipment, the profits on this vast amount of business, fabulous as it seems now, would be simply enormous.

Here is a Comparative Statement as a Guiding Factor

In order to make a comparison with the nearest approach to a similiar line we will quote from statistics of the Aurora, Elgin & Chicago Railway Company

Moody's Manual for 1905 gives the following information regarding the Aurora, Elgin and Chicago road:

The road covers a territory of 57 miles in length, including 26 miles double track, making a total mileage of 83 miles. It is equipped with one power station, 6 sub-stations, 3 power engines, 23 motor cars, 23 box and freight cars. The total cost of the line and equipment as given by "American Street Railway Investments" is $7,848,749. Reliable information indicates that this figure is 20 per cent. in excess of the actual cost of the road and its equipment.

The gross earnings of the Aurora line for the year ending June 30, 1905, are given as $505,454, which would be $5.68 per capita for the total population in the territory served.

The operating expenses of the Aurora line, as given by "American Street Railway Investments," for the year ending June 30, 1905, were $283,467, or 56 per cent. of the gross receipts.

The longer haul on the Air Line will reduce the operating expenses to not over 50 per cent. of the gross receipts.

Brief Comparative Statement

	Aurora, Elgin & Chicago	Goshen, So. Bend & Chicago (Estimated)
Territory traversed	57 miles	120 miles
Length of double track	26 miles	100 miles
Total mileage	83 miles	220 miles
Interurban population	89,000	190,000
Population per mile of road	1,600	1,600
Earnings per capita	$5.68	$10.00
Gross earnings (1905)	$505,454	$1,900,000
Operating expenses	$283,467	$950,000
Net earnings	$221,987	$ 950,000

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There is a right moment for investment in any enterprise. While the United States teems with safe and good investments, there are always some which appeal more forcibly to the reason, the judgment and the purse than others. This is of that class and character. The necessity exists for the line. The traffic is eagerly awaiting the facilities. The profit is greater than in any other railroad in the country, and last but not least, the railroad is growing every day, mile by mile, forging steadily forward to its ultimate completion. If you want to place your money, be it much or little, where every dollar will return in liberal dividends, forming possibly a competence for you while you live and leaving an inheritance when you die, don't let this opportunity pass. The medium that has made millions for others can make its share for you also, if you but pause to think, to ivestigate and to buy. **CONSIDER IT NOW—TODAY—REMEMBER THAT THE PRICE GOES TO $30 DEC. 15.**

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WEEK'S-END SOCIAL NEWS.

Affairs of Interest to the Ladies Especially.

Weddings, Parties, Dinners. Other Functions.

Charmingly Appointed Tea Given Yesterday.

One of the most charmingly appointed affairs of the week was a tea given yesterday afternoon by Miss Frances Barber of No. 2707 Halldale avenue in compliment to Mrs. William P. Dunlap, who is visiting here.

The handsome home was aglow with rare flowers in artistic profusion. In the library pink and white roses and ferns were effectively combined. Creamy masses of eucalyptus blossoms among the sage green of their foliage made artistic trimmings for the living room. The dining-room was especially attractive. From the chandelier swung a fancy basket filled with glowing poinsettias, while the table was lighted with red candelabra and held a basket of scarlet carnations tied with red ribbons as centerpieces. On the buffet and otherwhere were baskets of red carnations. In the bay window a chime of Christmas bells swung right merrily.

Receiving with the hostess and guest of honor was Mrs. Henry A. Covert, cousin of Miss Barber. Assisting were: Mrs. George Bliss Culver, Mrs. Claude Holman and Mrs. Charles Bishop. In the dining-room Miss Snow Longley and Miss Edna Waterman presided at the coffee and chocolate urns. Young women who assisted in the dining-room were: Mrs. Malcolm Campbell, Mrs. Harry Paddleford and Misses Lida Covert, Lucy Sinsabaugh and Clara Smith.

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Mrs. Montgomery's Tiffin.

Mrs. George Montgomery of No. 1010 West Twenty-first street entertained yesterday afternoon at tiffin in honor of Miss Ivah Patterson, who has just returned from a delightful oriental trip.

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Kutnow Dinner.

Julian Kutnow, a well-known manufacturer of New York city, gave an elegantly appointed dinner at the Alexandria. The table and banquet room were beautifully decorated, and just as the guests sat down the lights went out and in a second a light appeared from the ferns and flowers in front of each plate. Music was furnished by the Hawaiian Band and the Hungarian Orchestra in alternation. There were no formal toasts, but several of an impromptu nature. It was an evening of real happiness. The service and menu reflected the greatest credit upon the management of the Alexandria. The guests were: J. C. Ford, vice-president and manager of the Pacific Coast Company, and president of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, and Drs. M. L. Moore, H. Bert Ellis Walter Lindley, George L. Cole, J. H. Davisson, Hervey Lindley of Seattle, Drs. F. T. Bicknell, John D. Haynes, Thomas E. Taggart, W. W. Beckett, E. R. Smith, W. W. Hitchcock, Carl Kurtz and A. C. Thorpe.

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Miss Sampson a Bride.

An interesting wedding ceremony which took place in the First Congregational Church was that of Miss Lulu Sampson, daughter of Mrs. Mary Sampson, prominent in W.C.T.U. work, and Dr. Charles S. Porter of Long Beach. Rev. Warren F. Day officiated.

The bride wore a becoming gown of gray broadcloth with hat to match and carried a shower bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley. She herself is interested in the W.C.T.U. work, and painted all the badges for the National W.C.T.U. Convention. Dr. Porter is a Long Beach physician and has a sanitarium at Burnett, where he and his bride will make their home.

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"Don't Worry."

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kleinberger entertained the members of the "Don't Worry" Whist Club at their home, No. 1026 Bonnie Brae street. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kornfeldt won the first prizes, and the second honors were captured by Mr. and Mrs. I. Green, while Mrs. Emil Strauss and Mr. Goldsmith won the consolations. An elaborate supper was served from a prettily decorated table, and vocal selections were given by Mrs. Marcus and Mr. Goldsmith.

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Fortieth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Brewer received friends at their home on West Forty-second street and celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary. The rooms were prettily decorated, red being the prevailing tone. Many beautiful gifts were received. Light refreshments were served, and a pleasant afternoon was passed by those present. Among others present were: Mmes. J. Reichard, William Teakle, J. Rhomberg, C. T. Cook, Lee Storry, W. N. Ballie, W. N. Burns, G. W. Comse, W. T. Joyce, M. E. Hanlon, John Lewellyn, Mrs. Edith Puff, Mrs. Hollenbeck, Mrs. Norman Bryant and Mrs. M. H. Cone.

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Miss Thew Entertains.

Under the auspices of the Wednesday Morning Club, Miss Bessie Belle Thew, assisted by a number of friends, gave a most delightful entertainment on Friday evening at No. 2515 Pasadena avenue.

Miss Thew gave several original readings, written by herself, including "A Daughter of Russia," a sad little story of the Russian settlement, and "The Morning Mail," brightened the listeners with its quaint bit of humor, running through it. Miss Garra Van Loenen, a pupil of Miss Thew's, gave a "Midnight Spread," and Miss Ethel Hodgson in a "Test of Geography," was most convincing. "The Joys of Domestic Culture" was a fetching bit of comedy as done by Miss Emma and Sherman Shumway. Little Portia Newport, the thirteen-year-old vocalist, won a large amount of praise for her dainty vocalizing of several songs.

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Hawxhurst Wins Bride.

Henry I. Hawxhurst, cartoonist, and Miss Edith Nora Humphreys, were married last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Hawxhurst will make their home at Sierra Madre, it is announced. Mrs. Hawxhurst, who is a native of England, is a charming young woman and has for some time resided at Sierra Madre. Mr. Hawxhurst is well known among the artists.

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Mr. Kremer Is Engaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Lissner of No. 422 West Adams street announce the engagement of their cousin, Miss Lucille Jacobs of Berkeley, to Mr. M. Kremer of this city. Mr. Kremer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Kremer of No. 952 Lake street, pioneers of the city, and Mr. Kremer himself is a native son. Miss Jacobs is a bright and attractive young bud.

A reception will be held on Sunday afternoon, December 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lissner for Miss Jacobs, who is visiting here, and Mr. Kremer.

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Miss Edmunds Is Bride.

Miss Lucy F. Edmunds and L. Shirley Luard, formerly of Washington, D. C., were married recently in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Rev. J. J. Wilkins officiating. The bride wore white swiss trimmed with lace, and wore a veil with orange blossoms, and carried a shower of bride roses. Soon after the ceremony, the couple left on the evening train for Vallejo to make their future home.

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Merry Makers' Whist Club.

Mrs. Koop entertained members of the Merry Makers' Whist Club at her home, No. 1707 Toberman street, on Friday afternoon. Score cards were suggestive of the Christmas season, in the shape of bells adorned with holly berries. The prizes were large framed pictures of "Cupid Awake." Refreshments were served, and those present were Mrs. Jasper, Mrs. N. Powell, Mrs. Flint, Miss Beatty, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Steadman, Mrs. Giffen, Mrs. McLean, Miss Flint, Miss Gaty, Mrs. McKinne, Mrs. Hatch, Mrs. McCutcheon, Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. Coppock, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Beatty, Mrs. E. Powell, Mrs. Slack and Mrs. Koop.

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For Mrs. White.

A number of Mrs. Claudia Hazen White's friends are arranging a minstrel show and fancy cotton dress ball to be given on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Glendale skating rink. A large number of society folk will take part in the show. Mrs. Harry Dow Kirk of Colegrove will be Black Patti, and is to sing Arditti's waltz songs. Frank Heemshaich of Glendale will sing the Toreador song from "Carmen," in costume. Clarence Peck will play a selection from Rubenstein on the violin. J. F. Carson of Los Angeles will sing "My Chocolate Drop," a coon song with words and music by Claudia Hazen White. Mrs. White will give a medley called "Her Actress Child," which includes the cursing scene from "Leah, the Forsaken;" a coon specialty, "Angelina Johnson," and various other selections. The whole gay affair is to end with a cake walk, the winners to receive two mammoth cakes, weighing five and ten pounds each. Then there is to be a fancy cotton-dress ball. A $5 gold piece will be given to the wearer of the gown looking least like cotton.

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Notes and Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Metcalf have taken apartments at Hotel Heinzeman for the winter.

La Fiesta Parlor, No. 236, will give the first dance for the season at Kramer's Hall, on the evening of December 18. This chapter is the baby chapter of the Native Sons of the Golden West, and this is the first dance which they have essayed to give.

The University Five Hundred Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Green, No. 2936 Halldale avenue. Mrs. E. M. Smith and J. Burris Mitchell, making the highest scores, were awarded the first prizes. Mrs. Thomas K. Hughes and A. L. Keys received the consolation prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Weid, recently returned from an oriental trip, have located at No. 1613 West Seventh street. Mrs. Weid will be at home on the first and third Fridays.

Mrs. I. M. Seits and Mrs. John A. Moss of Clay Center, Kan., who have been touring the Coast for three months, are visiting at the home of D. W. Sidey, No. 1822 West Twenty-fourth street.

Announcement of the engagement of Walter H. Jackson and Mrs. E. Gertrude Lewis is made. The wedding will be a quiet home affair, sometime during the holidays.

GETS TICKETS BY MAGIC.

Indian Fakir Relieves Railroad Employee of Embarrassing Situation.

[Advocate of India:] Mohammed Che apparently is allowed by the particular railway company whose line passes through his part of the country to ride without a ticket, for the simple reason that he can always procure a ticket by unknown means if he wishes to. The inspectors have now given up asking him.

Some years ago he happened to be at a certain station where he was not known and asked the booking clerk for a ticket to another station a little way up the line. The clerk produced the ticket, which Mohammed Che proceeded to take.

When asked for the money he confessed he had not any with him, whereupon the clerk took back the ticket. Mohammed Che merely shrugged his shoulders and sat down quietly on the platform to wait.

It was about half an hour before the departure of the train. Very soon intending pasengers began to arrive and ask for tickets. What was the booking clerk's consternation when he found that there was not a single ticket in the office! Every single pigeonhole was emply!

The number of applicants for tickets began to swell, and there was soon almost a mob of angry and perspiring people around the opening. The poor clerk did not know what to do. There he was without a single ticket, and every minute the time at which the train was due drew nearer.

At last Mohammed Che looked up and said that if the clerk would give him his ticket he would see what he could do. The poor man, in despair, consented.

He turned around and lo! in one pigeonhole was a single ticket to the place where the old magician wished to go. Having handed this over, he turned around again, and lo his abject astonishment every pigeonhole now bulged with tickets.

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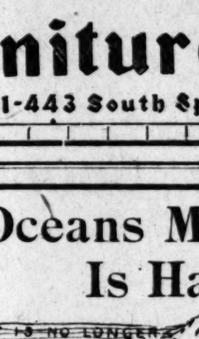
How strange it is that everybody agrees that it is best to buy Christmas gifts early and so few do it

We can see an improvement this year, however. The last week has been a lively one. Hundreds of pieces have been selected and laid aside subject to the purchaser's order. We do this favor willingly and will do anything else that we can to make your shopping a pleasure.

We hope to see you this week.



Here's Something Extra Good



This Arm Chair $21

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Weathered Oak Desk

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Arts and Crafts Table



$7.50

Worth $9.50

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Reversible Card Tables

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You will find that a card table will be welcome in many homes when you are planning to send a gift.

This one is made in mahogany, with top polished on one side and green felt on the other.

We have other equally good values.

Quartered Oak Table



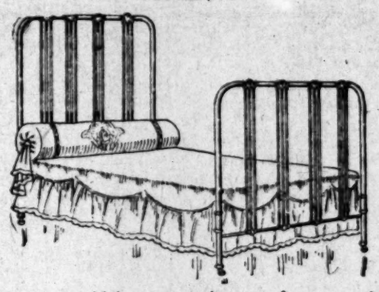
$5

Worth $6.50

It is made of quarter sawed oak in the golden finish. The finish is perfect — it is hand polished. After all, the fads in finishes have their day; golden oak still holds its popularity.

This Splendid Bed $12

Worth $16



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This Craftsman Chair

$6.75

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It is a Gustav Stickley chair; that is all we need to say. We have both the fumed and weathered finish and the seat is upholstered in various colors. This is a sample of our chair bargains.

This Music Cabinet

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We have an exceptionally good assortment of music cabinets this year. You will have no trouble in geting one in the finish you want and at the price you want to pay.

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"Prices for agricultural products and fruit are higher than ever before. Winter vegetables are now going forward, and shipments are heavier than during the corresponding period last year. Prices are higher, and demand is stronger. Tomatoes are bringing $40 a ton and it is believed that $60 will be reached. Call for celery exceeds supply. The output will total this year 2100 carloads.

"The bean crop for 1906 is harvested. All not shipped is in warehouses. The yield was 835,000 bags, the carry-over stock 40,000. Nearly two-thirds of the crop has gone forward and prices have been well sustained. The shorts selling Limas came to grief on their October and November contracts. It has been the most prosperous year in the history of the industry.

"It is a great year both for beet tonnage and percentage of sugar. The output is 110,000,000 pounds, valued at $4,400,000.

"There are only eighty carloads of honey to Southern California's credit this year, as against 175, the average output. Growers expect 4½ cents or better.

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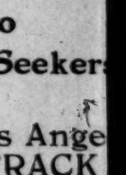
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AT HIGH-WATER MARK.

Business Conditions in November Show Better and Bank Clearings Unprecedented.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s report for November shows that trade conditions during the month were very satisfactory. Following is the report in full:

"Prices for agricultural products and fruit are higher than ever before. Winter vegetables are now going forward, and shipments are heavier than during the corresponding period last year. Prices are higher, and demand is stronger. Tomatoes are bringing $40 a ton and it is believed that $60 will be reached. Call for celery exceeds supply. The output will total this year 60 carloads.

"The bean crop for 1906 is harvested. If not shipped is in warehouses. The yield was 35,000 bags, the carry-over 40,000. Nearly two-thirds of the crop has gone forward and prices have been well sustained. The shorts selling Limas came to grief on their October and November contracts. It has been the most prosperous year in the history of the industry.

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SHIP SUBSIDY IS POSSIBLE.

BELIEVED THAT CONGRESS MAY ENACT SUCH A BILL.

Speaker Cannon Willing That the Measure May Come Up at This Session—Other Republican Opponents Are Now Understood to Have Changed Their Minds.

A Washington dispatch to the New York Journal of Commerce says there seems to be a growing conviction in Washington that the Ship Subsidy Bill will become a law at the next session of Congress. The measure, which was before the last session, passed the Senate, was unofficially approved by the President and the House Committee on Merchant Marine was about evenly divided in its support. A sufficient number of Republicans in the committee voted with the Democrats to defeat it. Speaker Cannon was unwilling, it is said, to allow it to come up. The Republicans who were opposed to the measure were as follows: Benjamin P. Birdsall of Iowa, William W. Wilson of Illinois, James E. Watson of Indiana and Edmund H. Hinshaw of Nebraska. It is thought that if Speaker Cannon is willing to allow the measure to come up, Mr. Watson will be willing to change his vote, which would tie the committee.

It is stated now that Speaker Cannon will be willing for the measure to come up this session, and was unwilling last session mainly because of the rush of business. He is said to have remarked: "We will be all right at this end of the avenue." With all these considerations in favor of the passage of the bill, it is still to be observed that the committee will be tied if the others vote as they did last term. No changes in the personnel of the committees have occurred to alter the situation, and it is thought improbable that any new arguments can be found one way or the other which would have much influence upon the committee.

If the opponents of the measure make a determined stand in support of the Republican opponents on the committee, they may still be able to defeat it. Activity on the other side of the proposition may be confidently expected. One reason for believing that the four Republican opponents of the measure are liable to weaken is that their position last session was one of passive opposition, they were unwilling to vote for it, and the measure was not passed.

ARGUMENTS FOR SHIP SUBSIDY.

The annual report of the Bureau of Navigation, Department of Commerce and Labor, which has just been issued, is made to subserve an obvious purpose in harmony with that of the administration as proclaimed by Secretary Root and others, namely, to support the ship subsidy measure. In fact, there is little else in the report.

There is a first summary of conditions in the shipbuilding trade. We are told briefly that the documented vessels number 26,006 of 6,674,969 gross tons, that American shipping on the Pacific has doubled during the decade, while on the lakes it has increased 69 per cent. in the same period and is now one-third of our total tonnage; that the Atlantic and Gulf shipping has increased 29 per cent. and that it now requires 177,200 men to man all our merchant vessels and yachts. In this same decade the world's merchant shipping has increased about 45 per cent.

The year's construction was 1221 vessels of 418,745 gross tons, but only three ocean steamers were built. If the present rate of construction is unhindered by strikes or delays in furnishing structural steel the output of our shipyards will be the largest in half a century, close to that of 1855, which holds the record. Work is more evenly distributed on the seaboard and on the lakes than for some years. Of the thirty-two ocean steamers building on the seaboard, only two are for foreign trade, and these will operate under the postal subsidy laws of 1891. Then follows the argument for the ship subsidy, which is, briefly, as follows:

"The assemblage of large bodies of trained mechanics in our shipyards creates a condition especially favorable to a legislative project to begin to reestablish the American merchant marine in foreign trade next year, and the enactment of the Merchant Marine Commission Bill, which has passed the Senate, is recommended. An American ship cannot receive a subsidy unless it carries a certain proportion of naval reserves. These reserves are volunteers, not conscripts, and the success of the measure thus depends on the willingness of competent American seamen to enroll as volunteers, under direction of the Navy Department. The bill is thus founded on national defense. The expenditures for naval reserves are to be fixed by Congress on estimates of the Secretary of the Navy. Expenditures for ocean mail steamers are to be fixed by Congress on estimates of the Postmaster-General. The expenditures for general subsidies to cargo steamers and merchant vessels depend on numerous conditions, including carrying naval reserves, fixed in a written contract with the Secretary of Commerce and Labor. Few Federal appropriations are so rigidly safeguarded."

SIX WOMEN CLAIMED HIM.

Embarrassing Conditions of a Man Who Knew Not One of the Claimants.

"A strange case of mistaken identity occurred some years ago in Kirk Langley, England," said the old lawyer. "Diligence Kerry was the name of a young man who lived there. He procured an appointment to India and just before he went he married a lovely girl of the village. It was agreed that she would not go out to India with him at once, but should wait until he had prepared a home for her.

"Soon after he reached India he had letters from England informing him that his wife had died of gastric fever. He remained in India and accumulated a fortune.

"Twenty years after he had left home he returned and settled down in Starling cottage, which he bought. Not long after his return he happened to be seen by a Mrs. Rucktuck of Liverpool, who promptly declared to her friends that Kerry was the husband of a neighbor of hers, he having left the country some years before. Mrs. Rucktuck at once communicated with the deserted wife, and she went to Kirk Langley and the moment she saw Kerry she identified him as her husband, and, despite his protestations, insisted on claiming him as such. The strange dispute created much consternation in the village, and proof was quickly sought on both sides to make good the respective assertions.

"Pending the settlement of the dispute, a second woman, Mrs. Spass, suddenly appeared upon the scene and declared that Kerry had been married to her and had deserted her. Besides these, four other women came forward, each of whom claimed Kerry as her own lawful husband, and, what is stranger still, each of the six women declared Kerry to be a separate and distinct individual.

"It was conclusively established by Kerry that at the times the women swore the marriages took place in England, he was actually in India, and that ended the matter."

ROAD SHROUDED IN MYSTERY.

LONG LINE BEING BUILT IN VIRGINIA TO TIDEWATER.

Five Hundred Miles of Track for Which no Public Bonds Are Issued, Nor Is the Public Asked to Subscribe for Any of the Railroad Stock.

Down in Virginia and West Virginia is being built a 500-mile railroad which is shrouded in mystery. In Virginia the road is known as the Tidewater, and in West Virginia as the Deepwater, taking its name from the beginning point on the Kanawha River. It extends from the rich coal fields of Southern West Virginia to Norfolk. It is being built in sections, and will be ready for through traffic by July 1, 1908.

So much for the road. But who is building it? Ordinarily the public is asked to assist in the building of roads, but in this instance not a bond or a single share of stock has been offered for public subscription. All of the company's bills are promptly discounted. Cash is paid for everything. No debts are allowed to accumulate. Thus far it is estimated that between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000 has been spent, and the identity of the men who have spent the sum and who apparently are ready to spend many times more, has been carefully kept secret.

One of the theories is that the Standard Oil Company is behind the undertaking. They are practically the only people it is argued, who have enough ready cash on hand to carry through such a gigantic scheme as the Deepwater and Tidewater. To add plausibility to this surmise, it is known that the men who compose that corporation have acquired a great deal of land in West Virginia, some of it by outright purchase and other tracts by long leases, with oil and coal rights attached.

Of course, it is known who the officers are. W. N. Page of Ansted, W. Va., is president of the Deepwater road—that is, that portion of the road lying in West Virginia; and Dr. J. O. Green of New York is president of the Virginia section, which is known as the Tidewater. The treasurer and other officials are also known, but they have steadfastly refused to divulge the source of the funds being expended in constructing the line.

About seventy-five miles of the road, beginning at Deepwater, have been built and are in operation. The road has six locomotives and over 700 cars. And all this without the sale of a single bond or single share of stock. Who before ever heard of a railroad being built without a bond or stocks being issued? The only information given out regarding the ownership of the road was by Dr. Green, who recently took occasion to say: "I cannot see that the question of ownership concerns the public, since the owners are not asking the public to subscribe to the stocks or bonds. We are paying all of our debts promptly. We do not like our bills to accumulate. I might say that some of the owners are interested in coal properties in West Virginia, and can afford the luxury of a railroad to haul their coal to tidewater at Norfolk."

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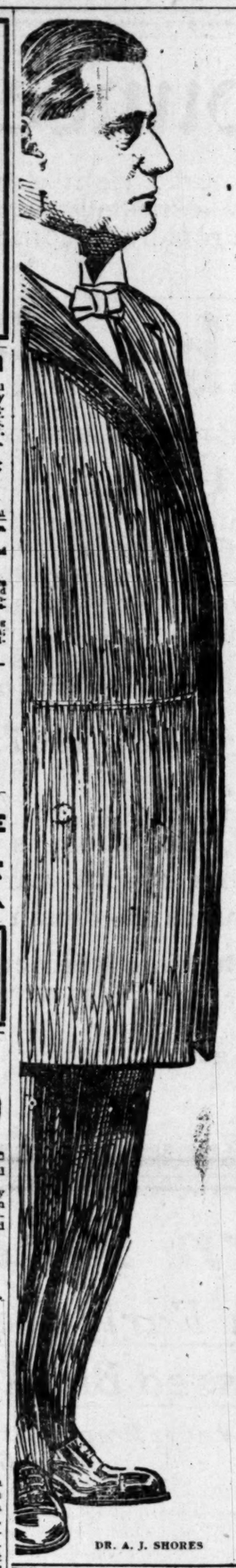


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Is the breath foul?
Is the voice husky?
Do you spit up slime?
Do you ache all over?
Do you blow out scabs?
Is the nose stopped up?
Do you snore at night?
Does your nose discharge?
Does the nose bleed easily?
Is there tickling in the throat?
Do crusts form in the nose?
Is the nose sore and tender?
Do you sneeze a great deal?
Is this worse toward night?
Does the nose itch and burn?
Is there pain in the front of the head?
Is your sense of smell leaving?
Do you hawk to clear the throat?
Is the throat dry in the mornings?
Are you losing your sense of taste?
Do you sleep with your mouth open?
Does the nose stop up toward night?

Catarrh of the Ears

Is your hearing failing?
Do your ears discharge?
Do your ears itch and burn?
Are the ears dry and scaly?
Is the wax dry in the ears?
Is there a throbbing in the ears?
Are you gradually getting deaf?
Have you pain behind the ears?
Is there a buzzing sound heard?
Do you have ringing in the ears?
Are there cracking sounds heard?
Is your hearing bad cloudy days?
Do you have earache occasionally?
Are the sounds like steam escaping?
Do you constantly hear noises in the ears?
Do your ears hurt when you blow your nose?
Is there roaring like waterfall in head?
Do you hear better some days than others?
Do the noises in your ears keep you awake?
When you blow your nose do your ears crack?
Is your hearing worse when you have a cold?

Catarrh in the Bronchial Tubes

Is there pain in front of head?
Is your sense of smell leaving?
Is the throat dry in the morning?
Do you hawk to clear the throat?
Are you losing your sense of taste?
Do you sleep with the mouth open?
Have you a cough?
Are you losing flesh?
Do you cough at night?
Have you a pain in side?
Do you take cold easily?
Is your appetite variable?
Have you stitches in side?
Do you cough until you gag?
Are you low-spirited at times?
Do you raise frothy material?
Do you spit up yellow matter?
Do you cough on going to bed?
Do you cough in the morning?
Is your cough short and hacking?
Do you spit up little cheesy lumps?
Have you a disgust of fatty foods?
Is there tickling behind the palate?
Have you pain behind breastbone?
Do you feel you are growing weaker?
Is there a burning pain in the throat?
Do you cough worse at night and morning?

Catarrh of the Stomach

Is there nausea?
Are you costive?
Is there vomiting?
Do you belch up gas?
Are you light headed?
Is your tongue coated?
Have you water brash?
Do you hawk and spit?
Is there pain after eating?
Are you nervous and weak?
Do you have sick headache?
Do you bloat up after eating?
Is there disgust for breakfast?
Have you distress after eating?
Is your throat filled with slime?
Do you at times have diarrhoea?
Is there rush of blood to the head?
Is there constant bad taste in mouth?
Is there gnawing sensation in stomach?
Do you feel as if you had lead in stomach?

Kidney Diseases

Do your hands and feet swell?
Is this the most noticeable at night?
Are they cold and clammy?
Is there pain in small of back?
Is the urine dark and cloudy?
Does a deposit form when left standing?
Is there a desire to get up at night?
Do you see spots floating before the eyes?
Are the eyes dull and staring?
Is there a bad taste in the mouth?
Have you pain in the top of the head?
Is your hair getting gray?
Is the skin dry and brittle?
Is there a nausea after eating?
Has the perspiration a bad odor?
Is there puffiness under the eyes?
Are there dark rings around the eyes?
Is the skin pale and dry?
Has skin a waxy look?
Do you see unpleasant things while asleep?
Have you chilly feelings down the back?
Do the joints pain and ache?
Do the legs feel too heavy?

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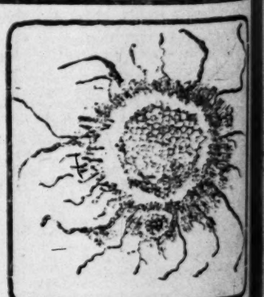
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NEW ENERGY, MORE WORK.

College Settlement Gets a Strong Director.

Gordan, of Chicago, to Be Salaried Resident.

Much Is Accomplished by the Local Center.

The Los Angeles College Settlement is soon to take unto itself a well-known worker from one of the most celebrated social centers in the world, the Chicago Commons.

Edgar Gordan, who is coming to be the moving power at the local settlement, has directed the household activities for five years in the Windy City center for civic coöperation, where nearly four thousand men, women, children and babies go every week for the good of their souls, bodies, minds and hearts; where the friendship of this great brotherly settlement takes a thousand forms of betterment in a congested district where there are 60,000 people to the square mile.

What the Chicago Commons has done, the College Settlement of Los Angeles hopes to do in time with the help of Mr. Gordan, who will be the first salaried resident, and who will live at the Settlement with his wife and little daughter, there to govern the rapidly-growing activities, and to put into them the ideas and power that have so lifted the burdens, brightened the dull lives, and lightened the cruel circumstances of many of the submerged population of Chicago. Mr. Gordan's present sphere of activity is a great building, humming like a bee hive, with day nursery, kindergarten, kindergarten training school, domestic science and manual training classes, music clubs, mothers' clubs, men's clubs, and every avenue of effort that trained intelligence can devise, making 2372 permanent settlement groups that meet under the same auspices, and from which civic, moral, and mental uplift flows out through the entire community.

The Men's Community Club in the ward where the Chicago Commons stands has simply revolutioned politics in that section. Intelligent citizenship has taken the lead in municipal affairs instead of ward bosses, and ever since the organization of this club and its discussion at the Chicago Commons of the significance of each city election, a good Alderman has represented the ward.

MUST HAVE SUPPORT.

The added expense to the College Settlement of maintaining such a worker as Dr. Gordan must be met by private support. Half of his salary has already been guaranteed, but the whole scheme of work in the Settlement district at Alpine and Castelar streets, where the population has doubled itself in the last few years, and the many new departments needed, speak to a large-hearted public for support in no uncertain terms.

In the East, schools and churches and colleges have the settlement work under their wings, and see that it is supported, and this local enterprise where friendship to the alien races abounds and to the poverty-stricken of humanity is as freely accorded and as delicately proffered as to one's own social intimate, this enterprise which has worked almost in secret for fear of alienating its neighbors of the Cholo courts, its familiar acquaintance of the crumbling adobe, which has been the means of doing the pioneer work in nearly ever civic advancement in Los Angeles, now stands after nearly twelve years of patient endeavor where the general support of the public should be accorded to it, in the same sense as it is given to this work in eastern cities.

To those desiring such a course, the College Settlement affords a training in philanthropy that is more valuable than any knowledge learned in the schools. A post graduate course in Settlement activities is a broadener which years of life in a single groove cannot equal.

Here the college graduate gives of her stores of knowledge to her less fortunate friends; the trained physical culturist lends her effort, little girls are taught to sew and to prepare food, mothers are instructed in making over garments for their children, music is taught, and choral clubs are encouraged, every one who has something of learning or lore gives it, along with her personal friendship, for friendship and not charity is the keynote of the settlement spirit.

ACCOMPLISH THINGS.

Because of the "pizen modesty," as one has recently dubbed it, of this little group of volunteer workers in the college settlement, few people are aware of how many civic improvements have been the outcome of efforts begun there.

From the work among the boys and girls of this neighborhood, the need of a Juvenile Court was so desperately felt that the first meeting held in the city in the interest of such a court was called together by Miss Evalyn Stoddart at the settlement house.

Here the first district nurse made her demonstration, that the City Council granted the request of the College Settlement and paid for her services out of the public purse. Now Los Angeles supports two municipal nurses and contemplates another.

The settlement nurse is herself a great institution. She comes daily in closest touch with a polyglot population, representing fifteen nationalities, and with her work of healing, sanitation and helpfulness, she wins the confidence and is able to work with the most ignorant and suspicious of the foreign population, preventing contagion and materially helping the people amidst the greatest congestion of habitation and the fiercest poverty to be found in the city.

Domestic science and manual training in the public schools of Los Angeles were first agitated by the College Settlement, and the city officials first saw the practical workings in a small way in the settlement classes. Indeed, the settlement has been the great demonstrator to Los Angeles. A night school to teach English to foreign-speaking men was carried on there for several years, and lately the school authorities have taken it out of their hands and established it on an enlarged scale at the Castelar-street School. The first night school for girls has just been started this season by the settlement workers. It has already an attendance of fifteen pupils, and as soon as it is definitely shown that the attendance will justify the effort, the school board will take this in hand also.

The burning desire of the settlement women for the happiness and welfare of the neighborhood children was one of the greatest factors in the starting of public playgrounds in the city, Miss Bessie Stoddart, one of the foremost workers, being named as a member of a playground commission. The housing commission was also the outcome of settlement agitation, the workers taking prominent people from other cities to visit the dreadful courts in their neighborhood to get advice from those accustomed to grappling with such problems.

VISIT TO BE REMEMBERED.

A visit to the College Settlement almost any day in the week is an experience not to be forgotten. Tuesday afternoon the poor Mexican mothers meet there to make over garments for their children. The entire family, save the father, accompanies the mother, so she can try on the clothes she is fashioning. Indeed, she could not come if she had to leave the babies at home. The older girls of the families meet the same afternoon for their sewing class, and even the tiny girls and the tiny boys have their own classes going on at the same time. Little Italy may be found now in the settlement district, and many little dark-eyed boys and girls of Italian families are members of the clubs in good and regular standing.

The small boys' club learns to sew, but bless you! It is sewing disguised as a manly occupation. They are told that soldiers must often mend their own clothes. They are given soldier dolls painted on cloth, which they cut out and make, thus learning two mending stitches. They make bright capes for the soldiers, and have a fort to put them into after they are finished.

One tough specimen of a "newsy," just 8 years old, who condescended to make a soldier boy, was seen to go off in a corner by himself when he had finished his soldier. He kissed the doll surreptitiously, and whispered: "Good-by, I must leave you now," and no one had ever suspected a soft spot in his make-up.

The little housekeepers are taught to cook and to wash, and to serve a meal. Then they play family at the table, one is father and another is mother, and then there are the children, good manners and dainty ways being imbibed with the dainty viands. Social evenings for the families of the neighborhood, boys' game evenings, and all sorts of interesting activities may be found in full blast at the College Settlement. The officers Mrs. Mary H. Bingham, president; Miss Bessie D. Stoddart, vice-president; Miss Louise Barber, secretary; Miss Jessie Anthony, treasurer; Miss Mary Veeder, Mrs. Nathan Weston and Miss Amanda Matthews. Associate memberships in this association cost $5 a year and may be sent to the settlement house to the treasurer, Miss Anthony.

USEFULNESS OF ASPHALTUM.

CALIFORNIA PRODUCT GROWING IN APPRECIATION.

This State Could Supply Needs of the Country, but There Has Been Little Profit in Its Manufacture Recently—Used for Paving, Roofing, Paint and Roads.

BY WALTER J. BALLARD.

The United States Geological Survey says that the production of oil asphaltum is an industry peculiar to California, and most of the material is made as a by-product in the distilling of lubricating and illuminating oils and lighter products from crude petroleum of asphaltum base. Such oil asphaltum could be manufactured in California in quantities far greater than are required to fill the whole needs of the United States, and the industry is now suffering (1905) from acute overproduction.

The price of crude oil acceptable to the refiner of asphaltum has, generally speaking, been about 33 per cent. less than it was in 1904, but even with this advantage the oil asphaltum producer has been barely able to meet expenses, and in many cases the asphaltum has been sold for less than the cost of manufacture. Rates as low as $6 per ton, free on board at the refinery, were reported as the average value of the entire production of some refineries for the year.

Expert chemists state that the refiners are handicapped by the absence of a process of manufacture, which will economically produce an asphaltum free from carbenes (deleterious products of the cracking process which goes on in the stills during the distillation of the heavier oils,) with a uniform and suitable penetration and possessing stability on heating.

Another obstacle to the trade is the high price of containing packages. No cheap and satisfactory substitute for the wooden-stave barrel has yet been found for asphalt. Barrels of about 480 pounds capacity cost 63 cents or more each, delivered at he refineries, and are an expensive container for a comparatively low-priced material.

Californian oil asphaltum is about the consistency of thin molasses at ordinary temperature. It is largely used for oiling roads, being delivered by the refineries into tank cars and pumped from the tank cars into tank wagons for spreading over the roads.

The production of oil asphaltum increased from 44,405 short tons, valued at $459,135, in 1904, to 50,169 short tons, valued at only $430,911, in 1905, the average value decreasing from $10.34 to $8.59 per short ton.

To the keen competition in California of oil asphaltum is attributed the decrease in the country's production of bituminous sandstone (from 46,641 short tons in 1904, to 39,273 short tons in 1905,) as 90 per cent. of the bituminous sandstone production in the United States is quarried in California.

In 1905, the hard natural asphalt of California brought $12.07 per short ton at the mines, while that of Indian Territory brought $15.

Preparations have been made for the manufacture in California of briquettes for fuel from California peat mixed with oil asphaltum. Samples were at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

California oil asphaltum has been used to some extent for street pavements, and other purposes in New York and other eastern cities. It finds wide use throughout California, and the West for making street pavements, as roofing cements, for waterproofing and preservative preparations, and as marine and iron paints. Being a pure asphaltum, this material can be mixed in any desired proportions with gravel, crushed rock, and other paving materials.

The quantities of oil asphaltum produced in California in 1903, 1904 and 1905, were more than double that produced in 1902. The industry is growing in good shape.

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Japan Exhibit

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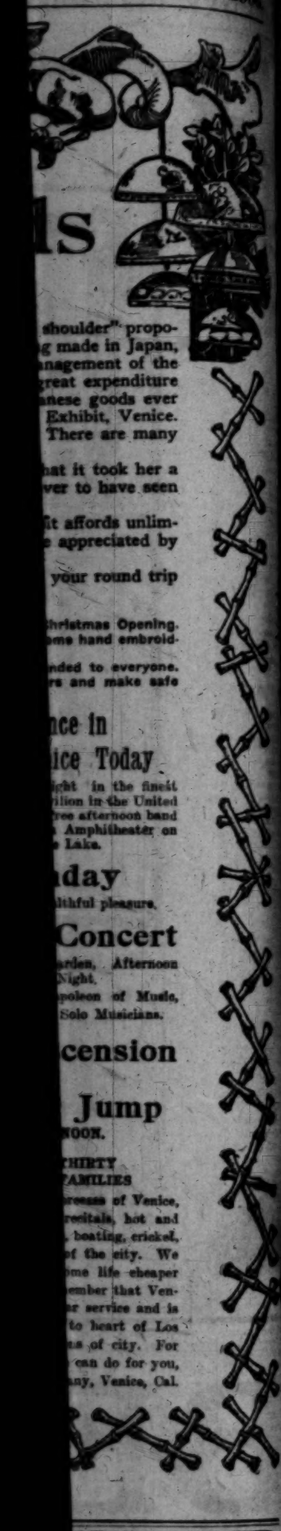
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...you don't mind being called fifty-...varieties of robber all in the ...of a day's work and are also ...d with a longing for a first-hand ...of human nature; if these things ...essential to your happiness and ...ld desire a position as the man ...the counter in a tax collector's ...But if your spirit lusts for ...battle, if your temper is even ...y irritable and your intuitive fac-...is rather poorly developed, avoid ...entire side of a tax place as you ...ld one fearful plague spot, for it ...and you forth into the world ...deranged, jibbering, lost soul, a ...searcher for lots and acres that ...ated on any record map, a ...apology for some assessor ...peculiarly pictured by taxpay-...as the greatest blind sinner of the ...

...e is taxpaying days, a fact that ...w few of us have overlooked, ...large percentage of the taxpaying ...fail to appreciate the fact that ...who takes its money has some ...those humanitarian consid-...which, speaking in a broad ...belong to fellow creatures ...unfortunate their station in ...

...however, this much to be ...right man behind the books ...his work. His ears are ...tuned to catch even the faint-...cries of the poor bedraggled ...may say nothing's sure but ...taxes, so I guess I'll pay." ...various delightful answers ...of wisdom, each one fitting ...ular type of individual who ...himself. Unfortunately, ...ing expression to the fatality ...after touching upon their ...death-like certainty, the pros-...owner of the tax receipt im-...begins to stir up a very ...fuss, as though by some ...manipulation he would cheat ...itself, and armed with his ...bill, defy the ages.

"TAXES AND TAXES."

...ong an age of souvenirs the ...has frequently suggested it-...it would be a very appropriate ...to hand out a neat little half-...the originator of the "death and ...ies" to each one quoting his ...a cut of his home or barn ...added to give a vivid picture ...source of his troubles.

...of the most essential attributes ...successful tax man is a pair ...feet can decipher all the ...writings of the world and ...determine what was in the ...of a writer at about the date ...mark. It is also absolutely ...that he be able to interpret ...finely written postal cards ...liberally decorated with ring-...postal marks usually plas-...over the most important part of ...cloth.

...an important thing as the ...on of the tract in which a lot is ...should never worry the tax ...The lot and block are amply ...If not, why not? Here is ...: "Please send me tax bill ...number 34. I think it's near the ...." Yes, and so were several ...others.

...legal acumen of the man behind ...counter should be something co-...There is one legal proposition he ...be able to settle while putting ...his initials. (Always bear in ...that there are no papers of any ...in evidence)—"I bought my lot ...contract. Do I have to pay the ...? Do not fancy that there is any ...escape by suggesting that it ...well to know something ...the terms of the contract be-...meeting. What are you there ...for?

...another question: "Three of ...of us bought together, the other two ...live in the East. Do I have to ...them?"

...WOULD BE BEST?

...this one: "I bought this lot ...agent last May. He said he ...pay the taxes. I now find he ...sold it. What can I do to him?" ...a very wide range of an-...that might be given to the last ...depending somewhat on the ...appearance as to determina-...of the physical make-up of the ...but one should also be ac-...with the particular agent un-...consider before venturing an ...

...said be well if, before taking up ...duties in a tax office, you quietly ...the facts art of fortune telling. ...prove of immense value to ...a means, not only of speeding ...your own work, but perhaps of ...economies of comfort and ...ce to others. Here is a sam-...and there are hundreds of ...where both the above re-...be obtained: "If I pay ...last installment now, do you ...might be able to sell before ...one comes due, and if I did ...don't have to pay the taxes, ...what would you do if you ...

...that excitement of the whole ...got to make itself mani-...some large individual dis-...this property has been sold ...payment of his last year's ...thought taxes are bad enough, ...the original sum begins to ...up with sundry penalties, ...charges, redemption fees and ...the first cost is about as ...determine as to the unknown ...in an algebraic problem. ...get this feature that im-...delinquent one. He seems ...the fact that he has been ...in default as a species of as-...his standing in the com-...a reproach of his business ...a destination that there is ...radically wrong with him. ...what a man feels that way ...to his own defense with ...some language and is quite apt ...some strange sounds and sweep-...oaths.

A SOFT ANSWER.

...nything else falls it is well to ...the possibility of error and ...last a search of his papers ...may reveal the receipted ...which is so positive he has ...it. A quiet hour or two of ...among papers that do not ex-...hardly works wonders with a, ...at times seems to suggest that in ...instances property becomes ...simply through the ...or forgetfulness of ...or because some one else ...delegated to attend to the ...or would have you un-...that he never forgets mat-...importance and always attends ...personally.

...the very busiest hours there ...is almost sure to be a line kept waiting by the woman who says that it is her first experience in paying taxes and she wants to understand, fully, just what she is doing. Nothing will suffice short of a microscopic journey from the assessor's field book to the moment at hand, a trip that includes a great deal of figuring and many signs of restlessness from near-by waiters in the line. "And now how much do you say the taxes are?"

"Seven dollars and eighty-three cents, madam."

"What, seven dollars and eighty-three cents. Good gracious you can't mean it. Now in the East, well, I haven't that much with me, anyway. If you will please give me a memorandum I'll try to send you the money, but I think it is an outrageous charge."

By this time the waiting line has begun to send forth sundry sharp verbal messages all calculated to speed the lingering guest on her outward journey.

SAD TENDERFEET.

The separation of State and county from city taxes is a prolific source of confusion and usually tangles the recruit from the East in such a web of confusion that his only escape seems to be along the path of a rather severe arraignment of western tax methods. It is frequently astonishing to learn what heathen we are in this regard and the only marvel is that our blind stumblings have not long ago landed us in the melancholy pit of civic insolvency.

The only satisfaction is that if one may rely on contrasts and a testimony of those who have pulled out for other localities, if one may depend on such things there are, it appears, some localities between the Sierra Nevadas and the Atlantic Ocean where it is a perfectly delightful pastime to pay taxes, a joy that makes the day memorable and fills the heart of the payee with a great longing for its speedy return.

It would be an injustice to touch upon the activities of a tax office without alluding to the pathetic phases of the day's business; little glimpses into the struggles of every day life that make the world so intensely human.

It is astonishing how much comfort a few words of good cheer can bring to the despondent one. There is no use to waste the words for it is no trouble to distinguish the one to whom pennies are from necessity as big as dollars from the other one who would have you believe that with him at least such is the case.

FIRST FRUITS DRAW BUYERS.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS ATTRACT IN NEW YORK.

Oranges Arrive in Gotham Surprisingly Well-Colored and of Extraordinarily Good Flavor for so Early in Season—Delays in Transit Bother Receivers of Floridas.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The first navel oranges for this season were offered during the week. One car and part of another constituted the first offering and there was considerable interest manifested in this, the first sale of the season. The fruit came surprisingly well colored, and of more than ordinarily good flavor for the season. It was in good condition, as a whole, and the prices were as high as could reasonably be expected.

The time has gone by when opening sales attract men who want to build up a reputation for liberality by paying lordinately high prices for fruit. Formerly that was common, but it was in the days when the margin of profit was wider than it is now, and when dealers were quite willing to allow their enthusiasm to run away with their heads.

The full car was of the Mariposa brand, and the average was $3.55 per box. A fraction of another car sold at $3.90 per box. The car was offered by Steinhardt & Kelley, agents of the California Citrus Union. The union was the first in the field last year, and offered good oranges. The offering is earlier than the first one last year. In fact, it was possible to offer fruit from this first car for Thanksgiving consumption.

The range of prices on the fruit in the car was: 96s, $4.85; 126s, $4.35; 150s, $3.65; 176s, $3.20; 200s, $3; 216s, $2.75; 250s, $2.50; 288s, $2.55; 300s, $2.55. This car was offered Tuesday and another smaller quantity was offered Friday, which did no better.

The arrival of the first car of navels always attracts an inordinate amount of attention, and this year was no exception to the general rule. While buyers do not bid up prices as high as they have some years, they were quite as much interested, and took what was offered very readily. Consumers will be pleased, likewise, to know that it will soon be possible to buy navel oranges in as liberal quantities as required.

The market promises to be better than ever before. This is indicated in the sales of storage navels, which have shown uniformly high prices all the fall. The storage fruit has kept fully as well as usual, but after all, it is more or less insipid, after it has been under ice for months, and it is largely the loyalty to California fruit which has induced buyers to pay the prices which they have paid in certain instances for the cold-storage navels. Now, with fresh navels arriving, there will no longer be any question as to the interest which buyers show.

Delays in transit have bothered receivers of Florida fruit of late, and much of it has shown heavy waste. At the early sales prices fell off fully 25 to 50 cents a box, because of the unsatisfactory condition of delayed fruit. There is, and has been, an active demand, and this has prevented a further decline in price. Brights showed a range of $1.85 to $3.75 on good to fancy, and $1.05 to $1.65 for ordinary stock. As high as 15 per cent. decay was reported in some of the arrivals.

At the last sale of the week 4000 boxes of Porto Rico were sold. The range was from $1.50 to $1.75 per box for good fruit, and $1 to $1.50 for ordinary stock. A small lot of Porto Rico navels brought $2.15 to $2.20 per box. These are among the first of the cultivated fruit to arrive in this market. It is said that only a few will come forward this year, but that next year a considerable quantity will be landed here. The orchards are all reported as doing well and promising liberal yields next season and all seasons thereafter.

A lot of 200 barrels of Jamaica oranges showed heavy waste, and sold for $2.25 to $2.37½ per barrel. These will have to be repacked and the buyer will not make much money, even at that figure.

Not many lemons were offered, but a few lots of Californias sold at $2.80 to $5.05 per box. The demand was heavier than the supply, as it always is now when Californias are offered at all. It is reported that there are many buyers who would never take anything else if they could always get Californias. This has much of encouragement in it, and indicates that sales will continuously increase regardless of the efforts of importers to introduce their fruit where Californias are most wanted.

Some Florida grapefruit was offered, but bidding was slow and prices ranged rather low. The best that could be done was $2.37½, and from that the price ranged down to $1.50 per box. The quality is not entirely satisfactory and business is done in a small way only.

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This screen is 5½ feet tall, has three wood panels, and frame in weathered oak finish. At the top of the panels are inserts of art glass. This screen is in real mission style, and will harmonize nicely with weathered oak furnishings in any room. The price is now $4.50.

$6.50 Screen, Now $5.00

This screen is 6 feet tall. It has three panels, with frames in dull weathered oak finish. Panels are finished in burlap in red or green shades, with wood at the top of each panel. This screen was a very strong value at its original price, $6.50. Our Removal Sale price is $5.00.

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We have some very attractive offerings in our drapery department this week. We list a few here just to give you an idea of the values afforded.

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Our stock of pillows for window seats and cozy corners is very large. They come in 22 and 24-inch sizes, all filled with silk floss. They are covered with burlap, Monk's cloth, tapestries, cretonnes, crepes, and other materials. The variety of patterns and colorings shown is immense. Understand, these pillows are complete, all ready to use.

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This pair of portieres comes in plain tapestry in a beautiful rose color with appliqued designs in Arabian lace. Edges are corded. They are three yards long and 50 inches wide.

$11 Pair Were $16.50

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$10 Pair Were $13.50

This pair of portieres comes in heavy velours, reversible. Edges are corded and color is a rich olive green. These are very heavy, handsome portieres.

$11.00 Pair Were $16.50

These portieres come in cut velours, three yards long and 50 inches wide. Color is a beautiful hunter's green. Rich against weathered interior finish.

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The screen illustrated is 5½ feet high. Frame is of quartered finished in weathered oak, in the popular dull effect. It has three panels, connected by leather hinges. Panels are covered with burlap, coming in a variety of tasteful colors. Our Removal Sale price for this screen is $3.90. Its regular price has been $8.50.

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Another week and the schoolma'am will be with us again, and the schoolmaster in lesser numbers; bright-faced women with purpose writ large upon their countenances will be seen pursuing their several ways from this section to that general meeting, from Polytechnic High School to Simpson's Auditorium, and to the State Normal School, and Los Angeles will pause and be glad that they are here once more.

The great educational week of the year begins December 17 with City and County Teachers' Institutes, and Southern California Teachers' Association. That Chinese puzzle, the combined programme of all the meetings and all the sections of the entire week, will be out in a few days. Those who must annually grapple with this programme will be glad to learn that Mark Keppel, president of the teachers' association, has arranged a key, or birdseye view of the whole for the benefit of reporters and laity.

Monday, December 17, at 9:30, a general meeting of Los Angeles city teachers will be held at Polytechnic High School and will be addressed by City Superintendent E. C. Moore, and Superintendent Hyatt of Riverside. A meeting of the county teachers will be in session at the same time at Simpson's Auditorium with Superintendent Mark Keppel and Dr. Richard G. Boone of New York, as speakers. Tuesday morning the city teachers will hear Superintendent Frank F. Bunker, Superintendent H. A. Adrien, and the county teachers, President Jesse F. Millspaugh of the local State Normal School and Prof. Ellwood D. Cubberly of Stanford.

FOR EFFICIENCY.

Tuesday morning the high school teachers of the city and county will meet in separate institute at the auditorium of the L.A. High School. They will discuss the subject, "How Can Efficiency in High Schools Be Increased?" The speakers are Principal J. H. Francis of Polytechnic High School and Prof. E. E. Taylor, Prof. Clapp of Berkeley and Prof. H. P. Rolfe of Stanford. In the afternoon the general topic of pedagogy will occupy attention with Profs. Cubberly, Osterhaut and Bunker to talk.

Wednesday afternoon the city teachers will be addressed by Profs. Cubberly and T. L. Heaton, and the county teachers by Superintendent H. A. Adrian of Santa Barbara, and Frank F. Bunker of Seattle. Monday and Tuesday afternoons and Wednesday forenoon will be spent in seventeen separate section meetings, the majority being held in the Polytechnic High School.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Southern California Teachers' Association will open Wednesday evening, December 19, at the Polytechnic High School with an address of welcome from City Superintendent E. C. Moore, with response by Superintendent Nichols of Orange county, an illustrated lecture on "The Great Quake," by Vice-President Branner of Stanford, to follow.

Thursday forenoon there are to be ten section meetings: High school, grammar school, primary, rural school, school administration, designed especially for school officials, led by Hon. N. W. Thompson of Alhambra; home and school league, led by Mrs. O. Shepherd Barnum; manual training and art section, with manual art exhibit in addition to literary programme. The Council of Education, forming one of the sections on Thursday morning, has a variety of subjects to be compressed into the two hours' session.

"How May Schools Be Kept from Political Influence," is first on the list, the discussion led by James A. Foshay. "Free Text-Books," follows, with Lewis B. Avery to start the ball rolling; "Supervision of Rural Schools," will be treated by Prof. Cubberly; "Future of Nature Study," by Prof. Osterhout; "Child Study," by Dr. Jesse Allen, and "Humane Education," by Prof. W. F. Bliss, Prof. O. P. Jenkins, Mrs. Elizabeth Grinnell, Mrs. J. B. Millard, Prof. W. C. Crandall and Prof. L. H. Miller.

Thursday afternoon there is to be a general session at Simpson's Auditorium, when Mark Keppel will talk on "Our Creed;" Willimina Armstrong on "Ancient and Modern Education in India," and Capt. E. Miller on "Agriculture in the Public Schools." Friday morning a music section in charge of Prof. J. N. Whybark of Santa Ana will render a full and excellent programme at the Polytechnic auditorium. Geography will be taken up by Profs. Bunker and Fairbanks, and Prof. Camberlain of Throop, at Simpson's Auditorium.

"Health and Development" is scheduled for the Normal School auditorium under the direction of Profs. Osterhout, Jenkins, Leslie, Gilbert, Grinnell and Colliver. "School Activities" will hold sway in the Normal School gymnasium and will deal with a model high school.

MEETING OF SECTIONS.

Other sections meeting are "Classical Languages" under Miss Katherine Carr at Polytechnic, with Prof. Clapp on "Some Old-fashioned Ideas in Teaching Classics;" an address on Greek by Prof. Rolfe, and "A Student of Archeology in Rome," by Miss Ada Trotter; history section with "Municipal Problems," by Rev. Dana Bartlett, and talks by Prof. W. F. Bliss and Miss Ella B. Morgan and an address by President David Starr Jordan of Stanford; mathematics section will include "Training of Civil Engineers," by J. A. Bell, and "How to Make Mathematics Concrete," by Frank F. Bunker.

Prof. Jenkins will speak to the science section on "What Should Be the Aim of Biological Sciences in Secondary Schools;" Council of Education will take up "Certification of High School Teachers," by President Gates of Pomona College; "Industrial Training of Girls," by Superintendent F. W. Conrad of San Bernardino; "The Batavian Idea of Teaching," by A. Harvey Collins.

Kindergartners will be addressed by Dr. Boone and Prof. Cubberly; manual training and art section, by Miss Alice Tabor, who will speak on "Hawaiian Children and Their Legends," and Prof. Batcheler on "Art Craftsmen." Prof. Rolfe will speak to the English section on "Some Problems of High School English." "Graded Systems in the Public Schools" will be treated by Superintendent George L. Sackett of Ventura.

Friday afternoon a general session at Simpson's Auditorium will be addressed by Dr. John W. Cook of Illinois and President Jordan of Stanford. The last session will be held Saturday morning at the Polytechnic auditorium, when Dr. Cook will talk on "Modern Tendencies in Education," a business meeting and election of officers to follow.

ASSOCIATION ITEMS.

The Southern California School Masters' Club, of which State Superintendent-elect Edward Hyatt is president, will hold its annual business meeting and banquet Thursday or Friday of association week.

The California Physical Geography Club, with Prof. C. T. Wright as president, will meet on Friday with the geography section, and take an excursion to some point of interest Friday afternoon.

The Pacific Manual Training Teachers' Association will meet with the manual-training section Friday and an exhibit will be held under the direction of Prof. Charles W. Kent.

A committee on free text-books, consisting of Superintendent L. B. Avery as chairman and J. F. Millspaugh, E. W. Reed, Edward Hyatt, Herbert T. Clark, George L. Sackett and W. W. Tritt, will prepare and present a report to the Saturday-morning session.

San Bernardino county and Orange county will hold their annual institutes and come to join the teachers' association the last three days of the week.

SCHOOL DECORATION.

The Child Study circles of the city have an eye to the artistic. They have accomplished much good in many lines, and perhaps no one of their many schemes for the good of the children has appealed more to the "kiddies" themselves than that for decorating and brightening the schoolrooms.

It is reported by the committee that there has been no school building in the city but has benefited by this; every one having received some assistance in the way of making rooms more attractive. The mothers have become awakened to the fact that the place where their children spend the greater part of their days should be as cheerful and bright as possible. To this end, plants, pictures, casts, bits of statuary, pretty curtains and bright hangings have been purchased. In several instances the Herculean task of buying a piano for the schools has been undertaken, that their children may have the advantages that other children have where there is a piano furnished by the school. This has been successfully carried out in the following enterprising schools: Tenth street, McKinley avenue, Eagle Rock avenue, Twenty-third avenue, Griffin avenue, Ninth street, and Washington street.

All the other schools have bought the things they most needed and wanted through the efforts of the Child Study circles. Breed street school bought some pretty pictures and a fine flag; Nineteenth avenue school has placed several fine pictures; the San Pedro Street school has bought curtains for the principal's room, and also for the teachers' lunch room. The mothers of the Norwood street pupils have placed a basketball court and turning poles on the grounds, much to the delight of the youngsters.

Fifty dollars is the sum expended by the Union avenue school on decorations. Hewitt street school has expended $18. Alpine street school bought basket balls for the girls' court and balls for the kindergarten children. At the Main street school they have bought games and flags for the different rooms. The First street school has had window boxes built in and has a few fine pictures. The Garvey school has furnished screens for doors and windows. The Micheltorena school has made its new buildings very pretty and attractive with plants, pictures, and casts, while the school at Avenue Thirty-five has raised $135 to expend on its school and grounds for athletic apparatus. The California street has added some pictures and many little things to make their abode attractive and homelike.

Mrs. W. A. Varcoe, who is chairman of the School Decoration Committee, reported to the Civic Association that she has expended $8.30 and has in hand $19.20. She and the members of the various Child Study circles are justly proud of the good work they have accomplished along these lines in the past few months.

The Jefferson street school is another enterprising one. In order to furnish and decorate their new school building the children are planning to give an entertainment in the U.S.C. chapel on the evening of December 14. Two scenes from the "Bird's Christmas Carol" are to be presented, and there will also be music.

NORMAL ALUMNI REUNION.

To break bread together, to renew old friendships, and to have an all-round good time is the plan of the Los Angeles State Normal School Alumni, who will have an alumni spread at Hillcrest Inn at noon on December 20, this time having been chosen as Normal graduates from all over Southern California will have arrived to attend the sessions of the Southern California Teachers' Association.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the luncheon is under the able leadership of Moses Chandler of class 1902, while the president, Mrs. Dan Lauberschlier, is devoting time and energy to perfecting every detail for a happy reunion of graduates on that twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the State Normal School.

A delightful menu will be served amid decorations of Christmas holly and carnations, the time for the gathering to be promptly at noon, Supt. Mark Keppel having kindly extended to the members of the alumni the courtesy of returning to the afternoon session of the teachers' association at 2 o'clock instead of 1:30.

When the Rich Man Died.

Lorenzo Dow, relates the St. Paul Pioneer Press, on one occasion took the liberty, while preaching, to denounce a rich man in the community, recently deceased. The result was an arrest, a trial for slander and an imprisonment in the County Jail.

After Dow got out of limbo he announced that he should preach, at a given time, a sermon about "another rich man." The populace was greatly excited, and a crowded house greeted his appearance.

With great solemnity he opened the Bible and read, "And there was a rich man who died and went to—" Then, stopping short, and seeming to be suddenly impressed, he continued: "Brethren, I shall not mention the place this rich man went to, for fear he has some relatives in this congregation who will sue me for defamation of character."

The effect was irresistible, and he made the impression permanent by taking another text.

$10 In a Searchlight Lot Is As Good As $100 In the Bank.

Fortunes Will Be Made By Those Who Buy Real Estate In This Growing Nevada City Before Railroad Day. Free Tickets To Buyers.

Searchlight, Nevada, has become so thrifty and so well known that it is now experiencing the sensation of having a lot of new additions tacked onto its skirts. This is a sign of growth and progressiveness, and while it is a fact, as the Los Angeles Herald said last Sunday, "that these new additions will always be secondary in importance to the city itself, and will preserve a countrified aspect so far as real estate values are concerned," still they are evidence of the virility of this wonderful growing city of Searchlight.

We own practically every unsold lot in the city itself. Upon the streets of our ground are all of the residences, business houses, postoffice, school, hotel, water works and every other public and private building, valued at nearly $1,000,000. Here is where to buy—within the city itself, for the city is to be the theater of one of the greatest real estate excitements in the history of Nevada as soon as the Santa Fe Railroad opens up.

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We have for sale the finest centrally located business property in Searchlight from $300 per lot up; every lot a money maker and an income producer. Terms easy; no taxes to pay and an abstract with each lot.

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All weathered oak chairs, rockers, Morris chairs and settees that are leather upholstered. Great chance for gift buyers.

$4.50 Rocker $3.00

It is a fine piece of furniture. The finish is mahogany, the seat cobbler style. The picture tells the story of the design. It is a chair that you can depend upon for service.



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When Congressman James Francis Burke, facing an immense audience in Pittsburgh on the night of October 15 in Duquesne Garden, made this startling statement, it amazed Secretary of the United States Treasury Leslie M. Shaw, who sat as honor guest on the platform.

Thirty millions per month—not for any special month, but for every month, a monthly average—seemed a very big figure, even to the Secretary of the United States Treasury, and when he got over to New York the following he dropped a quiet telegram to Burke, asking him in many words if he had been fooling. If Burke hadn't been fooling, he said he would like a few details regarding a region which paid out more than $1,000,000 every working day to employes.

Burke wasn't fooling, and Secretary Shaw has now the data he asked. And it will show that the Pittsburgh district is by far the greatest industrial country when it comes to wages actually paid for work done.

Before the American Bankers' Association recently, President R. J. Beatty of group 8, which comprises the states of the Western Pennsylvania district, made a remarkable report concerning Allegheny county. While Allegheny county is part of the Pittsburgh mill district," the district reported goes over the county line. Mr. Beatty said:

"WHAT THE PAYROLLS SHOW.

"A careful inquiry made by me develops the fact that regular payrolls handled by the banks and trust companies of Allegheny county aggregate $30,000,000 a month, an increase of $5,000,000 since I made a similar computation three years ago. This warrants a conservative estimate for the Pittsburgh district of $350,000,000 per annum.

"It will be seen at a glance that Mr. Stoney has kept on the safe side—the bankers' own monthly figures, multiplied by twelve (the number of months in the year,) would give a grand total of $350,400,000.

"Mr. Stoney is dealing only with the payrolls of large firms, which each month send to the banks their lists showing the banks put up the pay envelopes in envelopes ready to be handed out to the workmen at the mills.

"It is easy to figure that there are many firms in Greater Pittsburgh, none whose payrolls exceeds, perhaps, $100,000 per month, who do not bother their banks to make up the pay envelopes but draw the money themselves.

"Of such firms Mr. Stoney has no record, and he does not include in his total of $29,000,000 per month the banks. It does not require much stretch of the imagination to assume that the money paid out in wages in Greater Pittsburgh amounts to $35,000,000 than $30,000,000.

"The total is growing. Two million dollars additional each year will be distributed through the Pittsburgh district by reason of the increase in the wages of the labor force of the United States Steel Corporation, which went into effect January 1.

"MORE THAN 250,000 EMPLOYED.

"More than a quarter of a million wage-earners are on Pittsburgh's monthly payroll. More than 2000 establishments, some of them among the largest in the world, furnish employment for this great army.

"Pittsburgh is the greatest steel, coal and coke center in the world. The coal shipping tonnage last year was about 50,000,000 tons.

"Pittsburgh leads the world in the manufacture of electrical machinery, window glass and iron pipe, natural gas, plate glass and even pickles. It is a big district, to be sure, but it has 18 counties.

"The Pittsburgh district produced more than half the pig iron output of the country. There are 40 great blast furnaces and nearly 100 rolling mills in the works. The largest tube mills and the greatest steel plants are in this industrial valley. Almost 150,000 men are employed in these iron and steel plants.

"There are 40 foundries and machine shops in the air brake and electrical industries, employing 20,000 employés.

"In addition to the payrolls which are made up at the banks, a banker says:

"These payrolls entail an immense amount of labor on the banks, and call for a little ingenuity in accumulating the kind of currency required. More than half the total falls upon five banks of Pittsburgh. The Mellon National supplies the currency for each month; the Farmers' National, $1,000,000; the First National, $1,000,000; the Second National, $1,000,000, and one other national bank whose name we are not privileged to use, makes up each month currency aggregating $5,000,000. Another bank, which also requested that its name be not used, makes up $2,000,000 each month, and one trust company $2,000,000 a month.

"AN IMMENSE TASK.

"The task of making up the payrolls is a task of itself. The long list of employés of a firm is run off at a certain time each month, with the name of each in it, the amount of money he is to be paid, the number of hours he is to work, and the amount corresponding to each man is placed in an envelope with his name on it. When the payroll is completed the money is counted, and from four to six men will go in a carriage or motor car—that is, if the pay is large enough to warrant so many men. All the paymaster has to do then is to hand out the envelopes which the bank has prepared. He seldom gets his figures wrong. As for mistakes, not one is made in each 1000 envelopes. The banks will not give out the money for different payrolls. An error in the monthly payroll of the Pittsburgh district or in the Jones & Laughlin mills failed. Some of the payrolls handed out, it can be had from rough figures instead. In one of the Carnegie mills, not by any means the largest, it is not unusual to find a payroll there for the two weeks' work. The district mills are paid for by the bankers of Homestead, and this is often exceeded. When one considers that there are 150,000 persons employed at the mills, and that this means an average of $100 every two weeks, or $100 for all employés there, from the manager to the office boy, it gives an idea of the industry to which Secretary Burke referred in his speech about which the Secretary of the United States Treasury asked so many questions afterward.

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Hale's THE CHRISTMAS STORE Hale's

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$150,000 Worth of Christmas Goods

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Thousands of Dainty Christmas Tea Aprons

A Christmas Suggestion

You must not fail to see this big assortment of dainty nice white aprons. They are worth fully one-third to one-half more than the prices asked. They will go fast—make your selections early.

ORGANDY APRON 65c
Women's fine organdy aprons; clusters of fine tucks; fine valenciennes lace insertion; pocket; ribbon bow. 65c.

ORGANDY APRON 65c
Women's fine organdy apron; 3 rows beading, run with ribbon; pointed apron; trimmed with fancy lace; pocket. 65c.

LAWN APRON $1.00
Women's fine quality lawn apron; scalloped; trimmed with fancy lace insertion and edge to match. $1.00.

ORGANDY APRON $1.25
Women's very fancy apron; organdy; elaborately trimmed with lace insertion and edge; two ribbon bows. $1.25.

NURSE APRONS 50c
Women's lawn nurse aprons; large reveres and bib, trimmed with embroidery. 50c.

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Women's fine lawn nurse aprons; half inch hemstitched tucks; deep hem; extra width; wide strings; bib and reveres.

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Women's Umbrellas, 26-inch; Paragon frame; gloria cover; gun metal, natural wood, pearl and fancy horn handles; good value $1.25. Special $1.00.

UMBRELLAS $1.50
Women's 26-inch Umbrella; cover of good quality gloria; Paragon frame; fancy handles; sterling top; natural wood, gun-metal, pearl and horn handles. Special $1.50.

UMBRELLAS $2.75
Women's 26-inch gloria Umbrella; Paragon frame; steel rod; natural wood, pearl, sterling silver, gun metal and fancy horn handles. Special value $2.75.

$7.50 SILK UMBRELLAS $6.00
Women's silk Umbrellas; good quality; Columbia frame; steel rod; gloria cover; natural wood and sterling finished handles. Values $7.50. Special $6.00.

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Gentlemen's Umbrellas; 28-inch Paragon frame; steel rod; gloria cover; natural wood, and sterling finished handles. Special $1.25.

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Gentlemen's Umbrellas; 28-inch Paragon frame; steel rod; taffeta cover; champion tip cap runner; natural wood and sterling finish handles. Special $3.00.

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Women's fancy colored silk embroidered black lisle hose; high spliced heel and toe; value 65c. Special 50c.

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Women's fancy lace gauze lisle hose; boot patterns; extra fine quality; value $1.00. Special 85c.

$1.25 EMBROIDERED HOSE 98c
Women's fancy silk embroidered colored and black lisle hose; beautiful patterns; high spliced heel and toe; value $1.25. Special 98c.

SILK HOSE $1.50
Women's plain colored and black silk hose; high spliced heel and toe; $1.50.

SILK HOSE $2.00
Women's plain black, gray and white silk hose; extra spliced heel and toe; extra fine quality; $2.00.

SILK HOSE $3.25 AND $3.50
Women's plain black, silk hose; colored silk; embroidered; extra fine quality, $3.25 and $3.50.

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Fancy silk shirred ribbon, Pin-on supporters; made of the best quality material; done up in separate boxes for Christmas gifts. 75c.

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Also a plain white silk taffeta, Pin-on supporters; a regular $1 value; in separate boxes, 75c.

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Plain colored, shirred satin ribbon, Pin-on supporters; made of the best quality silk web elastic; good value; comes in separate boxes; 50c.

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Plain colored, Pin-on supporters, made of good quality silk lisle web ruffled elastic; excellent value; 25c.

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Women's blanket bath robes; large cord at waist; large collar; satin ribbon trimmed; blue gray and garnet. Special $4.00; value $5.00.

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All linen handkerchiefs with initial, packed six in box; specially for men; $1.50 per box.

35c BATISTE 25c
Handsome designs in beautiful mercerized Batiste; embroidered; soft finish goods. 35c value.

20c FLANNEL 15c
Fleecedown German Flannel; handsome designs; dark and light shades; suitable for long and short Kimonos and bath robes. 20c value.

Half a Million Handkerchiefs

Bought by the Seven Hale Stores
Marvelous Values From 5c to Many Dollars

It would be almost ridiculous to pay top prices for handkerchiefs when you can come to the Hale store and buy many styles at just about the ordinary wholesale cost.

1200 Different Styles
Men's, Women's, Children's

The greatest handkerchief treat this store has ever offered. Over twenty sales people will give their exclusive attention to the handkerchief business from now until Christmas. Handkerchiefs are a popular gift, but be sure and get the best handkerchiefs your money will buy. A moment's inspection will convince you that these handkerchiefs bought in a vast quantity by the seven Hale stores, are not to be compared with any other handkerchiefs in Los Angeles.

30,000 Handkerchiefs Going at 15c
25,000 Handkerchiefs Going at 25c
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We mention these special assortments because the prices are popular, and the variety is especially large. Many of these handkerchiefs are worth almost double what is asked. Values are great however, whether you buy from our 5c assortment or whether you buy hand-made handkerchiefs.

$7.00 Lace Waists $4.75
Lace waists in allover Baby Crochet, and tucked plain nets, with Baby Crochet insertion and medallions; tucks in the back, and full sleeves. Comes in white and cream; all sizes.

$2.00 Dressing Sacques $1.50
They are made of extra fine quality Eiderdown; tight fitted back; box front, with Sailor collar; bound around the edges with stitched satin; pockets and frog fastenings. The edges are crocheted with black. Come in red, gray, pink and blue. Regular price $2.00.

Only 75 of These Smart $20.00 Suits Very Extra, $15.00

They are to be found in tight fitted tailor style, with fancy stitched straps. Some have plaited effect, and some plaited panel front, with gored circular sides with folds on the bottom. So much better than the cheap suits usually sold at $20. Very stunning in design and beautifully tailored. Greatest offer of the season. While they last, $15.

Children's $3.25 Furs $2.25
They come in cream with lamb's wool collar, with Angora fur trimming, and the muff has Angora fur in the front, and back is lamb's wool; lined with fine quality of white satteen; cored and silk ribbon and head ornament. Regular $3.25 value.

$3.50 Wool Waist $2.50
Wool waists in fine quality of nuns veiling, allover embroidered fronts; tucked back, full sleeve, with tucked collar and cuff. Come in black, white and baby blue; all sizes. These are real bargains for $2.50. Regular $3.50 values.

Fancy Silk Shirt Waist Suits $20.00
Made of a fine quality of Chiffon taffeta, fancy tucked waists, with German Val. lace insertion forming yoke effect. Skirt has deep tucked flounce, with rows of lace insertion. Come in white, baby blue, reseda, pink, pearl, gray and champagne colors.

Swell Silk Coats
Just received 50 silk rubber lined coats in all colors and prices from $17.50 to $35.00. Some have silk Messaline lining to the waist; some have coat collar, and some have fancy imitation shawl collars.

Special $20,000 Sale of

Christmas Lunch Cloths, Linen Sets, Etc. Beautiful, Useful Gifts for Little One.

We describe briefly, the most attractive values in Christmas table linen that we ever give in Los Angeles. These linens were bought by the seven Hale stores especially for Christmas. You will be amazed at the rich, pretty lunch cloths, linen table sets and other linen articles that can be bought for small sums.

Lunch cloths, 1 1-4 yards square, figured damask, hemstitched, $1.50 values for $1.25.

Lunch cloths, 1½ yards square, figured damask, hemstitched, $1.75 values for $1.50.

Lunch cloths, 1½ yards square, figured damask, hemstitched, $2.50 values for $2.25.

Lunch cloths, 1½ yards square, figured damask, hemstitched, $4.50 values for $4.00.

Lunch cloths, 2 yards square, figured damask, hemstitched, $4.50 values for $4.00.

Bureau covers, 50 inches long, Spanish worked, 50c each.

Damask towels; extra large, hemstitched, 65c values for 50c each.

Huck towels, all linen, hemstitched, 20 by 40, for 25c each.

Table cloth, 3 yards long, napkins to match, $8.50 set for $7.00.

Table cloth, 3½ yards long, napkins to match, $10.00 set for $8.75.

Table cloth, 4 yards long, napkins to match, $12.00 set for $9.50.

Lunch cloth, 1 3-4 yards long, hemstitched border, $1.25 value for 98c.

Lunch cloth, 2 1-4 yards long, hemstitched border, $1.50 value for $1.25.

Lunch cloth, 2 3-4 yards long, hemstitched border, $1.75 value for $1.50.

Lunch cloths, 1 yard square, Spanish worked plain linen, 50c each.

Lunch cloths, 1 1-4 yards square, Spanish worked plain linen, 75c each.

Lunch cloths, 1½ yards square, Spanish worked plain linen, $1.00 each.

Lunch cloths, 1 yard square, figured damask, drawn work, $1.00 values for 75c.

Lunch cloths, 1 yard square, hemstitched and scalloped edge, $1.00 values for 75c.

60c Table Damask 47 1-2c.
20 pieces all linen table damask; snow drop design; worth 60c; special 47½c. Napkins to match, 20 by 20, for 98c a dozen.

90c Table Damask 75c
Pure flax satin finish; 66 inches wide; floral designs; rose, snow drop, carnation and fern; napkins to match, $2.50 a dozen.

$1.25 Table Damask $1.00
Irish and German damask; bleached and half bleached; regular price $1.25; special $1.00. Napkins to match, $3.00 a dozen.

$6.50 Table Sets $5.00
150 table sets consisting of cloth and one dozen napkins to match; two sizes, 2 yards square and 2 yards wide by 2½ yards long; done up neatly in boxes; suitable for Christmas gifts; $6.50 values for $5.00.

Another Big Xmas Special

Curtains, Table Covers, Portieres, Etc., Delightful Gifts, Many at Nearly Half Value

Scan closely the following remarkable offerings for the home. These are the sort of gifts a housekeeper appreciates. It is a chance to make your Christmas money by double value.

75c Curtains 45c
Good quality of net; overlocked edges; dandy curtains for apartment rooms; worth 75c. Monday, per pair, 45c.

$3.25 Couch Covers $2.25
Heavy Oriental tapestry in rich, desirable colorors, 60 inches wide, fringed. Regular $3.25 values.

$5.00 Couch Covers $3.25
Oriental couch covers; rug pattern, 60 inches wide; deep knotted fringe.

$8.00 Portieres $4.95
Armure portieres, with fringe or tapestry borders. Were $8.00 samples, $4.95 per pair.

$2.25 Table Covers $1.50
Full 2 yards square table covers in beautiful reds, greens, tans, browns and blues. Best quality of English tapestry; fringed all around. Worth $2.25. On sale $1.50 each.

$3.75 Curtains $2.50
Imported cable nets and Brussels effect lace curtains, 3½ yards long; new designs in Battenberg, Arabian and Brussels effects; $3.75 values for $2.50.

$7.00 Curtains $3.95
Imported Irish Point and Brussels lace curtains; 2 to 4 pairs of any one pattern; some slightly soiled. Worth $7.00 pair, $3.95.

$2.25 Curtains $1.50
Nottingham lace curtains; double thread nets, overlocked edges; $2.25 values. Per pair, $1.50.

Silkoline 9c
Handsome fancy figured silkoline, in a large variety of patterns. Regular 12½c and 15c values. On sale only 9c yard.

Silk Pillow Loops 25c
Extra heavy silk and mercerized pillow loops, in all the wanted colors. Regular 35c and 40c.

Wonderful Demonstration and Sale ... Rings. Prices From 25c Up.

These rings are sold at all jewelry stores at from two to ... times the price asked at Hale's. The rings are solid gold ... guaranteed to wear five years, and the prices are simply ridic... when you compare them with what the same rings bring at ... priced stores. Some are plain, some elaborately set with mar... imitations of diamonds, rubies, pearls, emeralds and other po... gems. Styles for men, women and children. These are not ... rings except in price, and even skeptical people will be a... at the real beauty of them.

The Best Dollar Watch Sold in Ameri... Wonderful Opportunity at Hale's

Those who visit the Hale store and stop to see the exhibit... dollar watches are fairly astonished at the superb finished pr... the perfect time-keeper, the stylish model that is sold for on... lar. No such watch was ever before offered in America a... price. It is a special Christmas attraction that will interest ... ands of people. While parents are buying these watches for ... boys and young men, it is a noticeable fact that hundr... grown folks are also buying them for personal use. It wi... you to make a special trip to Hale's, simply to secure one of ... watches. Other watch bargains up to $35.

French Stag Goods
Our line of genuine French stag goods in brushes, combs, mirrors, etc... also complete sets of military brushes, shaving sets, manicure sets, ... and gents' dressing sets, etc., etc., is most complete and varied... celluloid goods, consisting of albums, dressing cases, etc., etc., ... plete in every respect.

Burnt Wood Novelties
Burnt wood novelties in boxes, plaques, instruments of all descriptions... a full assortment of burnt leather novelties. We have also a large ... of unburnt wood; also the pyrographic sets, points, etc., etc.

Brushes and mirrors of imported manufacture; all styles and p...
Imported and domestic perfumes, soaps, etc., etc.

Art Silver Novelties
Women's dressing sets, military brushes, hat brushes, manicure ... individual pieces in the very latest designs. These are exceptionally ... and serviceable. The materials are all of the best, being heavy ... plate mirrors, genuine Siberian bristle in brushes; the finest q... steel in all materials, and the art silver used in outside decora... warranted not to tarnish.

Celluloid Novelties
A mammoth collection of elaborately made albums, collar and cuf... handkerchief and glove boxes, dressing cases, work boxes, manic... shaving sets. Beautifully decorated and strongly made. Also gra... tion of hand-painted trinket boxes, jewel boxes, glove boxes, etc. ... everything that is wanted to please and be appreciated.

1000 Japanese Embroidered Waist Patterns $1.25

Dainty stylish waist patterns—the popular Japanese embr... kind. Come in cream, white and pongee. What better ... mas gift could you select These one thousand patterns ... on sale Monday at $1.25.

50-inch Suiting $1.50 Yard
A fine all-wool cloth in brown and black plaids; most stylish ... of colors on the market; 56 inches wide and especially adapted ... suits and separate skirts.

Chiffon Broadcloth $2.50 Yard
Superfine quality of Chiffon Broadcloth in all the leading colors, ... evening shades; 54 inches wide. Extraordinary value at $2.50 a ...

Crepe de Chine 50c
20 pieces all-silk Crepe de Chine in a good assortment of shades ... bright; good, firm weave.

$1.75 Taffeta Silk $1.38
10 pieces 36-inch black taffeta silk; an extra good quality; fully g... teed; bright and crisp. Regular $1.75 grade.

75c, $1.00, $1.25 Plaid Silks 75c
50 different patterns plaid silks; black and white and all colors, in ... dark shades.

Xmas Cut Price Rugs

A very appropriate Xmas present is a pretty rug, which we pu... tomorrow; all colors and new patterns.

Best quality Smith & Sons Axminster rug, 27x56 inches; regu... $3.25, cut to $2.50.

Best quality of Sanford & Sons Axminster rugs, 27x56 inches; ... price $3.60, cut to $2.75.

Best quality Sanford & Sons Axminster rugs, 36x72 inches; regu... $5.25, cut to $4.25.

Best quality Smyrna rugs, all wool, 27x56 inches; regular price ... cut to $2.20.

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Finest $4.75 Robe Blankets—$3.

For a beautiful Xmas gift, select one of our extra heavy double ... Patterns. All colors and designs, with trimming attached ready for ... A regular $4.75 robe tomorrow $3.50.

XMAS SPECIAL
$1.75 COMFORT $1.50
Extra large bed comfort, with best quality heavy weight silkoline covering, lined with snowflake sheet cotton; well tufted; fluffy and warm. An Xmas special tomorrow, $1.50.

XMAS SPECIAL
$6.00 WOOL BLANKETS $5.00
A nice Xmas gift, one of our 11-4 size, 90 per cent. lamb's wool Blankets, made from finest quality shrunken wool; good weight; soft woolly fleece face; silk bound, stitched ends. Red, pink, and blue borders. A Xmas special this week, $5.00 pair.

XMAS SPECIAL
$1.30 COMFORT $1.10
Our regular $1.30 Comfort... Xmas leader, will be on sale ... row; full size; made of ... white sheet cotton; heavy ... covering. A tomorrow ... $1.10.

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Our 11-4 85 per cent. ... wool Blankets, extra heavy ... fleece lace; very warm ... silk bound, stitched ... tinted borders; ... suitable for Xmas ... ular $4.75 value. ... $4.00.

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Home

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Neckwear 39c
Values up to $1.00
A special purchase of lovely new neckwear for women, of the latest creations, actually worth as high as $1.00. For a big Monday special your choice 39c.

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annels, 19c.
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Crackerjack

A Mining District Ribbed With Riches

and squarely on the East Mother Lode, which is showing its marvelous mineralization in the Record Breaking Production at Goldfield, a production at the rate of $40,000,000 yearly.



Right in the Heart of It Are the Superb Properties of the

Crackerjack Gold Mining Company

Now being developed into shippers as fast as men and money can do the work. The high grade character of the ore bodies being opened up on these holdings is shown by the following assays by Baverstock & Staples, Assayers, of Los Angeles.

Date.	Mark or Description.	Gold, oz. per ton.	Value.	Silver, oz. per ton.	Value.	Copper, per cent.	Lead, per cent.	Value.	Total value.
Oct. 23	1.	.50	10.33	3.5	2.45	28.2	14.1	114.08 13.92	140.78
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	3.	9.5	196.36	3.6	2.52	3.6	5.9	15.84 7.08	221.80
	4.	4.2	86.81	3.4	2.38	1.9	36.4	8.36 44.28	141.83

Gold calculated at $20.67 per oz. Copper calculated at 22c per lb.
Silver " " .70 per oz. Lead " " 6c per lb.

BAVERSTOCK & STAPLES, Assayers.

The Above Assays were made from AVERAGE samples of THREE FEET of ore, with the exception of assay No. 3, which was taken from a small vein five inches wide. Anyone is invited to visit the property—take his own samples and verify these assays.

WILLIS A. CATES, President.

Unprecedented Guarantee

As the most absolute evidence that in the stock of the Crackerjack Gold Mining company we are presenting a mining reality, not a mining prospect, we submit the following proposition: To any and all persons who may buy of us shares of said stock and who, after said purchase, shall visit the property of the company described in this paper and who shall find the said property and matters pertaining to it not as herein described, we will refund the amount or amounts paid us for the said shares of stock and in addition pay to said person or persons the full amount of all necessary expense of such inspection, including cost of transportation from any part of the United States.

One Portion Alone Worth a Million Dollars

The development of the properties includes a shaft from which shipping ore in large quantity is already being taken and a tunnel being driven to intersect an iron capped dikes which is thirty feet wide on the surface and traceable with the naked eye two and one-half miles. Of this dike Willis A. Cates, president of the company and a mining operator of extended and successful experience, has said the following in the public press:

"The surface assays of this dike show 2 per cent copper; at the point at which our tunnel will cut the dike, the latter will undoubtedly be wider and assay many times what it does at the surface, but if it only assays 5 per cent this portion of the company's holdings in the district will alone be worth not less than $1,000,000."

We are offering the first allotment of the Treasury Stock of this Company, operating in the core of the second Goldfield, and destined, like Mohawk, to be a mortgage lifter, at

Twenty-Five Cents Per Share

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(Charles Richard Gates in the L. A. Herald.)

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Will it be Crackerjack next? It certainly seems to look that way to a lot of people who have drunk deeply of the golden stream rolling forth from the camps which have revived and made wider than ever Nevada's fame, for the same people are pouring into the Crackerjack to slake again the insatiable thirst for fortune.

Though the Crackerjack is obviously on the same mineral belt as the Nevada wonder camps, joining and being a continuation of the Greenwater section, it is not of the sage brush commonwealth, but in California, the first western state to fling out before the world the banner of gold.

The Crackerjack district is not a pleasure resort. Winter days are hot; summer days, thermometers with attics are almost essential for the accommodation of the mercury; on days of all seasons the winds blow a gale. But it has the stuff that men scheme, sweat and die for—gold, silver, copper and lead. It is seamed with great ledges of precious and base metals—on surface and in canyons is read the evidence in bold, long-reaching ore outcrops of a remarkable mineralization.

Extent of District

The Crackerjack district commences about fifty miles northeasterly of Daggett, and takes its name from the most important property in it—the Crackerjack group of claims, belonging to a Los Angeles corporation—is about thirty-six miles square, and on its easterly edge clasps hands with Death Valley; but it is not as bad as the latter, because at a reasonable depth it has water, and having water and metallic wealth it will have society in time, a very short time, indeed, if one is to judge by the rate people are going into it. The nearest railroad point is Silver Lake station, twenty-three miles distant, on the Tonopah-Tidewater railroad, now in course of construction from Ludlow, on the Santa Fe, to Tonopah. The Avawatz range of mountains—rough, uncouth, belying in their forbidding appearance the veins of wealth that course through their bodies, give the district an undulating, altitudinous topography gashed with ragged canyons. They rise to an elevation of nearly 8000 feet, do these mountains, and whatever may be their heat when the sun shines, the cold upon their heights at night sends a bitter chill to the marrow of one's bones, unless those bones are mighty well covered.

Pecked at 100 Years Ago

Nearly 100 years ago Spanish miners in their crude way pecked at the surface of what is now the Crackerjack district, recovering the values with the aid of primitive arastras, the ruins of which may be found scattered over the district now.

But the generation of today knows, or will know, this district, because of the searching spirit of "Cyclone" Wilson. And who is "Cyclone" Wilson? A typical "desert rat," ever on the rove for new fields of mineral conquest, whose sobriquet is descriptive of the man in action. He won note as the locator of the Jumbo mine at Goldfield, but wider note, perhaps, as the man who dared to "bat" Walter Scott ("Scotty"), he of supposed fabulous wealth, in the face in a quarrel at Barstow.

Wilson went into the Crackerjack last December, his mining eye took in the prospect presented and his location notices found prompt filing. That was the beginning. Now the district is located almost solidly for about thirty miles square. The most important locations are about the middle of the district, in close proximity to the holdings of the Crackerjack Gold Mining company, after which the district is named. Hereabouts Nevada and Southern California mining operators have been busy during the year "proving up" on claims, and saying precious little about it.

In a few instances, almost extensive development work has been done, but for most part the miners have been content to do little work. Of the great value of their holdings not one expresses doubt, indeed all are enthusiastic, and many assert that the district will strip the laurels from Goldfield, Bullfrog and Greenwater, as robustly as the latter are booming.

Valuable Ore Is Found

Ore assaying up to $5000 per ton has already been uncovered. On the Beck & Wilson group, the claims originally located by "Cyclone" Wilson, and adjoining the Crackerjack company's claims on the north, there is an ore body from 6 to 12 feet wide, running 3000 feet, and assaying up to $75 per ton. Wouldn't that make you glad if you had it? Another bunch of claims shows an 18-inch vein carrying silver at the rate of from 600 to 1200 ounces to the ton, and silver going up in price, too. Copper ore bodies run 3½ per cent to 15 per cent, and one copper blow out can be traced for 1400 feet. This is of consequence when we bear in mind that the red metal is climbing to the highest quotation in modern history.

Mining in the district has actually commenced, the first gold brick having recently gone out.

Soon the town of Crackerjack will be on the map, for a townsite is to be laid out at once. To it regular conveyance from the railroad station will be provided by a stage line to be put in operation at once. Telephone, telegraph and mail communication is also on the tapis—and, needless to say, a newspaper, that greatest of all civilizing agencies, will arrive ere long, and then Crackerjack, town and district, will be made. In fact, the district is already made, for the stuff that moves the wheels of progress is there, under its ugly face, and all man has to do is to dig it out.

THE CAPITAL OF THE STATE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 7.—Aspirants to the position of Secretary of the State Board of Examiners need aspire no more. It is announced that this coveted position has been promised to Byron Deeming of Auburn and the statement is likely enough to be true. Deeming used to live in Humboldt county and at the time of the fight against Senator Selvage for the Congressional nomination he rendered invaluable service to Mr. Gillett. He did it without hope of reward, which has no doubt proved a strong recommendation to the man who offers him what is almost, if not quite, the highest position at his disposal. Byron Deeming is still a young man, he has marked capacity and his character is of the highest.

There is said to be something like a panic among the very numerous gentry who confidently relied upon the influence of Ruef to secure them appointments under the new administration. Why any one should suppose that Ruef's influence would have any weight with the Governor it is hard to say, but there are some people who will believe anything. It is now evident to these foolish ones that they have backed the wrong horse and that whatever influence the little French boss may once have possessed has passed away forever. Hence these tears as they see their prospects of preferment fade away into the dim and distant. Of course Ruef's recommendation would never have had the slightest influence with Gillett. There were a great many who thought differently, but they have given up the last hope. The desertion of these men has weakened Ruef considerably; for with the brutal frankness that distinguishes the purely selfish politician they have made their defection known and are trying hard to reconstruct the old worn-out machine of Phil Crimmins and Martin Kelly. It will avail them nothing. If Gillett answers expectations the advice of a machine boss in San Francisco will have about as much effect upon him as it would have upon the planet Mars.

There are a considerable number of office holders who have been appointed by Pardee since the last Legislature adjourned, and there is great uncertainty among them as to their fate. According to the law the Senate must confirm all such appointments, that is to say all appointments that have been made during the legislative recesses. There is also another law, unwritten, but that has always been observed. According to this unwritten law all those appointed to office during a legislative recess and subsequent to the election of a new Governor must run the gauntlet of the party caucus as well as of the Senate Committee. That is to say the Senate, before confirming such appointments, refers the matter to the party caucus for its opinion as to the fitness of the nominee. It is the verdict of the caucus that then influences the decision of the Senate committee.

The Pardee appointees are said to have a plan on foot to circumvent this custom. They have been approaching the Senators and trying to persuade them to confirm the appointments immediately upon their assembly and before the new Governor shall be sworn in. The swearing-in will not come for six days after the Senate meets and there would, therefore, be plenty of time to do this if the Senate were so inclined. Gillett's friends have been well informed as to the move and are meeting it. All that the Pardee men would have to do is to persuade some Senator to make an early motion to the effect that all appointments be confirmed direct by the Senate without the usual formality of the committees and such a motion might very well be carried unless its true inwardness were pointed out.

There is no longer any one to say that the Ruef-Schmitz prosecution is a political move or inspired by Hearst. A great many said so at first but they are not saying so now. The fact is that the average San Franciscan has begun to look upon Ruef as invincible, as one of the permanent institutions of the city. They have seen attack after attack fail and the gravest charges as ineffectual as water on a duck's back. And there has been a sort of sneaking admiration for a man who can do things in a colossal way, even dishonest things, and successfully evade all penalties. But no one now disputes that the prosecution is in earnest and there seems to be no one who doubts that Ruef's hour has come. But many believe that Schmitz will pull through, and it is not unlikely that he will do so if he can be persuaded to break away from his evil mentor. There are signs that he will do so. When Schmitz landed in New York he had no conception of what was actually impending and then Ruef was just as good a fellow as ever he was. Schmitz had a great deal to be told and his attitude toward Ruef perceptibly cooled, in some of his wayside speeches he even spoke of him contemptuously. On passing through Sacramento he asserted his own innocence but when asked about Ruef he hesitated and said that that "was quite another matter." This reason may have been due to a genuine repugnance at facts that had reached him for the first time. On the other hand it may have been due to a dawning recognition that Ruef was beyond the pale and whoever stuck to him must inevitably go down with him. The coolness between them is now marked.

ROYAL COURT ELECTS.

Los Angeles Assembly No. 2, Royal Court, elected as worthy chancellor, Charles G. Holdridge; vice-chancellor, Francis M. Corison; councillor, Allan Young; scrivener, Jesse Jones; bishop, Emma Davis; herald, George Blake; master of exchequer, Nellie Lashlee; lady of honor, Edith B. Pierce; warden, Elwood P. Nicly; sentinel, Capt. Merrick; trustees, Willard E. Marsh, W. O. Davis, Frank C. Prescott, Jr.

BIOLOGICAL MEETING MONDAY.

Biological section of the Southern California Academy of Sciences will meet at the Pacific College of Osteopathy, Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. The lecturer will be Dr. Leonard, city bacteriologist. The subject is "Immunity." A cordial invitation to attend is extended to the general public, and an especial invitation to physicians of all schools.

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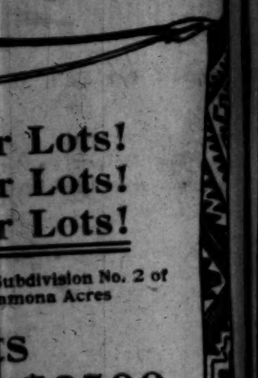
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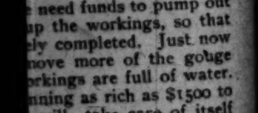
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The American Tariff Commissioners, who adjourned December 6, in Berlin, in order to get certain material in shape, will meet the German delegates again December 10.

Dr. Benjamin Harrison, who was shot at Chicago Friday by A. C. Campbell of Antigo, Wis., was reported by his physician to be in an improved condition, with a fighting change for life.

Judge Church of Anamosa, Iowa, yesterday quashed indictments against F. E. Snyder, the Olin banker, charged with fraudulent banking. The indictments proved defective.

The imperial budget presented at Berlin yesterday adds $4000 to the salary of the German Ambassador at Washington, owing to the increased cost of living at the American capital.



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Like Little Boy He Tries to Elicit Sympathy.

Prints Letters to Explain Dismissal from Office.

President Lectures Madame for Silly Intrigue.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The Chicago Tribune in its Washington dispatches today says that an extraordinary letter has been addressed by Bellamy Storer to the President and members of his Cabinet in regard to his dismissal from the post of Ambassador of the United States to Austria-Hungary.

Storer was dismissed because of his wife's supposed interference in affairs of the Roman Catholic church and her alleged misuse of letters from the President. It was also charged that Mrs. Storer had meddled with French politics by taking part in anti-republican intrigue to promote the marriage of Victor Bonaparte with a member of the Orleans family.

Both of these charges Storer denies, and on the other hand declares that the President's interest in the selection of Archbishop Ireland as a cardinal was not due to Storer or to Storer's wife, but the President alone.

The text of Storer's letter was printed and transmitted not only to the President, but also to memebrs of the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate.

Storer says that his removal in so summary a manner suddenly dismissed him from an office which he had been given reason to believe he had filled to the satisfaction both of his own government and of that to which he was accredited, and being accompanied by no public explanation, it exposed him to suspicious and injurious conjectures such as must naturally arise when a man in public office is abruptly dismissed by his government with what is obviously intended to be discredit.

The correspondence shows the family relations of the President and the Storers from the time Mr. Roosevelt was Governor of New York, just after the Spanish-American War. Some of the President's letters to Storer were addressed, "My Dear Bellamy," and to his wife, "My Dear Maria," and Mrs. Storer addressed the President as "Dear Theodore."

One letter of the President to Mrs. Storer, dated December 11, 1905, after the efforts of the Storers in behalf of Archbishop Ireland began to attract attention, contains the following passages:

ONE OF THE LETTERS.

"Your direct or implied complaint of and reflections upon my own personal conduct give me no concern, but I am very gravely concerned at the mischevious effect your letters must have in misrepresenting the position of the United States government and by the far-reaching governmental scandal your indiscretion may at any time cause.

"Your letters not only convey a totally wrong impression of my attitude, but they are such as you have no business whatever to write in view of the position of your husband in the diplomatic service.

"The letter of Cardinal Merry del Val to you of November 23 is a rebuke to you, expressing plainly his belief that you have been unwarrantably officious in matters with which you have properly no concern. It should of itself be enough to show you how exceedingly unwise and improper your action in writing to him was.

I am indignant that the wife of any Ambassador in the United States service should have written such a letter, should have given the impression undoubtedly conveyed in that letter and should have incurred such a rebuke.

"You don't seem to realize that it is out of the question for me knowingly to permit the wife of one of our diplomats to engage in ecclesiastic intrigues to influence the Vatican."

After referring to the report that Mrs. Storer was known in Europe as the American Ambassadress to Rome, the President closes thus:

PRESIDENT DEMANDS PROMISE.

"I must ask you to give me this positive promise in writing if Bellamy is to continue in the service and if you even unintentionally violate it I shall have to ask for Bellamy's resignation, for I can no longer afford to have the chance of scandal being brought on the entire American diplomatic service and on the government itself by such indiscreet and ill-advised action as yours has been.

"I cannot trust myself to express fully the feeling of indignation with which I read the letter to Mrs. Storer," says Storer.

"Though I was in the public service, I felt and still feel that I had lost some of the rights which a man has to judge of the propriety of letters addressed to his wife and to resent any improper communication.

"I did not even then know what I have since learned, that the letter was not even written for my wife's eyes or mine alone, but had been shown to others before it was sent and thus used to make a case against a lady, a trusting friend, who could not be heard in her own defense.

"My wife was deliberately accused of having quoted isolated sentences from the President's letters to convince other persons that he was doing exactly what, as he asserts, he had explicitly stated in writing that he would not do.

"This charge of shameful conduct was based on no evidence which could even have misled the writer into a hasty judgment, but was in answer to a letter which, whether approved or not, at least furnishes no such evidence either in itself or in its enclosures.

"The tone of long suffering and outraged patience, the careful omission of all mention of anything that the writer had himself done and authorized to be done in the matters complained of, and the quotation from the letters written at the time of my errand to the Pope without any of the facts and circumstances related above which would give those letters their true character or show that they were angry complaints because what he had directed to be done had become known—these things with the abusive personal characterization of my wife and with assumed indignation with which it had been, in fact, permitted, and encouraged, where not expressly directed, seemed to me to put the letter outside the limit of anything justified even in a stranger.

"What a sense of outrage of friendship it aroused in us can perhaps be understood by any one who has read even the small part of the private correspondence given above."

In concluding his letter, which is dated at Cincinnati, November, 1906, the former Ambassador says:

"I write this letter without the knowledge of 'Mr. Ireland.'"



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REVIEW OF MINING.

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AUBURY AFTER THE FAKERS.

State Mineralogist Given Credit for Initiating Protective Legislation.

...s bee proposed by Gov. Pardee ...f California at the Denver Mining ...ongress, makes it a felony to so mis... the condition of property of ...ny company as shall tend to de... the public as to its real value. ...is is undoubtedly carefully ...ne, and the purpose is an plain ...t. Adults as are the fine and im...risonment imposed for its violation. ...There is no doubt that this action on ...part of the States, on the initiative ...f California, has been suggested to ...Governor Pardee by that able and distin...guished Californian, State Mineralogist ...Aubury. No man in the country has ...a right to advise strenuous laws ...in direction than he. It is due to ...his influence on the prosecution of ...those who would lower the tone and ...standards of mining investment in ...which that his State has been so ...well redeemed from the rule of the ...wild and confidence men in min...ing. Some men have been sent to the ...penitentiary for participation in min...ing frauds, and the drag-net is said to ...be cast more, wherever the same ...may be found. The Rumble frauds are ...among the more notorious villainies ...that spring to earth is traceable to ...Aubury's activity.
...The safeguard of most stringent leg...islation, if heedlessly enforced is espec...ially demanded in mining from the ...nature of the business. The re...luctance of investors in the stocks, ...bonds and their scattered lo...calities, their ignorance of one an...other's identity, and the scores of oth...er causes disabilities under which ...mining, as an essential factors in the ...industries, demand more than ...ordinary consideration and protection ...from the law. That published lies regarding ...properties which the public's doi...ngs to develop should be punish...able felonies is none too severe.—...Mining and Commercial.

...AN CAPITAL IN MEXICO.

...and Hecla Company Acquires ...ne on Copper Mines in ...Moctezuma District.

...An important step in the ad...vance of the mining industry in the ...Sonora is the advent in the ...Moctezuma district of the Calumet and ...Hecla Mining Company, which has ...hitherto confined all of its opera...tions in the Lake Superior region of ...the United States. It is stated that the Calu...met and Hecla people have taken an ...option on the Rosa Amazilla group, ...seven miles from Moctezuma. The ...property consists of 800 acres, on which ...numerous outcroppings of high-grade ...ore in twenty-four places.
...Great excitement was created when ...the news was made public, and nearly ...all the ground within a radius ...of three miles of the Van Dorn property ...was denounced in the local land ...offices by American and Mexican ...speculators. Prices placed on various ...properties have also advanced consid...erably, and it is expected that every ...claim staked in the district will ben...efit by the advent of this big corpora...tion.

...in Nevada Gold Stocks.

...Much interest is being shown in ...investments in mining shares in the ...new gold fields of Southern Nevada, ...while some people are making for...tunes over the "tape," others—and ...they are many—will find themselves ..."broke" when the professional ...comes to "wash" stock which ...is floating at "rock-bottom" prices ...temporarily. It has been asked by ...a prospective investor, will the in...jection in the stock market ...legitimate mining propositions? ...Of course, when the temperature of ...wild speculation begins to fall ...and the bad members of the ...market will show a change, and ...there will come time before the mine ...of real worth regains its strength ...in the estimation of the investing pub...lic. But, say brokers, there will be in...creased activity in Tonopah, Bullfrog, ...Goldfield, Johnnie and other new ...mining camps in Nevada which are ...known to have good properties.
...The greatest excitement at present is ...in the Goldfield district, where fabu...lous rich strikes have initiated ex...traordinary stock speculation. Prac...tically all of the shares now on the ...market have a par value of $1, and ...were originally floated at a ridicu...lously low price, as may be understood ...when it is learned that most of them ...have gone up a day jumped as much as 50 ...cents a share. In fact, so wild is the ...speculation that a poor man ...who "got" his way into camp may ...find the Jay Gould, while on the day ...before a Tom Lawson may have ...had a freight car to return to his ...—Mining World.

...Angeles in Arizona.

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The ore samples taken by me from the main shaft are talc with sulphides the same as the Shoshone, and the showing on your vein in its present state of development is fully as good as was the Shoshone.

The other claims contain fissures leading toward the main body of ore in your big vein and are feeders for it.

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Pioneer Roll Paper Company Loses Stock.

Five Men Carried Senseless from Building.

Crossed Electric Wires Are Held to Blame.

Firemen fought through a smother of smoke in an ugly basement fire at the Pioneer Roll Paper Company, Nos. 219-221 South Los Angeles street yesterday afternoon. Five of them were carried out unconscious, among these Chief Walter Lips. The damage, according to W. G. Hunt, president of the company, amounted to about $12,000 to stock, and several hundred dollars to the building.

After fighting their way through pecularly pungent clouds of smoke, the firemen finally got access to the flames from the front, rear and through the floor directly over them. Then they drowned out the blaze. In so doing they had to cover the basement floor with several feet of water, and this leaked through the south foundation wall, left exposed by excavation for an adjacent building. What danger the seepage through the naked wall may cause could not be learned last evening.

This is the second big fire which the company has suffered from. During the winter of 1904-1905 the Pioneer Roll Paper Company's store building at the corner of North Los Angeles and Commercial streets burned, entailing a total loss of about $150,000. A year ago in its present building the company had a small fire. The plant on Macy street has been the scene of a number of slight blazes, as is the case with all factories of this nature. Yesterday's chapter in the story of misfortune began at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

START OF BLAZE.

An employé saw smoke rolling up the elevator shaft in the front of the building. He notified others at once. Patroiman Henry Ditzen turned in an alarm from box No. 59, at the corner of Second and Los Angeles streets. The apparatus was quick to respond.

From the begining the firemen were working under difficulties. The company had bought out the Pacific Paper Company, and had just finished taking over the latter's stock. The last load had come during the noon hour, and the sidewalk was still covered with rolls and boxes, which partially blockaded the entrance, while within the building the floor was strewn with new goods.

Over these and between them the firemen struggled. Smoke was now filling the first floor. They dropped a line of hose into the basement by way of the elevator shaft and Chief Lipps was among the first to enter that part of the building. The men, for the most part from engine companies Nos. 3 and 4, found themselves enveloped by clouds of peculiarly stifling smoke.

The fire itself was in the extreme rear of the basement, among rolls of asphalt roofing paper, and its yellow fumes rolled out until they became thicker and blacker and more smothering. Into these clouds the firemen slowly made their way. As they advanced they gasped; then reeled like drunken men. But they hung to their aires, crawling now on hands and knees where the air was purest.

FIREMEN OVERCOME.

Lipps rolled over on the floor and was carried out. It took some time to revive him and he re-entered the building while still suffering acutely. Another man from company No. 4 was borne out unconscious. Jacob Letts, the elevator boy of the building, was overcome soon after the arrival of the firemen and carried to fresh air by employés.

Meantime the hosemen in the basement were fighting a grim and baffling battle. No flame was in sight. They labored in complete darkness with here and there the red gleam of a lantern obscured by smoke wreaths. They kept advancing toward the rear of the building, pouring water from the nozzles as they went. A second line of hose was brought in soon after the first and men were set to work chopping a hole in the first floor at the rear. A third nozzle was dropped through this.

A second alarm was turned in and engine companies Nos. 5, 7 and 9 responded. They were set to work at the rear where windows gave access to the fire. These windows were backed, a few feet distant, by a high retaining wall. As soon as the firemen broke them they found themselves in a smoke-filled pit. Captain Thomas Home and Lieutenant Stammer of Engine Company No. 9, were overcome here and were carried up ladders by members of the company. They were resuscitated in the free fresh air and returned within a half hour.

FIRE FIGHTERS WIN.

With all the streams playing into the basement it rapidly filled with water and gradually the fire waned. It was literally a case of drowning the flames and took two hours.

President W. G. Hunt of the Pioneer Roll Paper Company said early last evening: "I estimate our loss at about $12,000 to stock. The building loss will probably be comparatively slight. The stock is insured. How much salvage there will be I cannot say."

The fire department placed no estimate on the loss last evening. The origin of the fire is unknown and an investigation will be made today. A crossed wire is suspected as the cause. Henry Van Nuys owns the building.

THE POLITICAL WATCH TOWER



Politicians are waiting with a marked degree of expectancy the canvass by the Council on Monday of the votes cast at the last municipal election.

Clampitt of the Second Ward was counted in by the election officers; his plurality is less than seventy votes. But the return sheets show that eight ballots were rejected before this result was reached. The election officers in the doubtful precincts were all organization men and there is a suspicion that they were too critical in their inspection of the Non-Partisan ballots.

If Clampitt's election is affirmed, the Republicans can organize the Council and Blanchard will be in a position to teach the Non-Partisan recruits to do the lock-step. But if Van Degrift should be declared winner the situation would be different; then Wallace, Republican and Non-Partisan member from the Fifth Ward, would hold the balance of power in organizing the Council and naming committees.

The side which organizes the Council this year will have the appointment of three members to serve on the "Public Utility" board, a committee that is to succeed the Council Board of Public Works. The duties of this committee are even more important than were those of the old works board. It is this committee that will fix the maximum price of gas, electricity and telephone service for the next fiscal year. It will also make recommendations to the Council on all franchise matters.

Wallace has been picked by those on the inside for the chairman of the Council. He was both the Republican and Non-Partisan nominee. The Republicans will need him to assist in passing ordinances that require the expenditure of money by the city. Such can be passed only by six votes. He may also be needed to help pass routine legislation over the Democratic Mayor's veto.

The first slate makes Wallace president of the Council and Blanchard chairman of the Public Utilities Board. The other members on this board are to be Healy and Pease.

Wren and Yonkin will probably secure places on the Finance Committee. The situation this year is unique in that the Mayor is a Democrat, but there is not a single member of his party in the Council.

While Mayor-elect Harper is away in the tall grass trying figuring how to satisfy 517 applicants with seventeen places, hordes of the great unwashed are besieging Chairman Edelman of the Democratic Executive Committee, asking for a promise if only it be a straw vote.

Harper's election came as an anticlimax to the warmest municipal campaign on record. Some are unkind enough to say that he rode in as a stowaway.

"Ten men have been to me today, each asking me to speak a good word for him as a member of the Board of Public Works," said a big local contractor yesterday afternoon.

There is only one place to fill and the vacancy does not occur until January, 1908, but the Democratic statesmen are already standing in line offering themselves for the place.

J. Marion Brooks thinks his valuable services to the party should be requited by this appointment. Contractor Franklin is another who thinks he is made of Board of Public Works timber; and there are at least fifty back precincts yet to be heard from.

Chairman Anderson's term expires January 1. He is a Democrat, but the aspirants for his place unite in declaring that a second cousin of his wore a Gates badge the night of the election. This, they think, should be sufficient to warrant his retiring from the board, even before the expiration of his term.

Two places on the Police Commission are already filled. Dr. Ralph Hagan is to remain and M. J. McGarry is to be advanced from the Park Board to the Police.

Former Police Commissioner Craig was an ardent Harper supporter and he is very likely to be named as the third member of the commission. The fourth place may go to the Council in return for some legislation in which the new Mayor is interested.

Park Superintendent Morley supported Harper for election. He even went so far that he was admonished by some members of the present administration for partisan activity. There is just a chance, although a remote one, that Morley may retain his present place under the Harper régime.

Health Officer Powers is happy. A Democrat, he has managed to stick to his place through an exceedingly trying Republican administration. Now he is in clover again.

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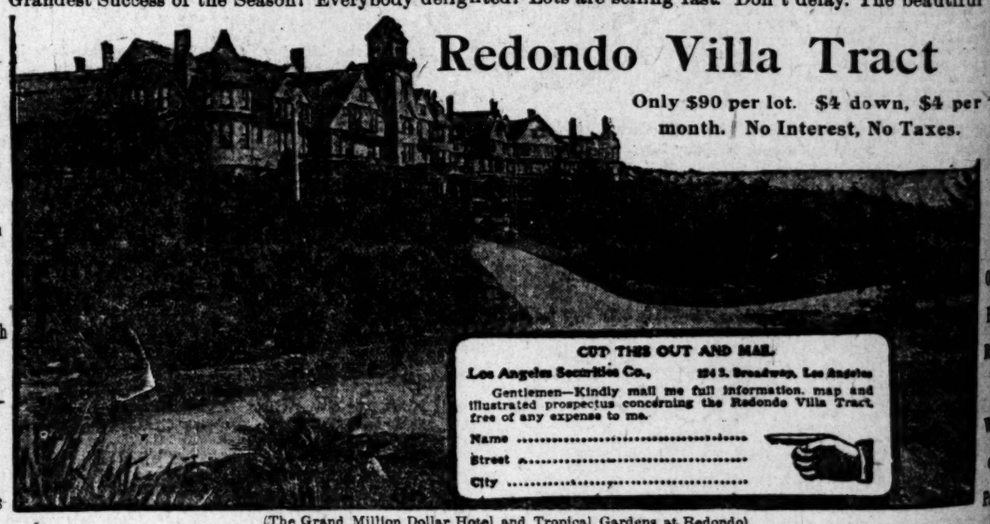
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...ly What Gompers and the Other Labor Bosses Are Now Waging.

...s said that Speaker Cannon has ...ne of the fight which Gompers, ...ead of the American Federation ...or, is making against him. He ...no need of fear, says the St. ...Globe-Democrat in a recent is... This is not altogether because ...ajority in 1904 was 15,000. If ...only 8000 he would be safe. ...d is a false alarm. He can do ...harm to any Republican. In the ...d Ohio Congressional District, ...recent canvass in that State, he ...a better chance to do something ...he will have in any other Con...ional district which he will in... He made a fierce attack on ...ckett, but he accomplished noth... ...far as the returns show. Lit...'s lead was reduced in 1906 to ...200, as compared with 5400 in ...1904 was a Republican ...year. The majorities for ...the Republican Congressmen ...that year, much above the ...A cut in the vote was cer... ...come in 1906 in any case. The ...is that the cut in Littlefield's ...was not greater than the re... ...drew it to be. Littlefield was ...unpopular. He opposed the ...'s programme in Congress on ...portant measures and lost ...on that account. The Prohi... ...hit him, as it did every ...Republican candidate in the ...regardless of the office which ... But Littlefield was re... ...a good-sized plurality. ...every other district which ...and the labor bosses enter ...will also fall. Gompers is as... ...by the fact that he is in the ...of a Democrat in this campaign, ...so far as his influence extends, ...the Democratic party—the ...of free trade, free silver and ...other follies which would hit ...worker hard. Gompers pre... ...he is not masquerading as ...in this canvass, but his ...is a sham. All the men on ...ket are Republicans. Every ...man who has Gompers's ...is a Democrat. The people ...through his gobus claims of ...as between the parties. He ...for the Democrats, who ...the enemies of all the im... ...legislation which has ...on the statute book. ...which he or any of his ...brothers of the labor junta ...practically a plea for the ...of a Democrat. Moreover, the ...can see this, and are not alto... ...with it. They see that ...class proscription hurts the ...party. McGillicuddy, Lit...'s Democratic opponent in the ...Congressional contest, said, ...election, that he would have ...Littlefield if Gompers and his ...labor bosses had kept ...district. Littlefield himself ...Gompers helped him.

...bosses' propaganda encoun... ...at the start the important ...of all the acts of Congress for ...of the workingman which ...placed on the national ...in the past fifty years ...put there by the Repub... The Republicans passed ...the act of 1862; they abol... ...in 1865 by the thirteenth ...they shut out coolies and ...statutes passed in various ...have built up, through the vari... ...beginning with Morrill's ...along with Dingley's, the protec... ...under which labor has ...and as never before; they es... ...specie payments in 1879; ...demoted free silver in 1896 and ...placed a gold standard act ...statutes in the latter year, a ...months before the election; they ...the Department of Labor, ...Gompers's American Federa... ...all the rest of the labor so... ...for; and they passed the ...laws, and are enforcing ...This is only a small part of the ...which the Republican party ...in the past half century ...best interest of labor. These ...mean all the difference be... ...prosperity and adversity for ...of the United States. ...one of these acts was ...some stage or in all ...Democratic party. The ...portant ones—free homes, ...pension, resumption of spe... ...the protective tariffs ...gold standard—were fought ...Democratic party at every ...Republican party not only ...these acts, but it defended ...them from Democratic as... ...aimed to neutralize or ...All these things are ...every intelligent American. ...of Republican champion... ...labor and Democratic hos... ...of Gompers and his as... ...Democratic stool pigeons in ...which they appear. ...one of the reasons why ...party in the Congres... ...of 1906 will smash that ...between the labor... ...and the Democratic

The Power of Injunction.

...of curtailing the "vital" ...tion was not stated too ...Senator Knox in his can... ...speech at the last ...Congress:

...framework and struc... ...jurisprudence was built ...possible because of this ...power, the power of ...now it is suggested to ...this power. If Con... ...interfere and lop off this ...branch of equity ju... ...it is easy to see that it can ...whole system, or at least ...such an attempt upon ...Congress would clearly be ...upon another and a ...branch of the government, ...matter of highest satisfac... ...that in the system of ...checks and balances ...this government, the ...is not helpless, but may ...proper position and ...declaring such an en... ...unconstitutional. That ...court would do so can ...doubted."

...has made clear the distinction ..."jurisdiction" and "judicial ...the judicial power "exists ...by virtue of the Constitu... ...creates the inferior ...distribution—but does not ...judicial power to them. ...sets out the jurisdiction ...by stating upon and to ...objects this judicial ...shall and operate; but ...Congress "may ...withdraw the judicial ...appeals, but it can neither ...nor confer an essential func... ...power when vested."

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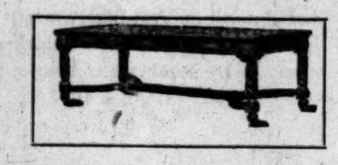
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TELEGRAPH CHEERS 'EM.

Rhyolite and Greenwater Now in Touch With Civilization, but Fuel Is Scarce.

L. T. Dyer, superintendent of telegraphs of the Salt Lake, has just returned from Rhyolite, Nev., where his men have completed the installation of a telegraph office in the temporary station of the Las Vegas and Tonopah Railway, and a public Western Union station in the Rhyolite bank building.

Yesterday morning, also, the same gangs carried the first telegraph lines into the Greenwater camp on this side of the California line. The residents of Greenwater, who have no railway as yet, are jubilant over being brought into touch with the outside world through the medium of the telegraph.

According to Dyer, the promising little town of Rhyolite is suffering from a shortage of fuel. A blizzard was on during the past week and it snowed heavily. There was no wood nor oil for fuel, and the mercury hid itself in the bulb of the thermometer. In this extremity lumber shipped in for building material and valued at $100 a thousand feet was cut up for firewood to keep the people from actually freezing to death.

In spite of the cold, however, Dyer says the little city is going right ahead in the fulfillment of its promise of becoming one of the most important mining camps in the Nevada gold fields.

GAS? CERTAINLY NOT.

Coroner's Death Certificate Shows Cugnier Died of "Valvular Hear Disease."

"Valvular heart disease" is the latest name for escaping illuminating gas. Coroner Trout yesterday morning signed a death certificate designating this as the cause of Louis Cugnier's death the day before. Cugnier was found in his room at No. 864 Summit street, with the gas cock turned on. To a layman the case looked decidedly as though the man had died from asphyxiation.

The reason for the remarkable certificate is said to have lain in the fact that Cugnier suffered from the complaint mentioned and that the escaping gas naturally in the end brought on heart failure. What the real reason for the certificate is was not given out by any one for publication.

BUTTED IN, BAILED OUT.

Young Men With Prominent Sires Wind Up Night of Gayety With Foolish Escapade.

To masquerade as officers seemed a pleasant joke yesterday for E. D. Moon, son of D. C. Moon, general manager of the Lake Shore, Southern and Michigan Railroad, and Frank R. Mitchell, whose father is president of a Lima, O., bank. But the pleasure was brief, for the pair, who had enjoyed a tour of Los Angeles questionable resorts prior to their escapade, found themselves in the end confronted by a genuine officer. He was a big officer at that, and wouldn't listen to their pleadings when they found they couldn't intimidate him.

Moon and Mitchell had been touring the West in the private car of the senior Moon. In this city they made an early evening call on a young lady on South Figueroa street. Afterward they went to livelier neighborhoods. They drank, and then became noisy, and were eventually thrown out of a resort of bad repute on New High street.

They wandered to the business section of the city. On South Main street they paused in front of a restaurant from which J. H. Erbst had been cast forth. Erbst it seems had refused to pay for his supper. Moon saw a chance for becoming real bad.

"I am a Pinkerton," said he, confronting Erbst.

"And I," said Mitchell, who wanted to be bad, too, "am a United States secret-service man."

"I don't care who you are," said the night waiter, who was fighting Erbst during all this, "I want my money, and you better not but in."

Then Patrolman Winnerton appeared. He had heard the statements of the pair that they were officers. He held them for inquiry, and was joined by Sergt. McDowell, who found that the pair had never seen the inside of a police station, let alone working out from one.

Moon and Mitchell were booked at the central station on a charge of disturbing the peace. The senior Moon appeared, after a few hours and furnished $25 bail apiece, which was forfeited.

WAGONLOAD OF LOOT.

Burglars Ransacked Department Store and Carry Off Plunder by Wholesale in Wagon.

Burglars plundered the Divvers Department store at No. 2001 Central avenue yesterday and drove away with an express wagon laden with their loot. The theft was singularly bold.

Yesterday morning employes found the place turned upside down. The thieves had ransacked shelves, taking with them about $150 worth of handkerchiefs and clothing, both men's and women's. They had apparently taken their time at the work, and had removed the big bulk of plunder to the outside, where they had loaded it into the vehicle, then driven away. The matter was reported to the police, and detectives were placed on the case.

TAKE THEIR TIME.

Thieves Loot Residence While Family Is in the East and Make a Good Haul.

About $400 worth of cut glass and silverware was taken from the residence of George H. Chase at No. 1213 Westlake avenue by burglars who looted the house during the absence of the family. Chase went to his home Friday night directly upon his return from New York, where his wife and daughter still are. He found evidences of thieves everywhere, and examination disclosed the losses. Yesterday morning he reported the matter to the police.

The burglars had entered the place through a side window and had taken their time in hunting out everything of value. They got several pieces of sterling silver and a lot of cut glass, a few trinkets among which were a pair of diamond chipped cuff links and other articles of minor value.

DRIVER ESCAPES DEATH.

A runaway West Second-street car struck a horse and wagon driven by J. F. Willard for a grading company yesterday, at the corner of Second street and Broadway. Willard was uninjured, but it proved necessary to kill the horse.

The car had apparently gotten from under the motorman's control, and came down the Second-street hill at high speed. The motorman managed to slacken it as it neared Broadway. Willard was crossing the tracks with his wagon, and was unable to get out of the way before the collision came.

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Sixteen Pairs Entered in the Six-Day Race.

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Root and Fogler Favorite on Present Form.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sixteen teams of bicyclists gathered from every quarters of the globe will start tomorrow night in the long journey of the annual international six-day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden. The release from Ellis Island of the championship French team, the Georget brothers, who recently won the greatest six-day race ever held in Europe, completed the list of entries which was held open until the last moment awaiting a decision in their case. The champions of Europe, Asia and Africa, as well as the very best riders in America, will go to the post.

Eddie Root of Sheepshead Bay, who won the last two races, is again favorite, with Joe Fogler of Brooklyn, his partner of last year, but Bobby Walthour and Hugh McLean are a close second choice. Walthour is conceded to be the best six-day rider in the world and McLean demonstrated last winter that he can go the distance, so they have many supporters who claim them to be superior as a team to Root and Fogler.

Root still maintains an ability to steal a lap during the first twenty-four hours and keep it the rest of the week. This idea was fostered last year by several of the riders, but none of them succeeded in realizing it. Root then carried out a plan of hanging on for three days and his plugging frustrated the other schemes. Now he plans to beat them at their own game.

Walthour simply laughs at the idea of Root outsprinting him or McLean either, and says he only hopes Root will try to. Despite the reports of Walthour not being able to stand a strain such as he once could, he looks to be in splendid condition and avers that he is.

Mil and Leon Georget are looked upon as the most dangerous of competitors. Van Derstuyft and Stall, who rode well up to the end last year, are entered again. They are classed below the two brothers by those American riders who went abroad last summer.

AFTER URBAN SUPPORT.

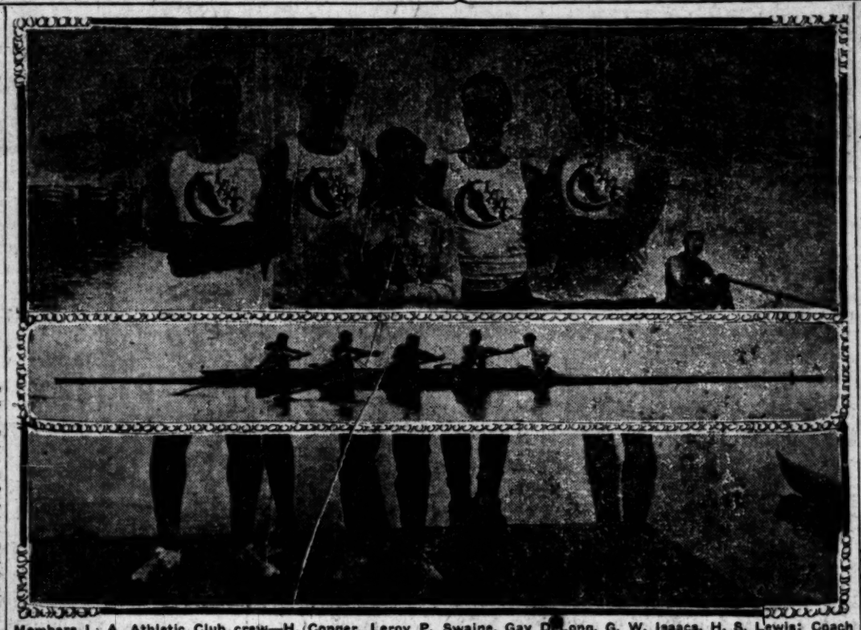
Rowing Clubs Want Permanent Endowment to Perpetuate Annual Regattas.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Delegates of seventeen rowing clubs of this vicinity will make an effort on Monday to induce the Board of Aldermen to appropriate the sum of $2500 for the purpose of holding an annual regatta on the Harlem River and thus bring the sport of rowing prominently before the public. The matter will be thoroughly argued before the finance committee of the Board of Aldermen, and by this means the necessary public support will be obtained if possible.

A delegation of the convention clubs, which includes Columbia University and the New York Athletic Club, has been appointed, each club sending one member. E. W. Kemmelberg, president of the Wancke B. C., and vice-president of the Harlem Regatta Association, will act as spokesman, together with Fred Vilman, president of the Nonpareil Boat Club, and Philip Sinnot, another man prominent in affairs on the Harlem River.

Never before has such a determined effort been made to secure the support of the city for the sport of rowing which President Eliot of Harvard has stamped as the cleanest of all amateur pastimes, and which is universally conceded to be of great personal benefit to the men participating in it.



Members L. A. Athletic Club crew—H. Conger, Leroy P. Swaine, Gay DeLong, G. W. Isaacs, H. S. Lewis; Coach Franklin in the shell.

CREWS READY FOR ROWING RACES ON THE PLAYA DEL REY LAGOON.

Rowing is to undergo its inauguration as an inter-club game in Southern California at Playa del Rey this afternoon, when the gritty little crew of the Los Angeles Athletic Club gives way in the first dash of its championship race against the crack pullers of San Diego, who have come north in force to defend laurels won in far southern waters and to capture more trophies offered here.

The feature of the day will be the four-oared shell contest between the Los Angeles and San Diego picked crews. The championship race between Harry Vaughn of San Diego, holder of the Courtney medal, challenger Harvey Slocum of the same organization, and G. W. Isaacs of the Los Angeles Athletic Club.

Beside the big double-header main events will be several of minor importance, but of little less interest. H. W. Stone of San Diego, the veteran shell builder and an oarsman of International repute a few years ago, will pull against another worthy champion of other days, J. B. Franklin, coach of the local club. Incidentally two teams of Los Angeles Athletic Club juniors will show what they can do at single scull racing, and other events of like sort may be added also.

Trained to the minute and anxious for the day's trial, both crews put in a quiet day yesterday, sizing up the course and talking over details. Rejoicing on the part of the San Diego four at its fifty-six pounds excess of working weight was quite well offset by the local clubs' manifest advantage of twenty-five clear pounds in its featherweight coxswain, little Gay De Long, who is said to have picked up many of the duties of his rather arduous position in a surprisingly short time, considering his inexperience at sitting in the stern of a racing shell.

TRUE SPORTSMEN.

Today's events are in great measure the outcome of the recent trip of Dick Dunnigan to San Diego to participate in a series of races held on the bay of lamented memory. On that occasion the San Diego brethren behaved in every way as characterizes true-blue sportsmen and established so friendly an inter-club feeling that frequent races in the future were assured. Dunnigan, for the time being, is under the weather and will have to watch the fun from the amphitheater.

Several previous attempts at popularizing rowing on Del Rey lagoon proved rather abortive owing to lack of equipment, and the absence of the keen spirit of amateur competition that alone makes interest in sport of whatever sort surge to fever heat. Today none may say enthusiasm is lacking.

Just what controversies will arise between daylight and 2 o'clock this afternoon is hard to anticipate, but past experience promises that there will be some. Some excuse for complaint on the part of the local oarsmen may be found in the racing barge that is to be used by Harvey Slocum, as it is six inches less in beam than the local boats, is outrigged, and has a smooth carvel-built shell bottom, to say nothing of lines so sweet that victory seems written all over them.

According to Coach Courtney of San Diego, who put up the medal, the boat is entirely within the classification he imposed, but her excellences are so many and so undeniable that they will militate against the race showing a fair line upon the individual competitive abilities of the men, making the contest degenerate somewhat into a battle of boats, in which a manifestly and admittedly superior type is meeting craft which border upon the work barge order.

SINGLE SCULL RACE.

The single scull championship race is to be three-quarters of a mile up the lagoon to a mark, turning and pulling back over the same course, which ought to give a fair line to go upon, provided the men sat in boats of approximately equal design. Harry Vaughn, the medal holder, has been challenged by his fellow-clubman, Harvey Slocum, and also by George W. Isaacs of the Los Angeles Athletic Club who once was a sculler of renown in the celebrated Argonaut Boat Club of Toronto. Isaacs is rather a light man, but the others are lean, rangy fellows of many inches and put up on the grayhound order.

For the four oared shell race a handsome silver cup is donated, not as a perpetual challenge trophy, but as a prize contingent upon the one victory, the winning crew taking it for their efforts. The visitors are eighty-one pounds heavier in the shell, but only fifty-six pounds of this is working weight, the visiting coxswain, Hackleman weighing 125 pounds, against an even 100 for young DeLong.

The gentlemen from the far south have been working their star performer, L. J. Allen, 172, a big, rangy fellow, at No. 1. L. Lundblade, 160, No. 2, W. E. Hige, 157, the lightest man, No. 3, and Max Winter, 160, stroke. Slocum may replace Hige. The probable average of the visiting crew is 162 1-4 pounds.

For the Los Angeles Athletic Club, Leroy P. Swaine, 140, pulls No. 1, H. S. Lewis, 145, No. 2, H. Conger Bowers, 161, No. 3, and G. W. Isaacs, 147, the best seasoned oarsman in the lot, stroke. The men say DeLong, their coxswain, has steered in good shape and handled his crew excellently in training, and if he keeps together for the race they look to him for much valuable aid other than that of his light weight.

BATTLE OF CREWS.

The four oar shells were both built by Stone of San Diego, and there is absolutely no choice between them so far as can be seen, the battle being altogether one of crews. Both boats belong to the local club, the San Diego craft not yet having been completed.

While officials are not entirely settled, it is quite certain that Frank Haggerty, coach of St. Vincent's, Bernal H. Dyas, and N. E. Brown of San Diego, secretary of the visiting club, will officiate as judges. A. B. McKenney, and Al A. Lawton probably will time, and Chas. F. Eyton is expected to start the boats. No interference on the route will be possible, hence there has been no talk of a clerk of the course. The rent boats are all tied up and out of harm's way, and none will be let today, thus obviating any possibility of trouble. The president of the San Diego Boat Club, J. C. Ackerman, probably will act as referee by request of the local institution.

The individuals who will compete in the junior races for members of the Los Angeles Athletic Club have not been announced, entries being open until the last.

The duel between Messrs. Franklin and Stone will be rowed in regular racing shells, the kind an ordinary man cannot get into without falling out the other side. So many have never seen these that lively interest may be expected to feature their appearance.

Schaefer After Titles.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With the closing of the 18.2 championship billiard tournament won by Elbert Cutler of Boston, word comes from Chicago that Jacob Schaefer, the wizard, soon is to challenge for both the 18.1 and 18.2 world's championship billiard emblem. Willie Hoppe and George Sutton are the present respective holders of the 18.1 and 18.2 emblems.

Haverford Champions.

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Dec. 8.—Haverford College defeated Harvard at Association football today by 2 to 1. The game decided the intercollegiate championship in Association football.

POLY BOYS WIN GAME.

Defeat San Bernardino Team by Clever Punts.

Orange Belt Lads Had Better Scrum, but Failed.

Words of Praise for Fairness of Los Angeles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Polytechnic team defeated the local High School boys at Rugby football today by the score of 7 to 0. The game was very fast and although the Berdoo boys had much the better of the first half, Poly played the superior game in the second. A penalty kick netted the visitors four points and they scored a try towards the last part of the second. The Berdoo boys had the better scrum and heeled the ball out nearly every time, and it was not an uncommon thing for one of the three quarters to make a fifteen or twenty-yard run.

Poly made most of the gains by clever punts and it was only this that kept the score down in the first half.

In the second half Poly picked up and, although Berdoo came near scoring in the first part, and was given a free kick, the visitors worked the ball up the field and dribbled it over.

The Polytechnic boys are the cleanest and the fairest lot who have played here this season and their coach, Norman Denshman, who acted as referee, was just in his decisions.

The game was free from wrangles and unlike the last one held here, in which twenty-six minutes was taken out of the first half to discuss the decisions.

POLY PLAYS HIGH.

AGREE ON CONTEST.

In spite of the refusal of Throop Polytechnic High to play in a series with the other two teams that are tied for the interscholastic championship of Southern California to decide the final and legitimate resting place of the title, the series will be played out and unless Throop recedes from her present attitude and consents to play, Poly and L. A. High will fight the battle out by themselves.

Managers Hutchins and the Poly manager have decided that their respective schools are just as anxious to win the title, whether Throop remains in or out of the contest, and have concluded arrangements for a game to be played between the two teams next Saturday afternoon, December 15, at Fiesta Park. The game is sure to be a good one, as there is plenty of rivalry between the two local schools, and with the interscholastic championship of the South at stake, in a game between them, both sides will put up a scrappy fight.

Throop is given a decided advantage in being allowed to play the winner of the first game and the rooters feel it would be foolish for the Pasadena boys to sacrifice their chances of becoming the acknowledged champions on the flimsy and wholly groundless claims they have advanced.

SANTA MONICA TEAM.

GREAT SEASON'S RECORD.

The second eleven of the University of California will play the second team of the Santa Monica High School next Saturday, and at Long Beach the Los Angeles Rugby Club aggregation of English players will meet the Long Beach High School Rugby team in a scrum contest.

Santa Monica has put the best team in the field this season that has emanated from any of the beaches since her great team of four years ago, and rooters regret that the aggregation was not given a show with some of the big local and Pasadena teams. Roberson, the captain, probably divides with Stan Mitchell of Los Angeles High School the scholastic honors for all-star work in the South for this season, and it is unfortunate that no contests were arranged so that the followers of the game might have been given the opportunity of seeing more of his work.



LEIFIELD,
Pittsburgh Nationals' great southpaw twirling phenom.

EXPERTS ARE TO PLAY BASEBALL.

BIG LEAGUERS TO PERFORM THIS AFTERNOON.

State Championship Is the Honor at Stake—Jack Sheridan Engaged to Umpire—Such Stars as Chance, Chase, Strickiess, Lifield and Sheehan Will Appear.

Today is the time set for the big ball game between the Stockton and San José teams for the championship of the State League and while these cities are represented really in name only, for five or six of the men are members of the big leagues, still the game should prove to be as good as any ever played on the Coast, for every man in the line-up is a real ball player. There are five big league men in the Stockton team in Chance, Lifield, Shay, Sheehan and Shannon, and two in the San José club in Strickett and Chase.

In the post-season series of five games between these teams, each won two games and the deciding one is to be played this afternoon at Chutes Park, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, if there is no rain falling at that time. As the local fans well know, a rain all morning will not prevent the game in the afternoon, for the ground dries out very quickly.

Two of the Los Angeles team are in the San José line-up in Chase and Brashear, and while it looks as if the Stocktons had it on the other team, it might be said that baseball is much like horse racing in that you can't always tell which team will win. It is said that Umpire Jack Sheridan will umpire. The line-up will be as follows:

Stockton.		San José.
Lifield	Pitcher.	Stricklett
Donahue	Catcher	Graham
Chance	First Base.	Chase
Mohler	Second Base.	Spencer
Sheehan	Third Base.	Irwin
Shay	Shortstop	Brashear
Mitchell	Left Field.	Hildebrand
Kruger	Center Field.	Williams
Shannon	Right Field	Walters



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ATHLETIC PAVILION FOR AMATEUR SPORT.

A. A. U. Proposes to Boom Track Meets and Games in Southern California by Building Great Enclosed Structure in Central Location.

WITHIN the next twelve months Los Angeles is to have an innovation in the amateur sporting line that will bring about a revolution in the future conduct and development of local amateur athletics. The Amateur Athletic Union, backed by a number of local capitalists who have the interests of amateur athletics in Southern California at heart, has decided upon the erection of an athletic pavilion on a site that has been chosen in the heart of town. Before the year is out the A.A.U. will be conducting the venture along similar lines as the famous Madison Square Gardens are run in New York.

This announcement was made yesterday by A. A. Lawson, local secretary of the A.A.U., but as several details of importance in connection with the plan have not yet fully matured, the names of the capitalists back of the scheme and the exact location of the proposed pavilion are withheld for the time being.

The full plans of the A.A.U. as far as announced at the present time are as follows:

A lease on a large and centrally located piece of property has been secured and sufficient capital subscribed to insure the erecting of an immense but plainly-constructed pavilion. Within this pavilion will be included accommodations for practically every form of sports that can be carried on under a roof. There will be a track, with a hundred-yard straightaway course, indoor tennis courts, basketball and indoor baseball grounds, and other facilities. The building will be plain and unadorned within, being intended simply to afford shelter so that the games can be carried on during rainy weather. It will be a closed structure, but there will be none but natural flooring. It will be designed so that it can be utilized for other purposes, such as horse shows, but the primary rule in connection with it will be that no exhibition or contest of any kind shall be held within it that shall not be purely amateur.

A.A.U. IN CONTROL.

The Amateur Athletic Union, through its regularly delegated representative in Southern California, will have entire control over the pavilion. The plans contemplated by the union, as soon as it can be occupied, which is expected to be January 1, 1908, are too extensive to be dealt with in any but a general way at present. The A.A.U. will throw open the building to any teams in any of the various lines of athletics. It will then endeavor to form as many leagues as may be desirous for the holding of sectional and graded championship contests. The aim will be to stimulate in this way all forms of amateur athletics in the graded schools, interscholastic and intercollegiate, as well as purely outside athletics.

Not only indoor athletics will receive the attention of the union. The building of the pavilion will simply mark the commencement of a new era of activity in amateur athletics all along the line. Both outdoor and indoor athletics will receive the benefit and stimulus of the union's encouragement and cooperation. The pavilion will be the central point of amateur athletics in Southern California in both kinds, as the Madison Square Gardens are in New York.

In applying the league development system the union will not necessarily infringe on the colleges or schools who play annually under their own arrangements. Outside leagues will receive the same recognition that they now get from the Amateur Athletic Union, and teams will be eligible to play as they choose on the outside and enter as many or as few as they like of the contests that are especially arranged by the union.

ANNUAL FIELD MEET.

At the close of each spring when the track season is drawing to a close, it is part of the plan to hold one great field and track meet open to all amateurs. This part of the plan closely resembles the big games held annually at Madison Square Garden and would soon come to be looked upon as the one great athletic meet of the year here, and receive national recognition.

The change that the proposed plan will work in the condition of amateur athletics can hardly be realized at a glance. There are unusually large numbers of teams in Southern California even today and with the added impetus that the guidance of the union will give, the number is due to multiply greatly. The organizations and leagues that control the contests as they are played now are extremely loose and the A.A.U. will perform a great function by stepping in and taking the matter in hand.

Although the proposed pavilion will not be begun for four months and will not be completed until 1908, the A.A.U. will take its first step in initiating itself strongly into Southern California during the coming spring. The first A.A.U. field day ever held in this part of the State will take place in Los Angeles in the latter part of April, and if the plans that are being pushed forward by Secretary Lawson carry, the meet will not only be for the championship of Southern California, but for the entire Coast.

Lawson has taken steps to put the matter before the proper parties in the A.A.U. If he is successful the picked athletes of all parts of the Coast from the Multnomah Athletic Club of Portland, the great northern universities, and the local stars will compete for American records in this city. The meet will surpass anything in the amateur athletic history of Southern California and will be an instance of what the entrance of the A.A.U. into a field of activity means to this part of the State.

Seiger Knocked Out.

DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 8.—Freddie Weeks of Butte knocked out Kid Seiger in the final of a ten-round go before the Eagle's smoker last night. Weeks had the better of every round, although Sieger put up a game and vicious fight throughout.



EUGENE ESTOPPEY,
Marathon runner with L. A. Athletic club.

MARATHON RUNNER HERE.

Eugene Estoppey Will Run Under the Colors of U.S.C. in Distances Events.

The University of Southern California has a valuable addition to the track team in the person of Eugene Estoppey, Marathon runner and cross-country enthusiast. Historically weak in the distance runs, the Methodist team will be greatly strengthened by his advent.

Estoppey's work in practice bears out his records admirably and in every sense he is an ideal distance man. With a dogged persistency he plugs around the track in a manner that is a mystery to the lookers-on. Holmes hopes to increase his sprinting abilities by careful coaching to eliminate some faults he possesses.

Estoppey has the following records to his credit: One mile, 4 min. 44 sec.; two miles, 10 min.; three miles, 16 min. 22 sec.; ten miles, 56 min.; twenty-five miles, 2 hrs. 50 min. He has competed in amateur athletics for the past sixteen years, being a member of the Pastime Athletic Club for twelve years. He has competed in a number of Marathon runs and placed in each race.

To Real Estate and other Classified Advertisers: The forthcoming Midwinter Number of The Times, to be issued January 1, 1907, will be a splendid medium for the exploitation of attractive real estate offerings. Thousands of copies will be mailed by citizens of Southern California to friends abroad who are figuring on emigrating to the Southwest. The rate will be 3 cents per word for classified announcements to run in the magazine section of this special issue. "Liner" copy will be received up to and including Dec. 27th.

YACHT RACING IS PROMISING.

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Byron Erkencrecher's Detroit Has New Rival.

Francis Hay Builds Yawl for Pleasure Cruises.

Alexander J. Mitchell of the South Coast Yacht Club, owner of the racing sloop Mischief, says that in the coming year there will be more and better yacht racing in this locality than ever before. Besides the boats being constructed here, there are others to be imported. One more is expected to arrive today for the Detroit class, and Messrs. Spruance and Bronson will have the boat off the cars at Terminal and put her in the water as soon as possible. At present little is known about the new craft except that she is to be raced against Byron Erkenbrecher's craft, which won Lipton's Pacific Cup two years running. Her name is to be changed, but she is supposed to be one of the thirties which beat the Detroit on the Great Lakes before the latter was brought to California. This will be a welcomed addition to the local fleets, because since the changing of the Lipton Cup deed the Detroit was without a well-matched competitor and almost useless for strictly racing purposes. The arrangements for the advent of the new boat have been secret, and there may be a surprise party on the ways for Byron Erkenbrecher.

A new yawl is being finished at the Fellows yards for Francis Hay of Los Angeles. It is a strongly constructed craft that is intended to be able to cruise outside in all weathers, and for this purpose she is being given a moderate sail plan, easy to work, and all her spars and rigging will be of the most substantial kind. The oak frames are two inches by two and a half, and are spaced only eight inches c-y centers over the iron keel, while in the overhangs they are two inches wider apart.

The casing of iron on the oak keel weighs 6400 pounds, and the cabins will be in white enamel, with mahogany and teak. The expensive fittings and woods of the interior will give a rich appearance, and everything supplied is of the very best. The yacht will use the patent Edison steering gear, and auxiliary power will be supplied by a four-horse power Standard engine, which is now expected from San Francisco.

Charles A. Lewey will turn out all the canvas of the new boat, and also a full set of signal flags and ordinary flags. In the mainsail headsail and mizzen there will be in all 1050 square feet. This area is well divided for short-handed cruising, the canvas being practically all on deck, the main boom being twenty-five feet six inches, gaff seventeen feet six inches, with a hoist of twenty-four feet. Blocks of the same kind that Erkenbrecher put on the Detroit will be used, these being of lignum vitae with patent sheaves.

Over all, the boat measures forty-two feet, while her water line is twenty-eight feet and her extreme beam eleven feet. The keel draught is about six feet, and the whole boat will be a cruiser of a staunchness that may well be copied for general safety in this neighborhood. She will have a commodious interior with six berths, and a fairly good speed under either power or sail. It is understood that Mrs. Hay of Pico Heights sometimes will cruise with her son, who is a member of the South Coast Yacht Club.

The Lehua will appear in the next racing for the Lipton Pacific Cup. She is on the ways now at the Fellows yards and will take her first plunge today. She is for Mr. Gay of San Diego, who has a residence at Coronado. Joe Fellows was going to sail her down to her new home anchorage, but word has come that Mr. Gay, Jr., of Stanford University will meet his father at Terminal and with him take the 100-mile passage.

The racing sails are on the mainsail and jib pattern, made of a new material, very light and strong, just procured by Lewey from the East. The Lehua measures twenty-nine feet over all, the water line being eighteen feet, and the beam nine feet. The hull draught is only sixteen inches, but with the board down she will draw seven feet.

The lines are smooth, symmetrical and fast, and there is a little cabin in which four could sleep. Except the oak frames and backbone, the woodwork is all white cedar, and on her pole mast she will carry in her cruising rig 650 feet of sail. Mr. Gay first will sail to Avalon, taking that harbor as a sort of halfway house on the long sail down. He intends to use the boat during all the winter months, chiefly in the inland waters of San Diego Bay, where his wife and daughters can join in the Christmas yachting of Southern California.

Franklin Holmes of Los Angeles was at Terminal yesterday surveying the new pleasure launch which is being completed for him by the Fellows Construction Company. This is a fast craft, as shown in her lines, but Mr. Holmes intends her for fishing parties as well as cruising. Owing to a delay in the arrival of the engine from New York the boat will not be launched for about two weeks. She is twenty-eight feet long, with a draught of about fourteen inches, and a deck beam of six feet. She is ten feet shorter than Mrs. Doran's Presto, but has a similar speedy look, her lowest freeboard being twenty-two inches. The engine ordered is of the three-cylinder type and of nine horse power. Fellows has guaranteed a speed of nine miles an hour, and will probably do about eleven. She is finely fitted with mahogany and brass trimmings and will have a collapsible cabin canopy of canvas. Her cost will be $1500, and she can carry ten people on fishing trips.

Robert R. Greig of Chicago, secretary of the Railways and Engineering Review, has words of praise for Walter Folsom's Mischief II, and says there is not a boat like her on the whole of the Great Lakes. It will not be at all surprising if a good offer secures Mischief II for Chicago waters, because she has supplied the most substantial proofs that she can, in her class, be a winner in any waters.

Thompson Ties Hoover.

In a fast and snappy game of football the Hoovers, for the first time this season, did not come out victorious, being held to no score by the Thompsons. Polkingham for Thompson and Ralph Harlow for the Hoovers were easily the stars.

The line-up was:

Hoover.		Thompson.
Beck	L. E.	Dawson
Haslan	L. T.	Litterer
Thompson	L. G.	Chamley
Fife	C.	Hotchkiss
Hamilton	R. G.	Spaford
Francis	R. T.	Von Hobelorn
De Lano	R. E.	Meadows
Harlow	Q.	Walsh (Capt.)
R. Harlow (Capt.)	R. H.	Huntoon
Shrader	L. H.	Sanderson
Hanse	F.	Polkinghorn



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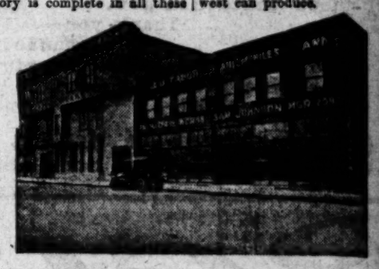
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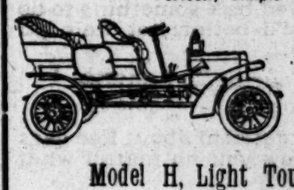
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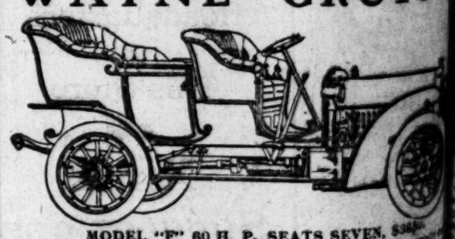
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JOE AND KID ON GROUNDS.

Gans Arrives at Tonopah to Start Training.

Herman Has Been Working for a Week.

Fighters Will Agree on Jeff as Referee.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TONOPAH, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joe Gans is on the ground and has begun active training Monday for his fight with Kid Herman on Labor's Day. The Kid has been here a week and already is working for the fray. He will have no trouble making weight, and so his training will consist along the lines of hardening up and getting speed and strength. On the contrary, Gans will have to hustle to get down to the 133 pounds at 6 o'clock, and his experience at Goldfield shows that he can make the mark.

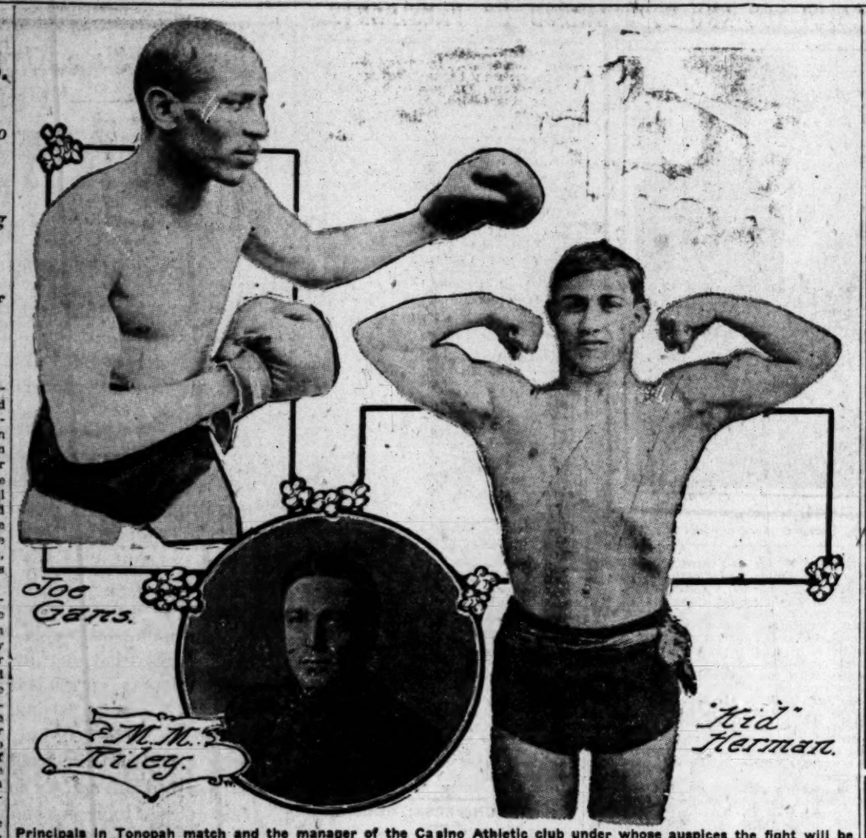
Manager Riley's action in designating Jeffries as the referee of the fight probably will be concurred in by all of the fighters before the day is over. Nate Lewis, manager for Herman, wanted George Siler; and Manager Joe Gans, said that Eddie Graney was his choice, although almost any good man would do. Little objection to Jeffries is expected, for Manager Riley wants him as a card to boost the fight receipts. Many of the fans live in these parts have seen the big retired champion in action and alone will furnish an inducement to see the fight.

The agreement designating that if one fighter fails to enter the ring both fighters forfeit the money put up, will serve to make both men toe the mark and debar them from entering objections at the last moment. It also will serve to prevent one fighter to give in on certain points to the other, thus facilitating matters. The $2000 weight forfeit will worry Herman in the least, for he is on the notch. It will be Gans who will look to that article in the main.

There was a story to the effect that Gans was to be allowed to come in over and forfeit his $2000, this being possible by the clause that allows each fighter to forfeit the money if all the managers claim that he is within the truth in the statement and that he will make the weight. However, a rich mining man has stated that he will put up the money for Gans to forfeit if Gans does not make the weight.

The manner in which the fight is to be conducted is one of the best in the history of the plans of the Casino Athletic Club are carried out. The club will spend $30,000, as erected at present, but improvements which will be added later will bring the cost up to $40,000. It is proposed to stage fights in the clubhouse, and dates to rent it out for other entertainments. The building is in process of construction, and Gans drove the first spike, with Manager Riley's assistance.

Riley, manager of the club, has a lot of experience managing fighters and other business ventures, and this is the biggest event he has staged, if everything comes off smoothly. Local fight fans declare he is a better manager than Gans, who has attained so much through the Gans-Herman fight.



Principals in Tonopah match and the manager of the Casino Athletic club under whose auspices the fight will be held.

JACK AND JIM SIGN FOR GO.

Sullivan and Flynn to Meet January Fourth.

Next Battle Between Gardner and Kaufman.

Baker and Attell Matched for Second Bout.

Jack (Twin) Sullivan and Jim Flynn met yesterday afternoon in Manager McCarey's office and signed articles to fight before the Pacific Athletic Club the night of January 4. Hugo Kelly, who was to meet Sullivan on that date, wired McCarey that he wanted to pass Christmas with his folks, and as Flynn was anxious to fill in, the latter was signed. Kelly will meet the winner.

The match is a good one, for the men have gone to a ten-round draw. Flynn claims that he had Sullivan running away during the last three rounds, or would have defeated him sure. Sullivan is just as certain that he can defeat Flynn. Burns, who fought both men, says that Flynn gave him the hardest fight.

Al Kaufman and George Gardner have begun hard training for their fight December 21. The Terrible Turk and George Brown, who will meet on the same night in a twenty-round preliminary, will begin work Monday, resting up after their fight of Friday night, when Brown took a ten-round decision from the Turk, which might have been called a good draw and done no injustice to Brown.

Kaufman and Gardner are the first big heavies to meet here in some time, Gardner now weighs 180 pounds, and it is expected he will train "on" weight. Kaufman is heavier, and will weigh 185 to 190 when he enters the ring. Gardner has not fought a big fight in some time. In fact, his last hard contest was with Fitzsimmons, who took the decision from him in twenty rounds about three years ago. He has beaten Marvin Hart, Jack Root twice, and other good men.

The three big cards slated by Manager McCarey form the best advance programme ever handed out by an athletic club. The three bouts have been cinched and all the men have signed. Nothing ordinary can prevent the fighter being held.

The last fight of the three is between Harry Baker and Abe Attell and really is the class of the lot, although the battle is between little fellows. However, the other two battles ought to prove more spectacular to the fans who like a slugging match. The Gardner-Kaufman fight may not go over ten rounds, while the Sullivan-Flynn match may furnish something sensational long before the limit.

REDLANDS WINS IN ORANGE BELT.

BECOME INTERSCHOLASTIC RUGBY CHAMPIONS.

Team Has Defeated Every Fifteen Against Which It Played, Including Los Angeles Polytechnic—New Game Has Aroused a Great Deal of Interest.

October 28—Redlands, 11; San Bernardino, 0.

November 3—Redlands, 11; San Bernardino, 0.

November 10—Redlands, 11; Riverside, 0.

November 17—Redlands, 6; Pomona, 0.

November 29—Redlands, 6; Los Angeles Polytechnic, 0.

December 1—Redlands, 6; San Bernardino, 0.

The Redlands High School Rugby football team won the Interscholastic Orange Belt League championship this season, and becomes the possessor of the trophy cup put up at the beginning of the season to be played for.

The Orange Belt League includes the high schools of Redlands, Pomona, Riverside, San Bernardino, Colton and Ontario, who took up the game of Rugby this year.

The Redlands team averaged 147 pounds and was not particularly fast, but the ball never crossed its goal line during the entire season. In six games they crossed the opponents' goal line fifteen times for a total of 51 points.

The game between Pomona and Redlands was perhaps the best exhibition of the series in point of clean, fast ball and spectacular plays. Redlands won, although Pomona outweighed them by an average of ten pounds. The Redlands team took up Rugby systematically, and with the idea that the game required study and was not a hit or miss proposition.

Thanksgiving Day the team defeated Los Angeles Polytechnic in a close game, and closed the season by defeating San Bernardino for the championship, December 1.

The Rugby game aroused much enthusiasm, and some new stars were developed. The game was played in a thorough manner, with excellent coaches to assist in bringing out the best individual qualities and team work.

Dr. Huddlestone of Pasadena, an experienced player, was secured to coach the team for a week, and to him largely is due the success achieved in the early part of the season. Later on, Carl Hill, an old Stanford player, went north for a week prior to the intercollegiate game and studied the style of play adopted by Coach Lanagan, and later imparted what he had learned to Redlands.

DEFENSE OF RUGBY.

Dr. Huddleston Says the Game Has Not Been Given Full Trial in Short Time.

Dr. Dan Huddleston of Pasadena writes:

"Rugby football properly played is a very fine game. We in Southern California have really had no opportunity of seeing what the game is capable of when played by experts, so that any criticisms that have been made cannot be otherwise than in the nature of "snap judgments" not unmixed with a good deal of prejudice, perhaps.

"However, we have plenty of teams, let those who prefer the intercollegiate play that style, and let us also get up a new high school league in Rugby—Pomona, Redlands, San Bernardino, Los Angeles Polytechnic, Long Beach, Compton, Riverside and possibly others—then let the winners of the league play a picked team from the best players of the remaining clubs, which would wind up the season in a very fitting manner. Such a schedule would do much to enhance the popularity of the winter sport.

"In reference to sports in general the writer has noticed that many sporting writers have, since the Olympic games at Athens, stated that we in America hold all the championships of the athletic world. While we do, most assuredly, carry off the palm in most short distances, yet in common fairness to English athletes we must admit their supremacy in the long distance running and some other sports. Following is a short list of notable old country athletes who are supreme in their several roles:

"Tennis—R. F. and H. L. Doherty, world champions; golf—Harry Vardon; rowing—Leander Club; swimming—D. Billington, 440 yards in 5 min. 25 sec., 1000 yards in 13:52; H. Taylor, half mile in 11:25, mile in 24:10; walking—A. T. Yeomans, 1 mile in 5:19, world's record; running—G. Butterfield, 1 mile in 4:18 1-5; long distance, A. A. Shrubb, world's champion; cross country, C. J. Straw, holder of national championship. In lacrosse, polo, cricket, football, etc., fine teams are also turned out.

HOPPE'S GREAT RECORD.

Makes Run of 312 and Finishes 500 in Three Innings, Establishing World's Mark.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Willie Hoppe, the phenomenal billiardist, last night gave an exhibition of how much he outclassed his brother Frank in a practice game at 18.2 balk line at Hoppe's academy.

Willie scored 500 points in three innings, his runs being 96, 92, and 312. The last run beats the world's record of 311 made by Hoppe in Chicago last year. His average for the game was 166 2-3—66 2-3 higher than the world's record average made by George Sutton in the New York tournament last spring.

Unfortunately, neither of these records will count for Willie, as it was only a practice game. He is now practicing for his match game for the world's 18.2 balk line championship, and this game was one of the series of practice matches.

Frank Hoppe had only two chances to play, and made runs of 46 and 49, giving him a total of 95 and an average of 47½, the highest average he has ever made.

The Croix, a clerical organ at Paris, announced yesterday that the Pope had indefinitely interdicted any steps being taken by Catholics for the purpose of holding church services under the public worship law of 1881, under which the government proposes the services to be held after December 11.

Jim Jeffries Game.

By deciding to act as referee in the Gans-Herman fight at Tonopah, Jim Jeffries shows that he is game and cares little for public criticism. Jeff is honest; that is his great qualification. But if honesty unwittingly is misplaced it has the same general effect as crookedness. Jeff is still green as a referee, but he may acquire the fine points of the game and show real worth. If he expects to remain in the refereeing business, there will be none to discourage him if he is willing to take just criticism. The sports are not yet able to swallow his decision in the Burns-O'Brien battle, and some of his actions in that fight must be improved upon—for instance, the pictures show that on three occasions he was out of the ring talking to sporting critics when the men faced each other in the center. Jeff must learn to give his own decision. Also, he must insist that the men break at the word, and that they refrain from holding. Here's luck to you, Jeff, if you decide to see it through.

Track Athletics.

No sport is so healthful and brings out so many good physical qualities as track athletics, and now that the training season of the colleges and high schools is beginning, every student who can should get out and work for a place. The young students, and the older ones, as well, should remember that the only way to win contests and develop into good men is to be faithful in training, beginning easily and then increasing the work gradually. No student should enter straining contests unprepared, and young boys especially should receive an extra amount of training before taking part in athletic games. The great danger of athletics today is the proneness of youth to enter into the strenuous games of the better developed, and thus run the risk of strain or stunted growth. Every one should classify himself according to age and ability, and then work for a higher gradation.

Matinees.

The success of the first matinée of the Los Angeles Driving Club yesterday showed that the better class of people like the sport, and if it were made more popular with frequent meetings, enthusiasm would be aroused to a high pitch. It would appear that if the Driving Club scheduled matinés for every Saturday there would be enough days in which the weather is good and the track fast to give at least two days a month of first-class sport throughout the winter. As there are no records attached to the performances of matinée horses when conducted with a free gate, many of the best would be entered for tryouts, while there are always enough green horses of speed to fill out the events. The game is well worth the boosting in this country, where so many horses winter and where there are so many enthusiastic horsemen and horsewomen.

Athletic Pavilion.

The intention of the Amateur Athletic Union to construct a large pavilion in which to hold sporting contests of all kinds will be the biggest step in the history of athletics in Southern California, if carried out. Southern California preëminently is fitted to foster pure amateur sports. The climate is excellent, the weather glorious, and training conditions in general unsurpassed. Records of the future should be made in Southern California. Nowhere in the United States are pure athletics given more attention. More persons living here have leisure to play in contests and witness them than in any other locality in the United States. There is a healthy spirit of amateurism prevalent which augurs well for any move such as is contemplated. The project should be pushed along and the promoters aided in every way.

Lawn Tennis.

If there is one game Southern Californians excell in it is lawn tennis. The game has won the attention of young and old, men and women, and is the best all-around sport for the home. Many champions have gone out from Southern California, and as a class the players here rank higher than in any other locality, except possibly the spheres of the big California universities, which are much more limited. The game can stand further development.

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Many inquiries have been made as to the places where rabbits and small game may be shot near Los Angeles. Without quibbling, it would be about as hard to find some place where one cannot go hunting with a rifle for birds and rabbits—the entire country is open to the expectant nimrod. As for finding a place where some shooting is to be had for the hunting, that is quite another matter.

To a fair shot, a day's rabbit hunting with a 22-caliber rifle, with chance of occasional cracks at coyotes or quail, it little less sport than the chase after deer. The instrument of precision has many an advantage over the shotgun so far as the rabbit is concerned, since it enabled a clever marksman to nail his game cleanly through the head, which allows clean killing and provides much more palatable meat. To any who have ever tasted a young sage rabbit, properly killed so as to drain the blood, and suffered to hang in the cold mountain air a day or so until tender, no encomiums upon delicacy of flavor are necessary.

Excluding such parts of the nearby mountain ranges as have been denuded by the season's extensive and destructive brush fires, there are but few hilly fastnesses wherein a reasonably experienced hunter may not expect to bag a fine mess of rabbits in any late afternoon's hunting. At sundown in particular the elusive bunny hies himself to the edges of the covert in search of food, deserting his form in the chaparral wherein he has remained during the day. Rabbits are largely nocturnal in their habits and particularly so at times of full moon such as the present. The day shooting is better after dark nights, but the veteran hunter seldom wastes much of his effort until evening approaches unless fortunate enough to be on the ground at the early morning. While the dew is still damp the rabbit may often be surprised in the act of imbibing his matutinal drink, fresh from the chalice of some mountain flower, or politely proffered him at the tip of a tiny weed. For that is the only way in which wild rabbits drink, and accounts for their frequenting places remote from springs.

HUNTING RABBITS.

The pursuit of the rabbit entails little hard labor other than an hour's easy walking at times when the temperature is moderate and the cool air invigorating in its freshness. No equipment other than a small rifle and inconspicuous clothing of a color not at variance with the green—brown tints of the hill chaparral—equally appropriate for all upland hunting, need be taken.

The expectant rifleman prowls about the edges of the brush and the rims of shallow cañons, watching for a flash of gray if it comes to that, but hoping to catch sight of a rabbit unsuspecting, and within shotgun range. Even the 22 short, using the smokeless, greaseless ammunition, which is an ideal gun for the work, can be absolutely relied upon at, say, fifty yards. A good shot can drill a rabbit's head with considerable regularity at that distance.

If bunny happens to be sitting with his head the other way and it is impracticable from the lay of the land to stalk him, a shrill whistle often has the desired effect by pitching the game to his haunches, where he sits a second in curiosity. Then is the time to shoot, and right at the junction of the ears is the spot to hold upon, unless the shot be a very close one, in which event the under jaw is the proper mark. All 22-caliber rifles are sighted to throw high at very short range owing to the small power of the cartridge and corresponding drop in trajectory.

Two or three in an evening are considered all a hunter may expect, except in unusually favored localities—eight and nine are record bags. Sometimes one may ride in a light sulky cart, stopping whenever a rabbit jumps, and watch him until he "holes up." This was usually a matter of but a few yards, and bunny's fright soon succumbs to his curiosity. Two ears will issue from the hole, then a gray head, and last a clear, bright little eye, that makes the best possible "bullseye" for the rifleman's aim. At such work who could miss? The rabbit's spasmodic spring at the moment of impact invariably carries him clear of his hole and into the open so that there was no loss, as might be the case with shotgun shooting.

Many places in the San Fernando Valley's washes afford opportunities for good sport and the same is true of any of the river beds that lie along the Huntington lines to the east and south. On the Glendale line are any number of spots where an evening's fun might be expected to yield the piece de resistance to an excellent game dinner, for nothing yields to a pair of young rabbits properly cooked.

Taking the Glendale car to any of the near-by foothill stops in the Los Feliz range is a matter of only half an hour's time, and one may run out after business hours in the evening with every prospect of success, while he who lives on the Hollywood line need only walk north to the foothills. Around Pasadena, Eagle Rock, Verdugo are any number of places that may be discovered by the most casual stroller. Indeed, it is hard to go into the country in any direction where there is a little brush without encountering rabbits.

A HARD GAME ON THE RUN.

Shooting a rabbit sitting is unjustifiable in the shotgun sportsman's ethics, but to the rifleman it is the fairest of all shots because it allows of a clean kill with no waste. Given a crack snapshot with a rifle, however, and the game of bowling over bunny at the top of his speed becomes a frequent performance. Usually the brushy country in which rabbits delight prevents more than a quick shot at them as they turn, but on the level plains where sagebrush and tomescal harbor the elusive "jack," one may take any number of cracks at the black-eared chaps. There is something uncanny about the long, swinging gait of the jack rabbit that covers the ground so fast. Such speed in so small an object seems incredible, and a tourist might be excused for thinking there's magic in it. A frightened bound, a dash for liberty, half a dozen breaths, and the elusive jack is out of sight.

His must be a keen eye, a quick hand and a ready brain who bowls over one of these black-tipped veterans in full flight with a rifle, big mark though it be. The bounding gallop baffles the best-aimed bullets at times, and a kill is largely a matter of chance, but with a repeater, or magazine rifle as one's aid, the adjacent air can be so liberally alloyed with lead that even jack can hardly find a path through.

As to the jack rabbit's culinary qualifications, perhaps the less said the better. Young ones are not bad eating; they are generally a long way from good, however, although the French eat them.

Relentlessly persecuted, and nowhere very plentiful around this city, the jack rabbit is a sporting animal of such real worth that it proved his undoing. The lovers of coursing—and by that word is meant the real game of riding across country after a pair of hounds to a fair kill, or escape, and not the brutal gambling game that used to flourish here before the better element of the public awoke—yields nothing to fox-hunting.

JACK RABBITS SCARCER.

An intolerable nuisance wherever plentiful, the great rabbit drives of the San Joaquin Valley, aided by occasional outbreaks of pestilence among the rabbits, have made of the much-maligned jack little more than a memory. There are some who will regret his passing, for he lent variety to full many a jaunt, and perhaps deserved a better fate than to be beaten to death in some fenced enclosure by fifty men, women and children, armed with clubs. In times when game has been scarce he often served the remote rancher well, and eked out the prospector's bacon and beans.

Of the easier methods of rabbit-hunting in this end of the State might not inaptly be mentioned the diversion of driving along little frequented roads at evening with one's rifle across the knee, handy for a quick shot at the chances that are so often noticed when no firearms are along. Two or three bunnies in an evening and a couple of hours pleasant driving to boot are likely to reward the hunter who fancies easy game. The foothill road that skirts the Los Feliz hills promises well as the hunting ground.

NEW BASKETBALL RULES.

Principal Changes Affect the Game and Improve Conditions of the Sport.

Principal changes in basketball rules this year are:

One official shall have entire control of the game. It has been demonstrated in the games of the Intercollegiate League that one official is competent to handle the game; and since one official must be mutually agreeable, the choice of that official will receive more careful consideration than formerly, when each team felt that it might rely upon the official of its own choice if the other proved incompetent.

Time shall be taken out at the request of the captains not more than three times for each team during each half, and play shall be resumed within two minutes after stopping. These changes will prevent unnecessary delays and will give to the better conditioned team the advantage which it deserves.



HARRY LEWIS,
clever Philadelphia boxer.

Score keepers shall compare their scores after each goal is made, and the timers their time after each stop; both shall report to the referee at once any discrepancy. These changes insure correction at once of any discrepancies in scoring or timing.

The background to the goal shall be painted white. This provides a uniform background throughout.

The dimensions of the court are stated in maximum and minimum lengths and widths, instead of square feet as formerly. Although this does not alter in any degree the playing space, it is in line with the policy of an uniform court, if conditions are ever such as to allow it.

The definition of carrying the ball out of bounds has been altered to cover the case of a player who passes or bats the ball out of bounds and then regains possession out of bounds. This prevents a player who is well guarded in the court from passing out of bounds in order to obtain a free pass.

Another definition has been given to holding. The rule as now stated defines holding as two acts: (1) The "actual holding of an opponent with the hands;" and (2) "impeding his progress in any manner more than momentarily." The first case is self-explanatory. It covers every case of holding with the hands of any part of an opponent's person or clothing. In the second case, if the arms, body, or legs of a player are used in guarding an opponent, the opponent shall be free to move in some direction at any time, except when the arms, body, or legs in guarding are used momentarily to check his progress. By momentarily is meant the shortest possible time necessary to remove the contact of the body, arms, or legs. Thus, it is not considered holding if a player in guarding another, uses his arms alternately upon each side of his opponent, provided the player so guarded is not prevented from making progress away from the player guarding, and also provided that the arms of the player guarding do not come in contact with his opponent more than momentarily. Simply touching an opponent is not holding; there must be an actual checking of progress more than momentarily.



Walter Camp, Caspar Whitney, Richard Harding Davis.

HARNESS HORSE MARKS MUDDLED.

GREAT RECORDS OF DAN PATCH ARE DISCREDITED.

Rules Do Not Permit of Racing With Wind Shields and Other Appliances — Authorities Attempting to Devise Scheme to Correct Existing Statistics.

When Dan Patch's questionable performance against time at Memphis last year led the National Trotting Association to so amend its rule as to prohibit the use of wind shields and bar all time performances made at hole-in-the-corner meetings, it was generally believed that the great pacer would be forced to start under normal conditions, and in broad daylight if he attempted to break any records this season; but those who so believed were evidently unacquainted with the shifty owner of the shambling-gaited son of Joe Patchen.

In the campaign just ended Dan Patch started against time on numerous occasions, and though he was faster than ever when aided by a runner in front to break the natural resistance of the atmosphere, he was not once put to the test of showing what he could do under normal conditions. Reports from the recent meeting at Lexington, Ky., were at first to the contrary, but it now appears that there Dan Patch had the same artificial aid as at all the other meetings.

Notwithstanding the fact that the new rules of the National Trotting Association expressly forbid the use of a runner in front, and further provide that performances so made shall not be recognized as records, the owner of the wind-shield champion has set up the claim that since his horse has several times this season performed on tracks governed by the rules of the American Trotting Association the wind-shield performances must go into the records.

No changes in the rules of the American Trotting Association were made last winter, no meeting of that organization having been held. Its directors, however, held a meeting in April, after the National rules had been amended, and pledged the enforcement of the amended rules on all American tracks. Whether the directors had authority to do this is at least doubtful, and it is certain that the agreement has not been carried out, since enforcement of section 19 of rule 42 of the National code would have prevented Dan Patch from starting in the wake of a wind shield.

A board composed of the presidents of the various trotting associations decided three years ago that Lou Dillon's wind-shield performances could not go into the records on an equality with those made without this artificial aid, and the same tribunal will doubtless rule on the validity of the Dan Patch performances this year if any attempt is made to get them into the official records of the year book.

The failure of the Board of Presidents to appreciate the true character of wind-shield performances when the Lou Dillon case first came up for decision has already led to much confusion. Instead of throwing out these trick performances altogether, as was done when kite tracks, down hill all the way, were devised to make slow horses trot fast, it was first decided to admit them to the year book with a conspicuous distinguishing mark showing they were not made under normal conditions and were not on an equity with legitimate records. For some reason not satisfactorily explained by the registrar entrusted with the compilation of the year book, this distinguishing mark was omitted except in a few obscure places, and the official 2:30 list indicated erroneously that Lou Dillon had trotted a mile in 1:55¼ under normal conditions.

When the biennial Congress of the National Trotting Association was held last February the rules committee recommended, and the delegates voted without dissent, to end this confusion and inequality of records by doing away with the discredited wind-shield performances entirely. The following rule was accordingly adopted:

"When a horse performs against time, it shall be proper to allow any other horse to accompany him in the performance, but not to precede or be harnessed with or in any way attached to him."

It was not until after the Congress adjourned that the real effect of this rule occurred to those who made it. Then it was seen that its operation would be to let all wind-shield performances then on record stand, while forbidding them in the future. All horsemen agreed that it was manifestly unfair, because it forced every horse attempting in the future to lower the world's record to go against time which has been made with the aid of a wind shield, though he himself was denied this aid.

To rectify the mistakes which have been made and again put all horses and all records on an equality as nearly as may be, is now a puzzling problem.

PLAYED THIRTY YEARS.

Dan Brouthers Holds Record for Service in Baseball—Was a Heavy Hitter.

Dan Brouthers, one of the greatest ball players that ever lived, quietly tells his friends in New York that he is going to work, and the baseball world, which once worshipped at his shrine on the diamond, can now see him as an everyday citizen.

"Quit playing baseball?" inquired Dan, in answer to a question. "Well, I guess not. I'll be playing until they cut the uniform on me, and, you know, I can go some yet. You fellows must have heard of Poughkeepsie, haven't you?"

Everybody laughed. They thought the big fellow was stringing them. They did not know that Dan Brouthers has been playing baseball continuously since 1876. Think of it—thirty years in the game! Even Jim McGuire can't touch that record.

Some of them drifted around through the minor leagues and finally quit altogether; but Brouthers has kept it up to this day. He played first base and managed the Poughkeepsie team, of the Hudson River League, during the season just passed. And he hit close around .300, too.

Dan Brouthers first came into prominence in 1880 while playing for Buffalo. On the club with him at that time were Rowe, Richardson and White. They were such wonderful players that they became known as the "Big Four," and were eventually sold to Detroit for an immense sum of money. That was the first big baseball deal on record.

Later they were sold to Boston. Brouthers then went to Brooklyn, later to Baltimore, and then to Louisville and Philadelphia. He then began to show signs of "slowing up," and went to Springfield, in a minor league. From there he drifted around minor leagues until he went to Poughkeepsie.

Brouthers always played first base. Of the old-timers—that is, back in the '80's—Dan Brouthers, Sam Thompson, Roger Conner, Adrian Anson and Pete Browning were considered the five greatest hitters the game has ever developed. All of them passed out of active baseball life but Brouthers, though Thompson did play a few games with Detroit the past season just to "fill in."

CAREER OF CRESCEUS.

Romantic Story of Great Trotter, One of the Greatest of Harness Performers.

Cresceus will be a horse of history when all other trotters of his day are forgotten, and deservedly so. His career, from the day he was foaled until he retired after the notorious exhibition at Wichita, Kan., was a succession of sensations, triumphs and happy incidents. In fact, the last-named element began playing a part in his career that was to be long before he was foaled.

It came about in this way: In Ohio there was a mare called Mabel that produced a colt which trotted in 2:27 as a four-year-old. George Ketcham of Toledo, hearing the mare was to be sold at auction, decided to bid on her up to $1500. But on sale day two other men, acting in concert, became mixed in their bidding, each thinking the other was the man that had the auctioneer's eye, so that Ketcham got the mare for $250. When she foaled Cresceus the youngster was a most unsightly, common-looking specimen of the trotting horse. No one on the farm regarded him as of any possible value.

As a yearling the homely colt was attacked by epizootic, and to relieve him a blister was put on his neck. As soon as it began to heal it itched, and the colt walked to the half-door of his stall and rubbed the neck until a horrible gaping wound that exposed the windpipe had been made.

"Kill him," were the instructions. Now, if there is one point where the average stock-farm employé balks it is at killing a horse, unless such action would be humane. So, as the colt looked better the day following his sentence to death, he was allowed to hang around, and got well at once. Then he was broken to harness, and it was weeks before he could trot at all, but finally he balanced himself, and then he could step in good shape for a yearling. And then began the wonderful series of things that Cresceus did the winter before he was a two-year-old. He was driven on the snow at Toledo and could beat most of the fast ones there. In the spring he continued to be trained, and in no time at all it was seen that he would be up to a race. He started twice that season and won his second race in 2:37¾, 2:36¾, beating a field of fifteen. The average horseman would have seen to it that such a colt got a nice let-up until the following spring, but Cresceus was worked steadily on the snow. Early the following June he was started in a race with eight other three-year-olds and won. Thereafter it was easy sailing.

THE UNIVERSAL RULE.

England Objects to the American Method of Measurement, But Change Is Doubtful.

In a recent issue of the Yachtsman, one of the leading English nautical magazines, a writer has the following to say regarding the American rule of measurement:

A considerable amount of dissatisfaction exists in the United States with regard to the new so-called "universal" rule of measurement adopted by the New York and other leading clubs. The type produced by the American rule does not appeal very strongly to us. It is said, however, that the "universal" rule has produced fast and good sea boats, and there will be strong opposition to any change. That may be so, but the true test of any rule is whether it encourages precisely the type of yacht that the majority of yachtsmen would build for other purposes beyond that of racing. If, as is suggested, the subject of the "universal" measurement is to be reopened this winter, one may be pardoned for hoping, even against hope, that some consideration may be given to the European rule.

It is true that there is to be another meeting of the Atlantic Coast Conference this winter. In fact, invitations will be issued very shortly by the New York Yacht Club. It has been stated very emphatically, though, that the delegates are not to consider the present rule of measurement. The new rule, it is true, is not liked by certain designers. The consensus of opinion seems to be, however, that the rule is good enough and that it would be foolish to change it. Yachtsmen are tired of this continual changing of rules. It upsets the sport entirely too much and interferes with the plans for building.

The time allowance scale will come up for consideration at the coming meeting of the Coast Conference. As it was last winter, the argument now is, that the larger boats are not fairly treated under the existing 70 per cent. clause. This, however, will have to be shown conclusively before any change will be made. There is also a cry against the allowances made for rig in mixed races. When yachts of mixed rigs race, schooners are rated at 85 per cent. and the yawls at 83 per cent. of their full rating. This is thought by some to be unfair to sloops.

FEW GOOD BILLIARDISTS.

Present Champion Players Have Held Honors for Many Years and Remain Unbeaten.

The fact that very few first-class billiardists have ever been developed, is one of the strange features of the game. Vignaux, Schaefer and Slosson have been champions for over thirty years, the only others developed during all this time being Ives. Hoppe and Sutton, a most remarkable showing, not to be paralleled in any other branch of sport.

Of all the experts Shaefer deserves most credit for the development of the game to its present high standard. He always has been anxious and willing to aid in the development of youngsters, and Ives, Hoppe, Morningstar and Sutton all were his pupils. The balk-line nurse, the feature of play responsible for all high runs, however, is the invention of Sutton, and when, as a shortstop, he first sprung it, he occasioned great surprise.

Schaefer is the father of all the rules under which billiards are played. At various times he has surmounted by his inventive genius the many barriers imposed on experts to decrease their speed, and necessitated the making of new restrictions; for the other experts could all take advantage of the new discoveries, as soon as they came to know them, and almost unending runs were the result.

In a championship contest between Jake and Ives, the latter sat down with 14 to go, and Schaefer came to bat with 566 to go. The largest run ever made up to that time had been 288, and the Wizard seemed to have but little show to win. His great inventive genius came to the rescue, however, the anchor nurse was discovered and Schaefer ran the game out. This was the only time the anchor nurse was allowed in a match game, for Ives, after it was discovered, could play it as well as Schaefer, and, as it made the game too easy, it was immediately barred.

Incidental to the above game, Frank White, a well-known Chicago sport, won a most remarkable bet from Leo Mayer, the well-known book-maker. As Schaefer walked up to the table in the final inning, White turned around to Mayor, who was making book on the contest, and said, "What are the odds, now, Leo?" "100 to 1," said Mayer. "I'll bet you $10," said White. "Done," said Leo, and when the game was over Leo had to settle with the wise Mr. White, who, a billiard player himself, knew that a game was never over until the last point was made.

A. M. Brown (Rep.) has been unsuccessful in his contest for the office of Sheriff in Oahua county, Hawaii, a recount confirming the election of C. P. Iawkea (Dem.) by a small majority. Twenty-eight Chinese, who, it is alleged, have been smuggled across the Mexican border, were deported yesterday at Las Cruz, N. M., forty miles north of El Paso, Tex.



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U. S. C. TRACK MEN AT WORK.

Small Army of Athletes on the Cinder Path.

Prospects Bright for Very Successful Season.

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At the University of Southern California, Coach Holmes has departed from the former practice and is preparing to hold the annual inter-class track meet before the Christmas holidays. This is in accord with the present procedure in some of the large eastern colleges. In view of this fact, a small army of prospective athletes is daily cavorting around the cinder path and doing stunts with the weights and jumps.

With a strong array of valuable material at hand, both seasoned and in embryo, the prospects for a winning varsity team are the brightest in years, and the more optimistic of the local supporters are looking forward to disposing of Stanford and Berkeley in the U.S.C. team along.

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IN THE SPRINTS.

In the 100, 220 and 440-yard dashes, Coach Holmes is pinning his hopes in ever-successful Parsons to pull down fifteen points. The 220-yard dash is expected to be the most interesting event on the card for the coming U.S.C.-Occidental match, and the knowing ones eagerly predict a close race. Parsons is not likely to enter the class sprints owing to his present poor condition. Cooper, who will captain the varsity squad this year, and Cree, both experienced men and point winners of last year, will be in the short sprints this season and have excellent chances of equaling the 10-second mark. Quite different in form, these boys exhibit the two radical types of scientific sprinting. Cooper is an advocate and example of the large stride, while Cree is perhaps the prettier performer, his work is especially effective in the 220-yard dash. But a mediocre man at the start several years ago, his work has improved steadily under Harvey Holmes's tutorage and fruitful results are expected this season.

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Captain of the Law School, the gentleman who captained the team two years will likely be back in the game this year before the season is over. Although not a star in the distance runs, he can be depended upon to pull the team out of a hole in the mile run. The longer distances seem to be the more popular with the men, as was the case in previous seasons, and enthusiasm is manifested.

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turn out, it is probable that Nordahl will be shifted to the mile run. Possessing a marvelous stride, Nordahl is an ideal relay man, lacking only in a final sprint, but his good points may offset this fault in the mile and bring him into the front rank.

Fred Garbutt, a youngster fresh from grammar school, is well spoken of and has the making of a winning distance man. He has a long, easy stride which is practically faultless, and eats up ground without apparent exertion. He is a typical miler in build and lacks only in age and experience.

Eugene Estoppey, the new distance man from Boston, has all the marks of a winner, and will show a clean pair of heels to the long distance men, particularly in the two-mile grind. Schoeller, Snyder and Klitten complete the list of eligible distance men who have the stamina to enter the lists. Klitten was unable to come up to expectations, two years ago, on account of sickness. His last race was with Roth, running the Occidental man a close nip-and-tuck race. With a nerve-killing unfaltering stride, he has everything in his favor for a good consistent showing.

IN OTHER EVENTS.

The broad jump events will fall back upon Richardson, who is good for 21 feet under any conditions. Outside of Richardson, no jump of more than 19 feet has been registered. The stick race looks like a cinch to the U.S.C. aggregation, especially the shorter one. With Youngs in the field, it is extremely doubtful if any competitor will distance him. Elliott is the equal of all southern men in the high hurdles and superior to any on a curved track.

With the agreeable prospects in the run, it is still plainly evident that the all-important events on the programme are the high jump, shot put, pole vault and hammer throw. In the first of these, U.S.C. is good for a number of points except against Pomona, which has undisputed claim to the first five points. The 16-pound shot put goes down in the dope book for a clean sweep.

With two men bettering 40 feet in practice, and four good for 38, the prospects are decidedly brilliant. Richardson and Custin are raising the 41-foot mark with encouraging repetition, and Comstock, who has put the weight 39 feet, is coming around in good shape and expects to better his mark of last year.

The pole vault will attract a large amount of attention from the grandstand from the number of men entered and their excellent records. Comstock has the enviable record of 11 feet in the pole vault and Richardson has made three inches better. Three other aspirants have a mark of 10 ft. 6 in.

Richardson, the Santa Paula youngster, shattered all existing records last week by tossing the weight 142 feet, 3 inches in practice. With a throw equaling this mark, he is assured of a first place in any California track meet. His weight and height enable him to throw the heavier missile with almost the same proficiency which marked his success in the 12-pound shot last year.

Burek, the crack full back, will enter training after the holidays and should make a good showing if he does not step outside the ring, as is his habit. Taylor is another one who is doing good practice in hurling the hammer.

THE CLASS MEET.

The inter-class meet for next Thursday has caused class spirit to run high. The third academy team looks like a winner, as it possesses such men as Richardson, Klitter, Lenox, Shute and others. The Freshmen have second place picked out with the juniors running third. The meet should be interesting, as it will furnish an inventory of the track material.

Cross-country running will be started immediately after the holidays to lay the foundation for the distance runs.

It is the intention of the coach and the faculty to make this season a red letter one, and it is the fond hope of all at the institution to complete the athletic year without a single marring defeat in the remaining spoils of track, basketball, tennis, and baseball.

MANY SPORTS VISIT ASCOT.

LARGE CROWD WITNESSES VERY GOOD RACING.

Main Event at Seven Furlongs Is Taken by Varieties at Long Price. Favorites Capture Three of the Six Races—Airs, Winner of the Second, Shows He Has Class.

Three winning favorites divided the honors with the good things in the Ascot Park races yesterday and a big crowd of sports turned out to see the races. Seventeen ring books laid against the nags, in addition to three field books and a combination and there was rushing business all afternoon. The feature race was the fourth on the card, the Santa Catalina Stakes, and brought out a field of seventeen starters and the winner turned up in J. Curl's Varieties at the long price of 12 to 1, the 5-to-1 Pantoufe second and the 15-to-1 Entre Nous third. The favorite, Supreme Court, was a close sixth, after getting away poorly. Entre Nous was probably the best nag in the race, but got away next to last and couldn't get up in time. Lydia Wrouseman at 60 to 1 furnished a surprise by running second in the first race.

Results:

Seven furlongs: Search Me, 110 (Booker,) 3 to 1, won; Lydia Wrouseman, 112 (Callahan,) 60 to 1, second; Young Davis, 107 (Harris,) 4 to 1, third; time 1:28⅘. Mortlake, Prince Ching, Mountebank, Prince Frederick, Merlingo, Respirator, Phyx and Bauble also ran.

Five furlongs: Airs, 107 (Preston,) 7 to 10, won; Dulcinea, 107 (Grand,) 15 to 1, second; Commida, 107 (Boland,) 7 to 2, third; time 1:01. Slancer, Lady Kitty, Athenia, Mirabel, Star of Runnymede, Chico, Maxim Gorky and Sixful also ran.

Mile and seventy yards: Reservation, 104 (Singleton,) 5 to 1, won; Oratorian, 103 (Fischer,) 3 to 1, second; Atkins, 102 (Finn,) 8 to 5, third; time 1:45¼. Uncle Henry, Los Angeleño, Golden Light, Bushwhacker and Pink Garter also ran.

Santa Catalina Selling Stakes, seven furlongs: Varieties, 99 (Gargan,) 12 to 1, won; Pantoufle, 115 (Booker,) 5 to 1, second; Entre Nous, 99 (Carroll,) 15 to 1, third; time 1:27¼. Ed Ball, Don Domo, Supreme Court, Arimo, Judge Treen, Bryan, Jersey Lady, Right and True, Critic, Toupee, Lilie B., Sly Ben, The Irishman and Atlantico also ran. Revolt scratched.

Futurity course: St. Or, 108 (Kunz,) 4 to 5, won; Remember, 99 (Riley,) 12 to 1, second; Livius, 101 (Hudlin,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:12. Budapest, Premium Rose and Hipoteca also ran.

Mile and fifty yards: Cotillion, 109 (Booker,) even, won; Netting, 109 (Singleton,) 5 to 1, second; Freesias, 109 (Boland,) 8 to 1, third; time 1:47. Moor, Invictus, J. V. Kirby, Viona, Baldo, McGrathiana Prince, Lucrece, Gentle Harry and Tizona also ran.

New Orleans Races.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 8.—Fair Grounds results:

Six furlongs, selling: Tom Mankins won, Consideration second, Gay Adelaide third; time 1:15 1-5.

Six furlongs: Toboggan won, Meadow Breeze second, Lady Vashti third; time 1:14. Sir Toddington finished third, but was disqualified.

Mile and a sixteenth, handicap: Glid won, Missouri Lad second, Flavigne third; time 1:47 1-5.

Preliminary Derby, six furlongs: Pantaathe won, Deoro second; Glamor third; time 1:14 2-5.

Two mile, selling: Padre won, Mamie Algol second, Casharth third; time 3:23 2-5.

Mile and seventy yards: Goldsmith won, Lady Ellison second, Kittie Platt third; time 1:45 4-5.

Mile and seventy yards, selling: Rather Royal won, Merry Pioneer second, Harmakis third; time 1:46 4-5.

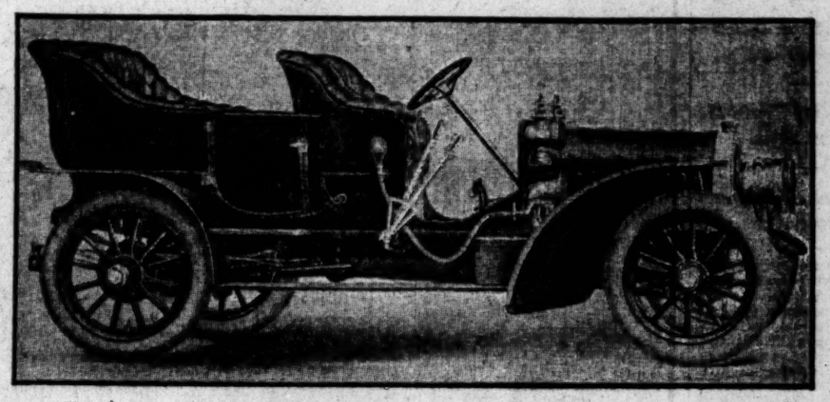
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Unusual Conditions Noticed Last Wednesday.

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Dogs on a Duck Marsh and Use of Pump Guns.

For the first time this season, duck hunters last Wednesday found sprigs a scarce bird on local marshes.

unusually well represented, thus far, hardly a day has been recorded but the better shots on a dozen different clubs returned with a preponderance of big ducks in their bags, if they chose to pick their game rather than bowl over all the teal and spoonies that came along. Last Wednesday the big duck hunters were at a discount, and those who waited for pintails waited in vain, for they might as well have lain in ambush for canvasbacks.

Spoonbills, and green and cinnamon teal formed the bulk of the bag on all the southern preserves. Aided by the late waning moon, the big birds all struck out for the ocean at the first fire with their crops full of grain and water. There they sat in solemn bliss, congregated in rafts many acres in extent, and apparently sound asleep, waiting for the pangs of hunger and thirst to send them inland long after the gunners had quit in disgust.

Even the widgeon stood pat. Gadwell, generally a marsh duck, and fond of traveling with the spoonbills, were common at previous shoots, but they, too, remained out at sea.

Limits, needless to relate, were scarce. Twenty-fives were good bags everywhere. Many cinnamon teal helped somewhat to fill in the gaping chinks between the flights that didn't fly, but sky-scraping at high spoonies and an occasional "rampse" at a packed band of teal up in the clouds in hope of landing a single one afforded the only excitement. More long shooting was done than on any previous day of the season.

The conditions that govern duck shooting and tend to lend it its great charm of uncertainty were splendidly illustrated a week ago yesterday when the moon was at its full, shining brightly until just before daybreak. The extenuating circumstances in the present case were high easterly gales. The wind came up before daylight and by shooting time had increased into a northeaster of no mean proportions. It was blowing thirty miles an hour, and the ducks had enough of the ocean at the first trip. The waves were running high and the tumbling whitecaps soon sent the big birds back in great bands, slowly but steadily battling their way inland against the storm in serried ranks, flying much lower than usual. Only too glad of any haven in a gale, they pitched on the first ponds they saw and only moved on when forced to do so. Over the blinds in singles and droves they sped, breaking at the shot and whirling down wind only to reform and beat their bewildered way back against it, and often over the same path again. Small wonder that all the men who had westerly blinds carried home the limit, or at least recollection of chances to get it.

MANY BIG BAGS.

In the Chico country, all the clubs of any consequence had limit shooting. The Blue Wing members did not come down the night before as is their custom, but left on the 7 o'clock car in the morning, and even then going home with their limit, which is thirty-five. On the Christopher, Godfrey Fritz and two other guns killed the limit with ease. Fritz picking mainly big birds and passing up the smaller trash fowl. The shoot was one of the best ever. On the Chico, five limits were reported. Gen. Last killed the limit on the Green Wing with his sixteen, and could have had as many more. Joe Singer, a guest at the Green Wing, piled up thirty-six. Gus Winstel and Harry Hyatt, who shot there Wednesday, had fair sport, also, twenty-five being high.

On the Canvasback Club, Saturday last, six guns were out, four having limit shooting, and using sixteen-gauge guns. Big ducks predominated, an unusual number of gadwell being killed. Last Wednesday five shooters were out, and twenty-five proved high. Harry Snowden, a guest, killing one of the fine birds after which the club has been named.

The Westminster Club is getting in better shape every day, now, and of late has been enjoying some good shooting as is its neighbor the Golden West. Even the little Center Club, and the Sunset Club to the north have been reaping a very respectable harvest of ducks.

The Bay City Club, which was organized this year is getting a little water in some of its ponds, but has had better sport with plover than with ducks, thus far. Plover are very fond of following sheep and find the hills around the Bay City shack just to their liking.

MORE SNIPE COMING IN.

Snipe have been fairly plentiful on all the marshes for a month, but of late a new flight has come in, and gunners are taking some number nine shot out into the blinds with them in consequence. Nobody will overlook a fat long-bill when he comes flying by, although it takes a good aim to get him. The snipe are sufficiently plentiful to warrant one in tramping about over the marsh after them when the duck shooting is done, and some nice mixed bags have been reported as reward for effort at this sort of sport.

In the Ballona where it is the fashion to shoot Thursdays and Sundays very fair luck was reported last week, particularly by the Recreation Club which had a taste of old times again. Some limits were reported by returning members.

Periodically—aye spasmodically—the Ballona comes to life again and puts forth a good shoot. Windy days, especially, are beneficial. The clubs have the available territory quite well taken up, and they look after it zealously. The Del Rey, Centinela, Recreation and Santa Monica are all getting some good shooting since the widgeon came in.

The clubs between the city and Long Beach have been holding up very well, big birds in plenty being shot every week on the Cerritos and Green Wing. These institutions are bothered considerably by poachers, who seldom succeed in killing anything, but sometimes prevent the clubmen from doing so either—a form of dog-in-the-manger business that buys nothing for anybody.

PLACES FOR OUTSIDE HUNTERS.

Such of these unattached gentry as have a desire to kill a few ducks without tramping upon an inclosed and posted preserve can find something to their liking around the headwaters of any of the bays that indent the south coast. To those who feel willing to take a week's trip, many good openings present themselves. Up the coast by Hueneme there is some excellent open shooting, to be reached by boat from Santa Monica or Redondo, or even San Pedro; or better still, if one's stomach is hung on a hair trigger, by train to Oxnard. Some sportsmen of the best sugar metropolis have a club there, but do not control all the land. This is one of the best places in the State for duck shooting, back of Point Magu being a big fresh slough, where the fowl delight to congregate between raids on the barley and bean fields of Ventura county.

Inland, the Buena Vista country of Kern county, the Tulare overflow, the Delano artesian country, all beckon to the hunter. Southeast of this city lies Elsinore, where all kinds of shooting is on tap. North is Elizabeth Lake, where big bags of mallards and canvasbacks and redheads are made.

The claim that there is no longer any open duck shooting in Southern California is thus disproved without reference to the Imperial-Brawley country.

Close to town there is little open shooting, for the reason that there could not be. The army of inexperienced gunners that sallies forth each Sunday would chase away every duck that might happen to settle upon any unoccupied pond. Yet he who is willing to travel thirty miles or so can reach fair sport, provided always he knows how to hunt the fowl and can kill them when in range. For the low shooting game, a duck boat and a retriever dog are almost necessary, as well as several dozen decoys. There are many places where one can enjoy excellent sport of a windy day.

DOGS ON A DUCK MARSH.

The argument that in most cases a dog on a club duck marsh does more harm than good by chasing all the birds out of the country and keeping incomers from coming down, does not apply to a good dog. The difficulty is that every man thinks his dog is the best dog in the country. It is harder to break a dog to become a perfect retriever than to teach him any other branch of his work in helping the gun, and the really good ones may be counted on one's fingers. That a very small percentage of a total of thousands of dogs. And many of the good ones, strange to say, happen to be dogs of no breeding whatever—little better than curs—catch crosses. One which did excellent service in recent years was half Chesapeake Bay and half spaniel; another was a mixture between a setter and a curly-coated English retriever—an excellent dog, seldom seen in this country.

The club duck hunter does not want a big dog—any such throws too much water. In fact, the average hunter figures he loses more shots in fussing with a dog than he saves ducks, and prefers to let the keeper bring out the animals when he comes to pick-up. Yet all the argument falls flat when a really first-class dog—such a one as John Hauerwass's "Nig" is concerned. This is a little black fellow, mostly cocker, but a long ways apparently from the standard of that breed. He is trained to order, does not break shot, gets a duck as quickly as possible and is back again out of the way. Such dogs are a real help, for when the hunter drops a duck he can count the bird almost as surely as if it were on his string.

But the ordinary canine, barking, yipping and yelling every time he sees a duck, dashing frantically after everybody's birds and carrying a bucket of water into the blind every time he returns—and such dogs never were known to shake themselves until they had approached you as closely as possible—are almost worse than none. A good dog may be judged by the businesslike efficiency with which he performs his work. Such know when a bird is hit as well as their masters, and watch every duck with shining eyes. When it comes down, they make no frenzied bolts for liberty, but await orders, and then get the birds at once without any unnecessary ranging about the entire pond.

PUMP GUNS TABOOED.

Many hunters are objecting to the use of pump guns, which militate against the sport of everybody by the great number of shots they put at the command of the gunner, and the greater bombardment that then ensues. There is no law against a man shooting a pump gun if he cannot afford a good double-barrel. In but few instances they use pump guns through hoggishness. If they do, then the double-barrel ejector is the gun for them, for it is the more deadly of the two. Pumps will stick at times, while the average man can shoot a double-barrel more accurately than a pump.

Nearly all clubs have legislated against pump guns. In most cases it is an unnecessary law. None who is familiar with a double gun turns from his ejector back to the pump. Automatic magazine guns, of course, are excluded from the argument, for no sportsman will have one.

Many are advising the use of the sixteen bore. Some claim it to be the gun of the day, as it is no longer a freak, but recognized as standard, and ammunition in any desired combination or quality can regularly be had for it, even at materially reduced cost. Some are even shooting twenty bores this winter, and doing good work with them, apparently, too. Those who use them say that none who have ever tasted the pleasures of cutting out their birds clean with a sixteen, as against the slobber-shooting of a heavier piece, will ever change back again.



Godfrey Fritz, J. W. Morrison, and A .W. Eager with the ir limit bags of ducks killed on the Christopher Club.

TO TALK OVER FISHING LAWS.

CHANGES IN GAME LEGISLATION NOW IN PROSPECT.

Rod and Reel Club Soon to Meet to Talk Over Protection of Fish and Other Subjects—Menaces in Proposed Districting of State, With Chance of Opening Seasons.

Another meeting of the Southern California Rod and Reel Club will be held a week from tomorrow night to hear reports of delegates returning from the State Game and Fish Protective Association's meeting, and to discuss legislation calculated to conserve the remnant of surf fish, croakers, yellowfins and similar shore-frequenting fishes of the same family, which have been growing scarcer for several years past.

It is reported a most favorable sentiment exists up North, and there is believed to be no difficulty whatever about passing a reasonable protective measure, and nothing unreasonable has ever been desired at this end of the State. Some regulation of the size mesh of nets used has been found a very successful measure in the vicinity of San Francisco, and in all probability something of the same sort can be made operative in Southern California.

The matter of districting the State, for which an amendment was passed at the next to the last State election, has complicated the game laws somewhat, owing to the failure of the Legislature to fix these districts after they had been decided upon, but the consensus of opinion favors making three districts, to consist of what is generally known as Southern California, possibly including Kern county, Northern California, and the central sections of the State, following in general the lines of altitude, for it is that, rather than latitude, that affects game conditions in California.

More or less bickering is to be expected from this districting job, and it is certain to present a number of disadvantages, but many adherents of game protection feel that the end desired cannot be come at successfully in any other way. Just what variance there will be in the seasons cannot be determined, but it is feared each district will want to make laws to suit itself, which might result in a practically open season of seven months on ducks. Up North the hunters want to shoot ducks all through March, and many would like to be able to hammer them in the spring, while down here many have maintained that the duck season should open not later than the middle of September—a theory that cannot appeal very much to the experienced duck hunter, who realizes that the first month of the present season involves shooting at the same birds, which have been reared hereabouts. As these fowl become pretty well educated in a couple of weeks, it is not reasonable to look for much shooting between the time the ducks take their degree and the first big flight in from the North. So it is hard to figure any practical relief for the hunters by such a change, while it would be a distinct step backward, and a blow to game protection, which always tends to limit sport, rather than throw it wide open.

A majority of local duck hunters are well satisfied with things as they are. Some think that the two weeks left in February might be opened to give some cinnamon teal shooting, but this winter the cinnamon birds have remained on hand unusually long, doubtless on account of the number of clubs which kept their ponds awash all through the summer.

At the coming meeting of the Southern California Rod and Reel Club, among other things, plans will be formulated for the coming fishing tournament, which it is proposed to hold in the spring. Work upon this has gone ahead slowly during the winter months, but it is proposed to hold sessions from time to time during the winter, and make arrangements for competition that will cover all classes of sport followed by local marine anglers, instead of confining the competition to trolling exclusively, as has been the custom in the past. Surf fish, yellowfins, croakers, will certainly be included.

AIR-PILOTING FOR GLIDDEN.

BALLOONING TAKES HOLD ON WINDY CITY.

Effort Being Made to Bring Next Aero Gordon Bennett to Chicago. Percy Pierce and Glidden Outline Plans for Coming Glidden Tour. Auto Gossip of Middle West.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—Among prominent Chicago motorists there is much talk of making concerted effort to bring the next Gordon Bennett aerial race to the West. It is believed that a locality admirably adapted for the event could be found not far from Chicago. No positive or official action has been taken as yet, however, and in general Chicagoans appear to be content that easterners should take the initiative in the development of the air craft. John Farson, president of the American Automobile Association, who would naturally be regarded as one of the most likely Chicagoans to adopt the new craze, has declared himself a convert to the new methods of navigation, but in theory only. He is not yet ready to take up ballooning personally.

Charles J. Glidden, the indefatigable globe-motorist, before he left Chicago Thursday, for the City of Mexico, whither he will travel in his steel-flanged Napier, over the rails of the Rock Island, International and Great Northern, and National of Mexico, announced his determination of taking up ballooning. "My itinerary is complete for several months in advance, and cannot be altered," he said, "but as soon as a brief respite is afforded me, I shall sail for France and engage in ballooning." Mrs. Glidden openly accused her husband of being in jest, but the latter was emphatic in his protestations of his sincerity.

In conversation with President Farson of the A.A.A. and Secretary Gorham of the same body, Mr. Glidden outlined his plans and desires for the next Glidden tour. He made it clear that he preferred some plan by which a pleasure tour preceded the contest proper. The views of Percy Pierce, present holder of the Glidden trophy, who was in Chicago a few days earlier, were also made known to him. He approved regulations designed to limit repairs to such repairs as a tourist—not a skilled mechanic—could make, and penalize all other difficulties. Mr. Pierce found much that was commendable in the Herkomer tour rules, in spite of his protests against some of the details connected with the final award.

Fred E. Dayton, Chicago manager of the Electric Vehicle Company, has compiled a handsome souvenir of the record-breaking San Francisco-Los Angeles run made by Fernando Nelson in a Columbia. The booklet will be issued in a limited edition, profusely illustrated and containing reproductions of numerous newspaper accounts of the run, which broke all previously existing records by several hours. The fact will be emphasized that the car was privately owned.

Residents of Newcastle, Ind., are awaiting with bated breath the verdict of the Maxwell-Briscoe Company. President Briscoe and Vice-President Maxwell have visited the city and pronounced it an admirable site for the large plant which the Maxwell proposes erecting. It remains for the board of directors to ratify the recommendation which it is believed that the officials will make that the Newcastle location be picked. Newcastle is a small town, and the establishment of a plant employing 2500 to 3500 men, as it is proposed the new Maxwell factory shall do, would give a tremendous impetus to the development of the place.

M. J. Budlong, president of the Electric Vehicle Company, who visited Chicago last week, announced that the demand for electric vehicles for winter use is in excess of the estimate originally made by his company. The demand for electric broughams, especially, he said has been so great that it has somewhat delayed the marketing of the Columbia electric victorian phaeton.

Basketball Standing.

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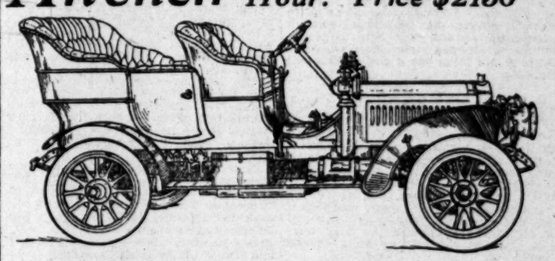
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..., g., Snowden	3	2	2
..., blk. h., Burton	4	4	5
..., ch. m., Smith	6	5	4
..., br. g., Keller	5	6	
..., b. m., Denker	7		

2:28, 2:31, 2:32.

CLUB CUP, 2:40 PACE.

..., br. g., Pierce	1	1	
..., b. m., Denker	2	2	
..., g., Stewart	3	3	

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CLUB CUP, 2:20 PACE.

..., br. m., Mosher	1	1	
..., gr. g., Delorey	2	2	
..., b. g., Denker	3	3	
..., blk. g., Bobyshell	4	dr	

2:17¼, 2:17¼.

BERRY CUP, 2:30 PACE.

..., b. g., Ross	4	1	1
..., g., Fritz	1	3	4
..., g., Smith	2	2	2
..., g., Myers	3	4	3
..., m., Sherwood	5	5	dr

2:26, 2:27, 2:32.

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...e day was slightly disagreeable, ... did not seem to keep the lovers ...orse racing away. The grand ... was well filled and opposite on ... side of the timers' stand a score ... turnouts were gathered.

...e time was made and neck-and-... finishes were the order of the ... of the prettiest races on the ... was the first heat of the 2:20 ... when Ida Millerton, H. N. Hen...'s dainty little mare, driven by ... Delong; and Glory, owned and ... by G. A. Pounder, went almost ... and last Glory coming in under ... was first by a nose. Ida Millerton ... within 100 yards of the wire, ... Glory hanging onto the rear of ... like a leach. As the end ... Pounder made a smashing ... landing his little brown mare ... toward the wire at a whirl... pace. Don Z. showed bursts of ..., but was poorly handled.

...e was not the only finish which ... the spectators to their feet. ... were several of them, and the ... shown kept the spectators ... in spite of the biting wind that ... over the big park every few ...

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...Time, 2:23, 2:21, 2:22.

CLUB CUP, 2:40 PACE.

...Green, br. g., Pierce	1	1	
...Wilson, b. m., Denker	2	2	
...b. m., Stewart	3	3	

...Time, 2:34, 2:30.

CLUB CUP, 2:30 PACE.

...br. g., Mosher	1	1	
...br. g., Delorey	2	2	
...g., Denker	3	3	
...blk. g., Bosbyshell	4	dr	

...Time, 2:17¼, 2:17¾.

BERRY CUP, 2:30 PACE.

...b. g., Long	4	1	1
...b. g., Frits	1	4	2
...b. g., Smith	2	2	4
...b. g., Myers	3	3	3
...Sherwood	5	5	dr

...Time, 2:17, 2:22.

CLUB CUP, 2:20 TROT.

Glory, br. m., Pounder	1	1
Ida Millerton, blk m., Delorey	2	2
Don Z., bl. g., Springer	3	3

CLUB CUP, 2:25 TROT.

The Trotter, blk g., Holcomb	1	4
Zoe Patchen, b. m., Housley	4	1
Claval, b. g., Dedge	2	2
Jasper Paulson, blk g., Snodgrass	3	3

Unfinished.
Time, 2:21, 2:24.
The free-for-all pace and the novelty race were postponed.

CARD AT OAKLAND.

LONG SHOT WAS FEATURE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—The feature of the Emeryville card today was the Crocker Selling Stakes, with $2000 added. The winner was Don Hamilton, neglected in the betting at 8 to 1. The Don easily led the procession until near the finish, when Mary F. gave him a brush. Corrigan, with W. Miller up, took show money.

Results:

Seven furlongs: Fred Bent, 104 (A. Brown,) 7 to 2, won; Comilfo, 104 (W. Miller,) 6 to 5, second; Governor Davis, 101 (Brussell,) 16 to 1, third; time 1:26 3-5. Michael, Banposal, Talamund, Rolla, Rosearo also ran.

Five furlongs: Mansard, 102 (W. Miller,) 7 to 10, won; Billy Mayham, 107 (A. Brown,) 10 to 1, second; Aaron J., 108 (Robinson,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:01. Judge, Tim Hurst, Sid Silver, Achilles also ran.

Five and a half furlongs: Ethel Day, 108 (Robinson,) 11 to 10, won; E. M. Brattain, 115 (L. Williams,) 5 to 2, second; Dutiful, 92 (Sandy,) 13 to 1, third; time 1:08 2-5. Prince, Jack Richelieu, Paddy Lynch also ran.

One mile: Don Hamilton, 106 (Williams,) 8 to 1, won; Mary F., 95 (Brussell,) 5 to 2, second; Corrigan, 106 (W. Miller,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:40 3-5. Princess Titania, Logistilla, I'm Joe, Joe Coyne also ran.

Mile and fifty yards: Jackfull, 104 (Sullivan,) 2 to 1, won; Dolinda, 99 (Hunter,) 8 to5, second; Inflammable, 104 (Graham,) 10 to 1, third; time 1:45 1-5. Dewey, Darthula, Anvil also ran.

Six and a haf furlongs: Tony Faust, 112 (Dugnan,) 3 to 2, won; Native Son, 112 (Williams,) 7 to 5, second; Huerfano, 101 (W. Miller,) 30 to 1, third; time 1:21 2-5. Woolma, Gromobol, Kogo, Burning Bush also ran.

MAKES SLOW TIME.

RIVERSIDE TRACK HEAVY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A heavy track prevented sensational bursts of speed at the race meet of the Riverside Driving Club this afternoon, but some good sport was furnished. The Binder cup, offered for the best time in the three-minute class, was won by Axel Nelson's McO. D. The two heats were made in 2:46 and 2:38.

The best time in the first event, the 2:40 mixed race, was made by Adalantha, owned by G. W. Prescott. The last two heats and the race were won in 2:46 and 2:42. In the 2:30 class, W. A. Hayt's speedy little Lauretta won in two straight heats; time 2:30 and 2:28. The winner of the road race was Alex Wilson's Pelee; time 2:58 and 2:52.

BAD FOR JOCKS.

Seven Riders Killed During the Past Twelve Months, as Compared With Nine Year Before.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sixteen jockeys have been killed in the last two years. Some of them were victims of accidents outside the race tracks, but most of the little fellows met death while sporting silk.

The latest fatality in the ranks of the riders occurred when fate marked Levine Sewell, one of America's most famous riders, for a cruel end. He was killed while riding a 100-to-1 shot at Aqueduct. Besides Sewell, George Shilling was thrown and received injuries from which he died the same night, at City Park, New Orleans, April 5 last. On September 21, at Gravesend, Bertrand Freisson, a popular young eastern rider, was killed while riding a horse named Joe Levy. Gus Faust, a steeplechase jockey, died on August 7 from injuries received some weeks previous, while riding in a steeplechase at Coney Island.

Last March at Bessemer, Jimmy Cocolo died, after lingering some months from injuries received at the race meeting at Memphis. While trying to prevent his horse from jumping on a young man who was crossing the track at Portsmouth, O., during the fair races in that city, Johnny McCune was thrown in the fence and killed. The other rider who joined the silent majority this year through an accident, was Tony Massett, who was killed in a race ran October 29, near Jamaica track. Nine jockeys were killed in 1905, while the year previous only three met death on the turf.

BRUSHES WITH THIEVES.

Thieves stole some clothing and a pair of silver mounted military hair brushes from the room of William R. Grundon at No. 804½ South Spring street Friday night, and the matter was yesterday reported to the police.

The French naval division commanded by Admiral Touchard has arrived at Tangier. A Moorish warship with government troops is expected December 11.

MURPHY READY WITH THE CASH.

Says He'll Pay Twenty-five Thousand for Good Men.

Leaves Early for New York to Buy Players.

Not Content to Stand Pat With Champions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The local National League club is willing to pay $25,000 in addition to throwing in several players, if necessary, to complete a deal to strengthen the champion Cubs next year, provided the right kind of players can be secured. Such an expenditure would set the high-price record for baseball players.

President Murphy of the local club left today for New York to attend the annual meeting of the National League. He started early in order to meet any other magnates that may be on the ground for the purpose of talking trades or in any other way promoting the interests of the game. At the meeting of the league last year President Murphy made one of the best trades that have ever been pulled off in the history of the game by being early on the ground and watching for opportunity.

"Yes, I may make the biggest deal ever pulled off in baseball," said President Murphy, just before he boarded a train for New York, "but if I do, it will be several days before it can be finally consummated. Manager Chance and myself have decided that additional strength will be added to the Chicago National League champions whenever it is possible to do so. We do not metnd to follow the example of McGraw and Collins, who had world champions and stood pat. We have the record-breakers of the world, but if I could land a couple of players and should not be able to get them by exchanging players of nearly equal strength, together with a bonus, I would give $25,000 for them. We are not afraid to spend money for star men, because it comes back through the turnstile."

SCHEDULE ARRANGED.

FIRST BASEBALL IN MARCH.

The directors of the Pacific Coast League held a meeting yesterday but did little besides agree upon the draft of a schedule for next season, which will be announced later. Some of the visiting directors left for home yesterday, and the others will remain for several days to clean up what routine business may develop.

It is understood that the schedule will provide for thirty weeks of ball, the same as last year, and the season will begin March 30, and end October 27, one week on each end earlier than the past season. Los Angeles will open here with Oakland and close the season with Seattle. If there are seventeen weeks of ball, according to the new schedule, this will be one less than the past season, which had eighteen weeks here. President Bert thinks the coming season will be a great one in every way and there is apparently no reason why it should not be. It is said that several of the clubs will have new parks, but Los Angeles will doubtless remain at the Chutes, as an understanding has been reached with the people that control that place.

CASEY WON'T GO TO BOSTON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There will be no "Casey at the bat" sung by the Boston American team, if the Fresno baseball player stands by his present determination. Casey, who played last year with Fresno, was invited by President John I. Taylor of the Bostonians, to become a member of his family of base chasers, but Casey has demurred. A message has come to the frozen East from the sunny West, "No tail-ender for mine," says Casey, and though negotiations are still pending, the Fresnoan's prejudice against playing with last year's tail-enders will keep him away from Boston.



Umpire Jack Sheridan, who will officiate in today's game.

MIDWINTER LEAGUE.

Baseball Games Scheduled for Today in Out-of-Town Points—No Contests Here.

No games will be played by teams of the Southern California Midwinter League in Los Angeles today. This is partly due to the factt hat Chutes Park is taken up with a championship game between Stockton and San José of the State League.

Games are scheduled at other points, however. The Los Angeles Pacifics meet the Olives. The Los Angeles Morans will clash with the San Diego bunch on the latter's diamond. The Hambrigers are to engage the Meyers on the Pasadena diamond. The Hoegees will play in San Bernardino, The Tufts-Lyons will lock horns with the Santa Barbaras.

No action has yet been taken regarding the admission into the league of the Los Angeles Uacifics, the meeting, which was to have been held last Mondaly, having been postponed because of the election excitement. It is expected to be cleared up within a few days.

Unfortunately for the Pacifics, they have lost their best pitcher, Harkness, he having become afflicted with the "gold fever," and has gone to Rhyolite, Nev. Manager Hammond is planning to pitch Jessen in his place in today's game with the Olives. The other men will have their usual places.

Following will be the line-up at San Bernardino.

Hoegees.		San Bernardinos.
Snodgrass	Catcher	Myers
Gamble	Pitcher	Garvin
Thompson	Pitcher	Hitt
Wilkinson	First Base	McCarty
Adams	Second Base	Shells
McCann	Third Base	Waters
Lamar	Shortstop	Warner
Moriarity	Right Field.	Priddy
Cunningham	Center Field	Cox
Goodman	Left Field	Johnson

MANAGER BLEE RESIGNS.

Raymond Crane Will Handle Business of Occidental Athletics—Carver Hit With Shot.

Robert Blee, the student general manager of athletics at Occidental has resigned his position, and Raymond Crane, '08, has been elected to fill the vacancy.

In previous years there has been a manager for each branch of athletics, but at the beginning of this term the office of general manager was established, and the other positions abolished. The present system has been very successful, as the general manager is remunerated for his work, and is expected to manage things in a business-like manner.

Blee was forced to resign on account of being unable to perform the duties of the office and keep up in college work, and the office may have to be filled by two students before the end of the year.

Track Capt. Bird is planning cross country runs for track candidates, and the outlook for a successful season grow brighter as the men don track togs. Carver, who was expected to make good in the mile, this year, was hit in the back with the twelve-pound shot, Friday, while practicing on the field, and may not be able to run this year. However, there is a number of good men for the distances, and his loss would not be keenly felt.

Meets have already been arranged with U.S.C. and Pomona, and St. Vincent's and Los Angeles High School will also be challenged. The Presbyterians and Methodists will meet February 22, and Pomona will meet Occidental at Claremont, March 9.

BASEBALL A BUSINESS.

Enormous Sums Expended Each Year by Major League Clubs for Grounds and Players.

The last season has been a notable one in baseball. Values have ascended to such a height that only a well-financed concern may pose as a baseball owner is shown by the sale of the Boston Nationals' franchise, George Dovey forking over $275,000, it is reported.

At no time during the history of the great American sport were such princely salaries and such phenomenal prices paid for good players, the deals involving the shifts of "Cy" Seymour, "Spike" Shannon, Jack Taylor, and prices offered for such players as "Young Cy" Young, Tim Jordan and other stars being more numerous and far higher than any recorded in major league baseball, with the exception of isolated cases such as Mike Kelley and a few others.

There was a surprising endeavor on the part of big league managers to corral the best players in the game. Money was no object. The skill of the player was sought to strengthen the team. All along the line, from the majors down to the minors, money was freely used for the procuring of skillful players.

All this enormous outlay of money surely had a meaning. Baseball today is one of the big industries of America. As much money is yearly invested in the pastime and as much revenue is derived from the sport as accrue from some of the important business interests of America.

Just how much money is tied up in baseball at present, how much it takes in and paid out and what the salary lists of the country amount to, it is impossible to say, but the figures run high. Take the big leagues which are at the top of the list. Rough estimates place the average salary list of the clubs at close to $40,000 a year. If this is true, it means that the sixteen clubs in the two leagues spend something like $640,000 a year in paying salaries to players alone. This does not include the money spent for the purchase of players, which will come close to averaging $10,000 alone. That means $160,000.

What it costs to run a park during a game it is hard to say, but gatekeepers and park employés usually run up a good figure, outside of incidentals. In addition to this, there is ground rent to be considered and interest to be made on stands and fixtures. One hundred and fifty thousand dollars is a low estimate on the amount each club is incorporated at, and, taking everything into consideration, the financial end of the game in either the American or National League cuts into the $1,000,000 mark.

Baseball never experienced a more successful régime, and it is safe to say the following years will witness the golden era of the game. Magnates and public are beginning to cry for pennant winners, and the public's desire for this great honor is goading the baseball owners the country over to greater effort in the way of securing the best talent on the market.

MONTANA BREAKS RECORD.

Last Year's Mineral Prodution Excels Any in History of State or Territory.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

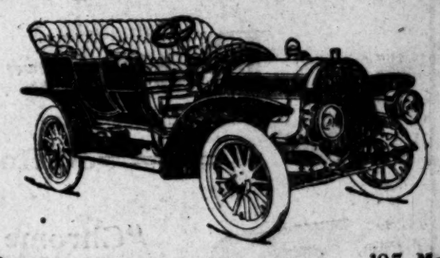
BUTTE (Mont.) Dec. 8.—Montana produced in the calendar year of 1905 copper, silver, gold and lead to the value of $70,677,383. These values came from five million tons of ore, and the aggregate production was greater by $10,086,736, than the value of the output of 1904, which was approximately $10,000,000 greater than for the year before.

Last year's production of metals was greater in tonnage than the year before, and greater in value than in any previous year in the history of the State or Territory.

Great as is the increase of the output of 1905 over that of 1904, the increase of the present year over that of 1905, promises to be more marked.

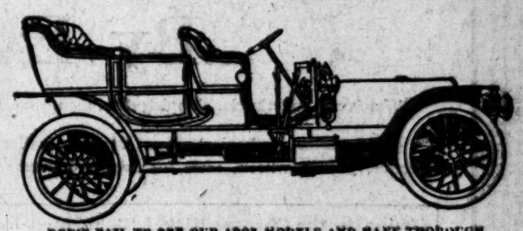
The gold output of 1905 was $308,581 less than that of 1904. The silver output was $1,491,315 less (coinage value) than for 1904. The copper output was $11,754,967 greater, and the lead output $31,635 greater. Assayer E. H. Tatem's report says "The increase in 1905 is equivalent to more than 16 per cent. over the aggregate value of the output for 1904."

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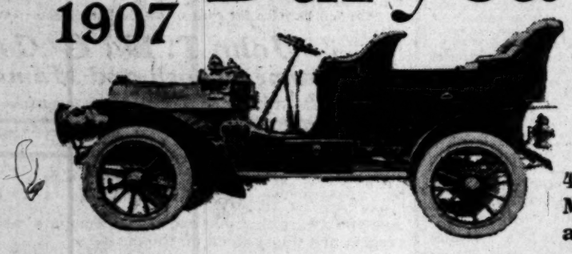
Owing to the Chrome Nickel Steel used in the new car, and the fact that it takes three times as long to work it, the product of the factory will be limited to 500 cars

"Be sure you get one of the 500"

Price $4600

Stevens-Duryea

1907



$2650.00

4-Cylinder Latest Model, With Large Body and Lamp Equipment.

Stevens-Duryea "Big Six" wins the Free for All Event in Riverside Hill Climb and ALSO makes the fastest time of the day. Time 5:41½

Here are Some Stevens-Duryea Owners; ask Them.

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A new model, the "Little Six" 35 H. P., weight 2100 lbs., 114-inch wheel base. 34x4 wheels. Can you beat it? Place your order to secure early delivery. Two carloads 4-cylinder Touring Cars and Runabouts en route.

The "Big Six" 60 H. P. Most powerful American car made.
Stevens-Duryeas bring higher prices second-hand than any other car.

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Western Motor Car Company

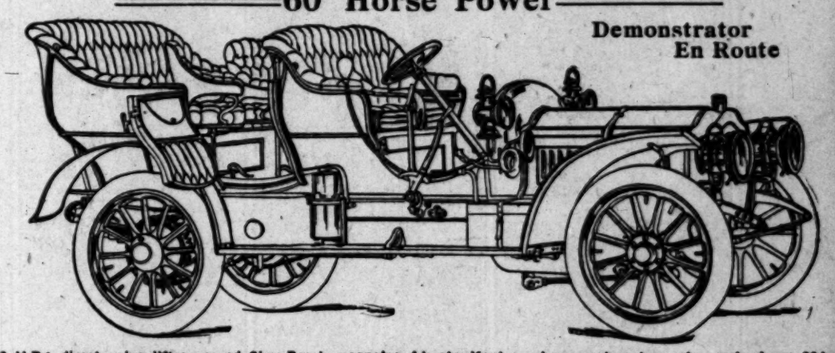
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Thomas Flyer

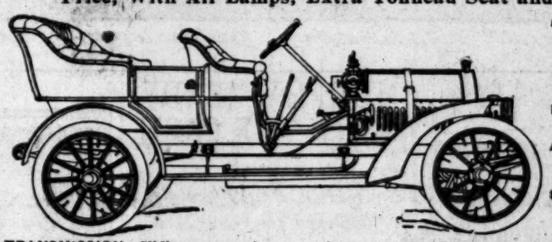
60 Horse Power

Demonstrator En Route



60 H.P.; direct valve lifts; geared Sims-Bosch magneto; Atwater-Kent spark generator; two sets spark plugs; 36-inch wheels; 4-inch front, 5-inch rear tires; 4 speed selective transmission; geared fan-drive.

Price, With All Lamps, Extra Tonneau Seat and Top - - - - $4300



TRANSMISSION—Sliding gear, selective type; three speeds forward and reverse; anti-gear stripping device.
DRIVE—Shaft.
BEARINGS—Roller.
MOTOR—40 H.P.; mechanical valves; all gears enclosed.
EQUIPMENT—Two acetylene headlights and generator; two side lamps; one rear lamp; French horn; set of tools, and tire repair outfit.
BODY—Seats five; three in tonneau.
CARBURETTOR—Automatic.
OILING SYSTEM—Positive pump splash system.
IGNITION—Jump spark, dry and storage batteries; space reserved for any standard magneto.
CLUTCH—Cast aluminum and leather cones with springs, insuring constant fit.
COOLING—Vertical tube radiator, with fan and gear driven pump.
BRAKES—One foot pedal, contracting on propeller shaft; two emergency leather, expanding in rear hubs.
WHEELS AND TIRES—Front and rear—34x4.
WHEEL BASE AND TREAD—Wheel base—112½ ins.; tread—56½ ins.
SPRINGS—Semi-elliptical, front and rear.

Thomas Detroit

40 H. P.

Read These Specifications:

FRAME—Cold pressed steel, with gusset and filler plates.
AXLES—Front, drop-forged beam; rear, semi-floating bevel gear type, with truss rod on under side.
STEERING GEAR—Nut and screw type of high carbon steel; allowance made for adjustments.

BULLETIN

Week ending Sunday, Dec. 9.
Buicks sold to Long Beach, San Diego.
Buicks sold to American Realty Co., 4 cars.
Thomas Flyer for T. Shevlin shipped.
Detroit Thomas arrived. Thomas Flyer en route.

Week Beginning Sunday, December 9

Two carloads Stevens Duryeas will arrive.
Thomas Flyer will arrive.
A. L. Shwarz Packard will arrive.
Packard Runabout will arrive.
Eighteen Buicks will arrive.

Demonstrator Has Arrived.
Runabout or Touring Car, Price $2900

1907 Buick

Won Runabout ($1250.00 and under) cup, also won Touring cars ($1600.00 and under) cup in Riverside Hill Climb on Thanksgiving Day 1906.

Endurance Run Around the Kite June 29-30 '06 — Three Buicks With Perfect Scores, One Buick Won Runabout Cup.

Pasadena-Altadena Hill Climb February 22, '06— Buick Wins in Two Classes. Only cars making better time were Pope, Toledo, Packard, Thomas.

30 Cars Now in Transit

Price Complete $1400—Full 22 H. P.

All Buicks Used in the Hill Climb Were Regular Stock Engines, 4½x5-inch Cylinders

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ONE-TIME NOTICES—
Fresh Today.

This classification is especially intended to include announcements wherein the ELEMENT OF TIMELINESS is an essential feature, such as sales, auction notices of all kinds, assessment and company-meeting notices, fraternity notices (funeral notices excepted,) bargain offers, with notices calling attention to advertisements in some other part of the paper, and all events to occur on any certain day date named. No standing advertisements accepted for this classification.

GOLD Bronze Brush and Cup, 25c.
Paints and enamels, 10c; wagon paints, 40c; carriage paints, 40c; bath tub paints, 40c; floor paints, 40c; 7-ft. (not 6-ft.) shades, natural, 25c; burlap, 36-in., 15c; burlap, 72-in., colored, 25c; shingle stain, 15c; barn and roof paint, 40c; border and paper cleaner, 15c. The values that made us famous. Papering and house painting guaranteed reasonable. Walter Bros., 327 South Main. Home Phone, Sunset Main 1005.

WALL Paper Saving.
Just in, three carloads wall paper, to be sold at one-half the wholesale price; 5c and 10c; ingrains, 5c and $1.50; tapestries, 15c; $1.50 grade at 25c; compare our prices with others to see how much you save; 10c shades, 25c; paint, $1.25 per gallon; all kinds of paint, $1.25 per gallon; all kinds of paint, $1.25 per gallon; all kinds of

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Fresh Today.

COPELAND, DR. J. C.,
Physician and Surgeon, 527 Bryson Block, 145 S. Spring st. Home phone A8543.

PARASOL And Glove Makers.
Buy here at factory prices. Big assortment. 117 W. Fourth, Hellman Bldg.

PRIVATE Home for Old People.
Graduate nurses in attendance. Call or address L. J. Adams, 324 E. 23d st.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

GROCERIES AT BED ROCK PRICES—4 lbs. raisins, 25c; 5 lbs. figs, 25c; 4 lbs dates, 25c; 5 lbs. prunes, 25c; citron, 20c; 3 cans blackberries, 25c; 5 cans baked beans, 25c; 7 deviled ham, 25c; creamery butter, 30c; eggs, 30c; 10 lbs lard, 65c; picnic hams, 9c; bacon, 14c; 5 lbs pure buckwheat, 25c; maple syrup, 35c; comb honey, 10c; ECONOMIC, 246 E. Fifth st.

AT HALF PRICE THIS WEEK, ONLY, A few slightly-used Singers, Wheeler & Wilsons, Domestics, Standards, and White sewing machines.
WHITE AND DOMESTIC OFFICE,
357 South Broadway.
Tel. Main 2104, Home W6757. 9

READY FOR BUSINESS IN OUR NEW office, 636-37 Chamber of Commerce. Call and list your property with us for quick sales. If you want a home on easy terms or to be insured or money to build, see us.
LAND, SAND & SEA INVESTMENT CO.,
Phone 4629. 9

THE W. J. HANEY CO. HAVE REMOVED from 219 South Spring to SUITE 211 and 212 LANKERSHIM BLDG., Third and Spring, where they will continue to handle nothing but A1 real estate, mines and mining stocks. Don't forget the number, 211 and 212 Lankershim Bldg.

FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS PRESENT SEE our fine line of hand-painted and embossed pillow tops; a few odd pieces at special bargains. Also postal cards; novelties on glass; something new. VENETIAN ART PARLOR, Suite 102 Temple Block. North Spring, Main and Temple sts. 9

LEGAL NOTICE—
J. E. Cosgrove has sold to E. M. Anderson, furnishings of 5 room flat at 514 W. 2nd st. any one having claims on same must present them within 5 days.
E. M. ANDERSON, 508 W. 2nd. 9

OVER 1000 ARTICLES OF THE NOVELTY Art Company's bankrupt stock were sold last week. There are still a large number left to be sold at half price. Decorated and plain bowls, steins and panels. ARCADE CO., 416 W. 7th st. 9

LADIES, COME AND GET FREE TRIAL treatment for head, face, neck and bust; given by Madam B. Harris at her beauty parlor, 1503 W. 16th. Want to show you what expert, up to date treatment means. All are invited, absolutely no charge. 9

FOR SALE—THE SAMPLE SHOE SHOP opens tomorrow. All ladies' $3.50 to $5.00 shoes for $2.98. Nothing higher. All sizes. Get there early. 345 South Broadway. 9

TRUST BLDG. 307 S. BROADWAY. Salesroom 603. 9

IF YOU ARE ILL, BRING THIS AD TO the Wilson Electro Institute and receive free demonstration of our method of treatment; cures guaranteed. 204 Mercantile Place, 43 L. W. SHELHAMER, lady manager.

FURNITURE REPAIR WORKS—RATTAN and wicker furniture repaired, upholstering of all kinds, new and repairing. Mattresses, box couches and cots made to order. Cane seating. Home Phone 24587. Broadway 4232. 1003 S. Main.

CARPENTER WORK,
CHRISTMAS FIXTURES,
or anything you have from finest to roughest, executed accordingly. J. C. BOWEN, 724 S. Main. Phone North 54.

IT WILL BE TO THE BEST INTERESTS of all members of the K.O.T.M.M. living in Southern California to communicate with R. F. SIMONEAU, F.K., Angelus Tent No. 1311, 211 H. W. Hellman Bldg., Los Angeles.

HAVE YOU HOUSEHOLD GOODS TO SHIP to or from the East or North? Get the benefit of reduced rates at DEKINS' VAN AND STORAGE CO., agents for tourists and emigrants. 344 S. Broadway.

POSITIVE HAIR GROWER.
Nonpareil Tonic. Hair Restorer and bald spots covered. Intelligent face and scalp treatments. Chiropody, etc. MME. KITTLE, 449 S. Hill st. 9

WANTED—ADDRESS OF PARTY OR PARties having or knowing of gypsum or cement deposits, close to Los Angeles or the Pacific Coast. Address E, box 178, TIMES OFFICE. 9

DR. W. J. HANEY CAN NOW BE FOUND at the office of the W. J. HANEY CO., Suite and 212 Lankershim Bldg., Third and Spring, where he will be pleased to see all his friends.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR PERMANENTLY removed; city references. I also teach electrolysis. MRS. M. J. WOODRUFF, electric needle specialist, 748 W. 7th st. Phone 8545.

LADIES, IF SICK OR TIRED—
Try a bath by skilful, intelligent masseuse, MRS. LANGLEY, with MME. KITTLE, 9 449 South Hill. Main 4666.

1000 BUSINESS CARDS $1.50; GOOD WHITE bristol, conveniently boxed; other printing, low prices. COOK BROS., 101½ South Broadway.

CONTRACTORS AND ARCHITECTS, LET me build your sideboards and buffet, satisfaction guaranteed. EDWARD HAYES, 1200 Mission Road. Phone E1830. 9

A HOUSE PLANT FOR A CHRISTMAS present is always acceptable. Get a fern or palm at the MOUNT OLIVE NURSERY, Prospect Park. Phone Hollywood 763.

FOR SALE—ALL HAND WORK FANCY articles in modern lace and embroidery, also numerous other useful articles for Christmas gifts, orders taken. 424 W. 37th. 9

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, BRING your old hat, whether felt, straw or Panama, to 312 WEST TEMPLE, where it will be remodeled equal to new.

FOR SALE — GRAND REMOVAL SALE. wardrobe couches this week at cost, buy of the manufacturer and save 50 per cent. PHILLIPS, 626 S. Hope st.

MAURICE ALEXANDER HAS NO LONGER any business interests with Brice Grimes. 205 W. Fifth, and is now at 427 GROSSE BLDG., Sixth and Spring.

1000 NICELY PRINTED BUSINESS CARDS, $1.50, in convenient boxes; other printing in proportion. E. J. ELSON CO., Home 3223. 121½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, COURSE IN MECHANICAL drawing, in International Correspondence School. Address B, box 56, TIMES OFFICE. 9

MOLES, HAIR AND ALL FACIAL BLEMishes removed; scalp treatment, obesity reduced. DR. KATE BRITZ. Phone Broadway 2458. Home 2577. 9

CHURCH OF HUMANITY, MAMMOTH Hall, 517 Broadway. Dr. Dowling speaks tonight on "Occult Life Beyond the Veil; the Secret of Making Conscious Visits to Homes of the Departed, How the Living Helps the Dead." Silver collection. 9

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Figueroa and 20th sts. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage, D.D., at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., subjects, morning, "The Children's Blessings;" evening, "The Blessings of a Long Life."

PERSONAL — WE SELL, EXCHANGE, rent and repair all makes of machines; second-hand machines from $5 up. New machines from $15 up. WHITE & DOMESTIC OFFICE, 557 S. Broadway. Main 2105, Home F6757.

THE INDEPENDENT CHURCH OF CHRIST, Eighteenth and Figueroa sts. Rev. J. S. Thompson, pastor. Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Many Called, but Few Chosen." Everyone welcome. 9

CHURCH OF THE UNITY (UNITARIAN), 933 S. Flower st. Burt Estes Howard, minister. Morning service at 11; subject, "I Go A-fishing." 7.45 p.m., lecture by the pastor on Robert Louis Stevenson. Sunday-school at 9.45 a.m.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH, "TEMPLE AUDITORIUM," corner Fifth and Olive. Preaching by the pastor, Robert J. Burdette, at 11 and 7:30. Room for all and welcome for all. Baptism at morning service. 9

REV. WILL A. KNIGHTEN WILL preach morning and night in the Union Ave. M. E. Church. Morning subject, "Prayer Makes the Angels Fly." Evening, "Young People and the Church." 9

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, N. AVE. 22, East Los Angeles car. M. Owen, pastor. Morning subject, "The Second Advent." Evening, "Consequences of Keeping Track, Part of the Price."

DR. J. LEWIS 18 GIVING A COURSE of free lectures at Kramer's Hall, 932 South Grand ave., every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, on "Rational and Scientific Mind Healing." All are invited.

ORCHARD AVENUE BAPTIST, ORCHARD and 29th; University cars. G. A. CLEAVELAND, Pastor. Preaching 11 a.m., 7:30 p.m. Gospel Sermons. Seats free. Strangers welcome. 9

REV. D. F. HOWE, D.D., PASTOR OF Westlake M. E. Church, will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; evening, 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

FIRST UNITED BRETHERN CHURCH, corner Pico and S. Hope sts. L. S. Cornell, pastor. Preaching 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Y.P.C.U., 6:30 p.m. 9

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, 1500 Figueroa st., sermon at 11 by the pastor, Dr. Canfield. You are invited to attend services. 9

THE REV G. D. WATSON WILL PREACH at 2134½ W. Fourth st., at 2:30 p.m. All are cordially invited. 9

SPECIAL NOTICES—

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Incorporated under the laws of California. Established 1902. Reorganized 1906.
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5 TRAINED ACCOUNTANTS.
Books audited and certified to, examinations and investigations made, tangled accounts straightened out, books planned, opened, closed, kept by the month; we have a special staff for this purpose; advice membership issued to inexperienced book-keepers.
100 REFERENCES.

TWO OF MY CLIENTS HAVE RECENTLY returned from prospecting trips in Lower California; these men are as yet entire strangers to each other, both have been successful and each have made discoveries; one has a valuable placer mine, and the other a rich tourmaline mine; both of these men are willing to make large concessions to the "Angel" who will further their enterprises. There is a chance here to advance a few hundred dollars and get in on the ground floor on two good things; if interested come and see me; no time for triflers. H. ZENAS TILLOTSON, 317 W. Second st. 9

TO REAL ESTATE AND OTHER CLASSified Advertisers: The forthcoming Midwinter Number of The Times, to be issued Jan. 1, 1907, will be a splendid medium for the exploitation, of attractive real estate offerings. Thousands of copies will be mailed by citizens of Southern California to friends abroad, who are figuring on emigrating to the Southwest. The rate will be 3c per word for classified announcements to run in the magazine section of this special issue. "Liner" copy will be received up to and including Dec. 27.

FOR LEASE—5 FEET ON MAIN ST., RUNning through to Los Angeles st., with a 75-foot frontage on Los Angeles st. this property is on the north and east side of the "Dreamland" Bldg. Well located for a garage or stores; frontages leased separately if desired; if taken in the next 10 days a very low figure will be given. See C. H. TREAT, 320 Bradbury Bldg. 9

HOLLOW CHEEKS AND NECKS FILLED out painlessly and permanently in ONE SITTING, WITHOUT DETENTION indoors. No paraffine, no lumping. Smallpox pittings, wrinkles, freckles and moles removed on a positive guarantee. Accommodations for patients under treatment. MRS. M'NAIL, EXPERT DERMATOLOGIST, PRACTICED IN LOS ANGELES 10 YEARS. City reference and physicians' indorsement. Consultation free and confidential. 123 N. Flower. W. Second st. car. 'Phone 7101. 9

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We have added to our public accounting business a department of "Public Stenography" in charge of Mrs. E. E. Yates. We are prepared to do first-class work of all kinds, correspondence, legal documents, business statements, manuscripts and all kinds of typewriting. THE AUDIT COMPANY, Public Accountants and Auditors, 418-20 L. A. Trust Bldg. Home 'Phone A6550.

THE LOS ANGELES LIGHTING SYSTEM. POST LIGHT AND PEDESTAL LAMP. The SYSTEM light for halls, churches, business houses, stores and billiard rooms. The POST light for lawns, parks, construction work and mining camps; it will burn in any wind or rain. The PEDESTAL lamp for offices, large dining-rooms and porch lights. Address PERFECTION LIGHT CO., 1423 S. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal. 9

CHURCH NOTICES—
With Place and Hour.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL, 523 S. OLIVE (near many leading hotels); the Rev. J. J. Wilkins, D.D., dean and rector. Services 7:30 and 11 a.m., 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; Young People's Meeting, 6:45 p.m. The Rev. William Mac'ormack, rector of Los Angeles Saints' Church, Pasadena, will preach in the morning; the rector in the evening. Subject of evening sermon, "Abundant Life." The doors of this church are never closed. Come to quiet and rest awhile. A warm and fraternal greeting and welcome to all sorts and conditions of men.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS—

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"THE FOUR PILLARS OF SOCIETY,—Religion, Philosophy, Ethics and Politics," a free lecture by H. A. Gibson, Esq., before the PROGRESSIVE CLUB, in Symphony Hall, 232 South Hill st., at 8 o'clock. Miss Theodosia Harris of the School of Opera will sing, "Pansies," by Elgar.

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"OCCULT LIFE BEYOND THE VEIL; THE Secret of Making Conscious Visits to Homes of the Departed; How the Living Help the Dead." Dr. Dowling's subject tonight, CHURCH OF HUMANITY, Mammoth Hall, 517 Broadway. Admission ten cents. 9

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A strictly first-class, reliable agency.
All kinds of help promptly furnished.
Satisfaction guaranteed.
118 and 118½ E. SECOND ST.,
Between Main and Los Angeles streets.
Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast.
TELEPHONE MAIN 959.
HOME EXCHANGE 569.

WANTED—
Ranch blacksmith, $2.50, etc.
Rough carpenters, Arizona, $3.50.
Floorman and helper, $3.50.
Miners, $3 day.
Muckers, mine, $2.50.
Shoe repair man, $15, $18 week.
Blacksmith and shoer, $3.50.
Quarrymen, $2.25, $2.50.
Cabinet maker, $3.50.
Striker, brickyard, $2.25.
House carpenters, $3.50.
Cement finisher, $4, country.
Camp blacksmith, $2.50.
Ranch blacksmith, $60, etc.
Section foreman, A. T., $70 and house.
Press feeder, country, $9, $12 week.
Married man, dairy, $35 and house.
Married man, gardener, $50 and house.
Ranch teamsters, $35, etc.
Orchard teamsters, $30 etc.
Millers, $35, $40 etc.
Millers, Imperial, $45 etc.
Horse cuffers, livery, $12 and room.
Gardeners, nursery, $2 and room.
Dairy house man, $30 etc.
Ranch hand, Antelope Valley, $40 etc.
Bee man, $30 etc.

HOTEL DEPARTMENT.
All-round cook, hotel, city, $90 etc.
All-around cook, restaurant, city, $50 etc.
Fry cook, hotel, city, $15 etc.
All-round baker, A. T., $80 etc.
All-round maker, A. T., $90 etc.
Second baker, country, $10 etc.
Pastry cook, helper, hotel, $30 month.
Baker's helper, country, $8, $10 room.
Waitress, restaurant, city, $10 etc.
Waiter, restaurant, city, $30 etc.
Bus boy, city, $25 etc.
Elevator boys, with home, $20 and $35.
Dishwashers, country, $20 etc.
Dishwashers, city, $25 etc.
Colored waitress, country, $30 etc.
Family butler, $35 etc.
Bell boys, with no experience, $15 etc.
Vegetable man, city, $4 week.
Hotel runner, city, $4 week.
Laundry marker and sorter, A. T., $18 week.
Hotel houseman, $25 etc.
Man and wife, pantry and storeroom, $65 etc.
Cooks, bakers, waiters, call; many new orders Monday morning.
Female help. See ad under Female Help Wanted.
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
118-118 E. 2nd st.

WANTED — A FEW PEOPLE TO LEARN book-keeping and pay for tuition from their earnings after we place them in positions. You can learn at your own home in a few weeks without loss of time or money. We guarantee it. Write or call for full information and our free book, "How to Succeed in Business." It tells you how you can better your position and make more money. COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS, Drawer 1400A, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—
JAPAN A. B. C. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.
Oldest and Largest Agency in the City.
902 SOUTH OLIVE ST.
Phone Main 1947. Home 5718.

We furnish all kinds of first-class help promptly with responsibility.
House cleaning department. 11

WANTED—
HAUSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
204 N. Second st. Both phones 883.
Ranch hands, milkers, carpenters, miners, painters, blacksmiths, horse cuffers, buggy washers, milk wagon driver, transfer, fruit wagon teamsters, scraper teamsters, cooks, waiters, dishwashers, janitors and 50 other good positions at top wages for willing workers. New orders constantly.

WANTED — TOURIST HOTEL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 205½ S. Main st. Home 6750; rooms 12 and 14.
Cooks, $40; first carver, $7; pantry women, $25; 6 waitresses, leading hotel, $2.50; cafe $3 and $3.50; chambermaids, $20, $25; second girl, $25; girl to assist, $15; head waitress, hotel, $30; general work, $25. L. O. HAUS, Manager.

WANTED—"TOURIST HOTEL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY," 205½ S. Main st. Home A1726.
Chef, $150; assistant steward, $45; head waiter, $60; chef, $100; elevator boy, $35; bus boys, $25, $30; page, $5; pantrymen, $12; hardmen and dishwashers, $6; L. O. HAUS, Manager.

WANTED—WE WANT THE SERVICES OF a young man who will join us and manage one part of our business; must be of good habits and have good references; position good for about $40 per week; an investment of $400 required, $150 of which may be paid from earnings; no rowdies or men of former occupation and phone number, if any. Address D, box 96, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
RED CROSS EMP. AGENCY,
136 E. Second st.
Main 8830. A7830.
We hereby respectfully solicit your orders, for all help and work call and see our list of male and female help wanted, we give all orders our immediate and proper attention, just treatment is our motto.

WANTED—RELIABLE PARTY WILLING to invest $500 to $1000, which will be amply secured, to represent us in any city or town and employ salesmen; stocks; $200 per month guaranteed, besides full equity for investment. Address or call AMERICAN FINANCIAL DEVELOPMENT CO., 447 Huntington Bldg., Los Angeles.

WANTED—JAPANESE
PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
Largest and most popular agency,
631 W. Sixth st., Los Angeles, Cal.
House cleaning department.
Window cleaning department.
Phones—Home F1078, Main 1714.
General labor contractors. Every department assumes responsibility. 11

WANTED—
JAPANESE O. K. EMPLOYMENT AG'CY.
708 S. Grand ave., opposite P.O.
Phones Home F3119, Broadway 5205.
All kinds of help promptly furnished.
Day work and general contracting department.
House cleaning by day or contract.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN HAVING SOME knowledge of shorthand and typewriting, who wishes to begin with a growing manufacturing business to learn all branches; small wages to start, but chance for rapid advancement. Apply 724 JEMISON BLK., Monday evening, or 907 Girard st., Sunday a.m.

WANTED—
DENTIST IN HOLLYWOOD.
Good live one who will let the people know that he is located here and will build up a profitable business, can now obtain the finest front offices, at your own price, in the new modern Vanyckle Bldg., next to new bank and P.O. buildings, Hollywood.

WANTED—TEAMS WITH EXPERIENCED TEAMSTERS, TO HAUL BRICK; STEADY WORK. SO. CAL. BRICK CO., STEVENSON AVE., 3 BLOCKS EAST OF BOYLE AVE., BOYLE HEIGHTS.

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WANTED—SALESMEN TO CARRY SIDE line or exclusive; a very fast-selling article, light sample (1 pound;) large commission; a hustler can make from $4 to $8 per day as side line only; this article sells at sight. ATLANTIC-PACIFIC MANUFACTURING DISTRIBUTING CO., Inc., Citizens' Nat'l. Bank Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—SEVERAL MEN UNDER 45 AT once to prepare for examinations for U. S. RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS AND LETTER CARRIERS. TREMENDOUS SHORTAGE OF HELP. See me immediately. MR. SMALL, 207 Douglas Bldg., daily 9 to 6; Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings, 7:30 to 9.

WANTED—GARDNER; A THOROUGHLY competent and practical working gardener, to take charge of gentleman's country place adjacent to Pasadena. Must understand handling and general gardening, and have unqualified recommendations; married man without family preferred. Address C, box 106, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GENTLEMAN WITH HIGH references to invest $1500 to $2000 in copper and smelter mining; you will be made director; this is legitimate, and draw from the company large monthly salary for your services; if you are reliable and want to make big money in safe, sure way, call see PHOENIX, 207 Grand Bldg.

WANTED—LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE; EXperience unnecessary if honest, ambitious and willing to learn the business thoroughly for mail-then splendid income assured. Write at once for full particulars. Address either office, NATIONAL CO-OPERATIVE REALTY CO., 704B Athenaeum Bldg., Chicago, or 704B Maryland Bldg., Washington, D.C.

WANTED — HUSTLERS EVERYWHERE; $25 to $30 made weekly distributing circulars, packages, overseeing outdoor advertising; experience not necessary; we place you canvassing. Address MERCHANTS' OUTDOOR ADVERTISING CO., 79 Dearborn st., Chicago.

WANTED—4 MEN TO TRAVEL IN EACH state, distribute samples and advertise our goods; salary $21 per week and expenses, guaranteed; expenses advanced; experience unnecessary; self-respected, stating age and occupation. REEVE CO., 419 Dearborn st., Chicago.

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST janitor at Brownsberger House School in exchange for room (not board;) on premises; instruction in shorthand and use of typewriter. Must be energetic, quiet and honest; references as to moral character required. Apply at COLLEGE OFFICE, 957 W. Seventh st. 9

WANTED — BOOKKEEPERS, BRIGHT young men thoroughly familiar with up-to-date methods for positions with high grade firms; chances for advancement excellent; salaries, $50-$120; write today; offices in 43 cities. HAPGOODS, 912 Chemical Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—30 EXPERIENCED MINERS OR tunnel men and 20 assistant tunnel men or miners' helpers to work on the "Outfall Sewer." Wages $3 and $2.25 per day. Applicants must be American citizens and be able to furnish good references. Address or inquire of CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, Los Angeles.

WANTED—CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYES are paid well for easy work; examinations of all kinds soon; booklet E, 131, describing positions and telling easiest and quickest way to secure them is free. Write now. WASHINGTON CIVIL SERVICE SCHOOL, Maryland Bldg., Washington, D.C.

WANTED—A STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS steam and dry cleaner and spotter, married man; must be thoroughly sober and industrious; none other need apply; write, stating reference and experience; steady position. T. H. McCULLOCH, 730 Pacific ave., Tacoma, Wash.

WANTED—A RELIABLE MAN TO PURchase an interest and become a partner in a cash business; must pay $75 cash, $100 per month, clean work; short hours, experience not necessary, as owner will teach you the business; cash required $300 to a suitable man. Call 355 S. HILL ST., room 1, open to investigation.

WANTED—MAN TO TAKE CHARGE AND manage cigar stand and 3-chair barber parlor, who can invest $375; this place will pay you $100 per month; you need not be a barber; experience not necessary; I will take part cash, the balance monthly payments. Call on owner, 355 S. HILL st., room 1.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN IN wholesale house as office assistant; must write fluent, legible hand, quick and accurate at figures. References required. Address in own handwriting, stating age, experience and salary expected. Address H, box 36, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OFFICE AND mercantile assistants should leave their applications with us for good positions; we ask no advance fee for our services, established in 1906; highest bank and mercantile references. Apply in person only. EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 525 Byrne Bldg.

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
503 W. Sixth st. Home 5253. Main 5353.
COOKS AND WAITERS.
Ranch hands, house and window cleaners.
BY HOUR, DAY OR CONTRACT. 18

WANTED—LARGE WHOLESALE HOUSE, paying its salesmen $1200 per year and extra commission, to sell staple line; general trade, desires two more men for 1907 to commence work at once, if possible. Address SAWYER, SELLIE & CO., Portland, Me.

WANTED — GOOD SALESMEN IN CITIES and small towns to sell our 7% per cent, gold bonds and 2 per cent. stocks; $100 per month and commission guaranteed under 6 months' contract; references required. 442-44 HUNTINGTON BLDG., Los Angeles.

WANTED — ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may make $100 monthly at home in spare time corresponding for newspapers; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, Lockport, New York.

WANTED—I HAVE A BUSINESS PROPOSItion that I should like to submit to a congenial young man who has money to invest his services to invest. Should net us $150 and up each, per month. Address D, box 53, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—IF YOU CAN SELL STOCK OF a company for 25 cents that will be worth $2 to $5 in twelve months and receive for your trouble a cash commission call at room 416 LAW BANK BLDG., Broadway and Second, Mercantile Trust elevator.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOGRAPHER, with clerical ability, grocery experience desirable. Address, in own handwriting, stating age and experience; salary to begin, $60 a month. Address F, box 62, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LARGE WHOLESALE HOUSE, paying its salesmen $1500 per year, and expenses to sell staple line to general trade, desires two more men for 1907 to commence work at once, if possible. SAWYER, LESLIE & CO., Detroit, Mich.

WANTED — BUTCHER AND SAUSAGE maker for Arizona, $75 and found; good job for right man; to one who can butcher to open a branch established 2 years; we make a specialty to order gowns, coats and aprons. EMIL KIRCHNER, 130 N. Main st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESMEN TO sell our spring dress goods, novelties, white goods, to retail country trade; profitable side line. Liberal commission. SOUTH PHILADELPHIA WOOLEN CO., box 1941, Philadelphia.

WANTED—MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF small grocery and cigar stand, who can invest in this place with security which will pay you $90 per month, rent only $12.50 monthly, experience not necessary. Call 355 S. HILL ST., room 1.

WANTED—SALESMAN; EXPERIENCED IN any line to sell general trade in California. An unexcelled specialty proposition; vacancy January 1; Confidential; $1200 a year. Give references; experience and salary expected. Address H, box 36, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OFFICE AND mercantile assistants should leave their applications with us for good positions; we ask no advance fee for our services, established in 1906; highest bank and mercantile references. Apply in person only. EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 525 Byrne Bldg.

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WANTED—LARGE WHOLESALE HOUSE, paying its salesmen $1200 per year and extra commission, to sell staple line to

Classified Liners.

WANTED— Help, Female.

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILLOWS for wholesale house in their homes. Will not be selling in order for Christmas trade. Steady work, good pay, full instructions free. IDEAL ART MFG. CO., 3206 S. Hill st. 9

WANTED—A TEACHER OR OTHER WELL-dressed lady, possessed of business tact, to obtain orders on her own efforts; must be of good reference and be willing to make a small investment necessary. Call Monday, after 10 o'clock, 64 BRYSON BLDG. 9

WANTED—ENERGETIC AND CAPABLE LADY in Los Angeles; also one in every county to take agency for a new and very necessary article for ladies and children. References required. Address B, box 99, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO CORRESPOND WITH A MAN who has had experience in education or first-class business lines, in regard to permanent position with established firm. Address, five days, D, box 99, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — YOUNG LADY COMPOSITOR; one who has had 3 years or more experience. L. A. RUBBER STAMP CO., 224 W. First st. 9

WANTED—WOMAN TO ACT AS WOMAN'S secretary; must be good stenographer; $30 month and luncheons. Apply 2089 W. ADAMS STREET. 9

WANTED — 6 MANGLE GIRLS, EXPERIenced or inexperienced; 2 sleevers, 2 markers. Apply at ROOM 215, Citizens' Nat. Bank Bldg. 9

WANTED — LADIES FOR HOME WORK for Christmas trade; good pay, steady work, experience unnecessary. Address D, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—WOMAN WHO THOROUGHLY understands the making of roll mops; good home work. Apply 31 A. NEWMARK & CO., 141 N. Los Angeles. Monday a.m. 9

WANTED — FOR STENOGRAPHY AND general office work, front rooms, second floor, 414½ S. Broadway. AMERICAN REAL ESTATE CO. 9

WANTED—GIRL FOR OFFICE, ONE WHO writes good fast business hand, quick and accurate at figures; no others wanted. CALIFORNIA LAUNDRY, 827 E. First. 9

WANTED—PASADENA, AT COOK, FAMILY of two and baby; light housework; good wages. Call Sunday morning or Monday, 1140 N. PASADENA AVE., Pasadena. 9

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS GIRL FOR GENeral housework and cook, $30. Call Monday morning between 9 and 12, 2844 BUDLONG AVE. 10

WANTED—A GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSEwork, nights and mornings, for room and board and $6 a month wages. Apply 2930 FRANCIS AVE. Phone 51870. 9

WANTED—3 GIRLS TO COPY ADDRESSES, must write plainly. Call Monday, 8:15; SUNSHOWRAM PUBLISHING CO., corner Belmont and Kane. 9

WANTED—FINE OPENING FOR RELIABLE stenographer for elegant large offices; plenty public work; must have own machine. 206 SEVERANCE BLDG. 9

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED CUSTOM shirt maker and collar and cuff maker. MACHIN SHIRT CO., 115½ Center Place. 9

WANTED—LADIES TO SELL SHOES AT SAMPLE SHOE SHOP, fifth floor Merchants Trust Bldg. Salesroom 502., 207 S. Broadway. Apply at once. 9

WANTED — GIRL TO CARE FOR 2 CHILdren, afternoons, from 4 to 8 and evening each week; $15 per month. Phone E1094, or call 732 S. ALVARADO ST. 9

WANTED — SOME ONE CAPABLE OF ACcurately correcting Munson Shorthand notes in simple correspondence, daily for one month. Address F, box 159, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — MOTHER AND DAUGHTER, or 2 sisters, companion to elderly lady; light general house work. Mrs. W. E. CHAMBERLAIN, 145 Wadsworth ave., Ocean Park. 9

WANTED — YOUNG LADY TO ANSWER telephone and help with house work; room, board and wages; easy work; suitable for student. 462 S. HOPE ST. 9

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER FOR SMITH-Premier; short hours; experience and reference required; wages $20 per month. Address E, box 31, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER IN RAILROAD office, small wages to start, with chance to work up with the company. 722 GROSSE BLDG., 6th and Spring. 9

WANTED — ASSISTANT BOOK-KEEPER; young lady, state experience; give phone number if any. Wages $8. Address PERMANENT, P. box 172, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SEVERAL CANDY PACKERS AT once. Must be quick; none but experienced persons wanted. Apply after 8 a.m. to H. IRVINE CO., 208 S. Spring. 9

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED LADY TO MANage apartment house; pays well. Must have little money. Address Y, box 153, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—WE BOOK FOR THE UNIQUE Theater; also for lodges and social, amateurs and professionals. DALEY, 701 S. Broadway. 9

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN OFFICE, also typewriting etc.; small wages to start with. COMMERCIAL PRINTING HOUSE, 208 S. Los Angeles st. 9

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL OR MIDDLE-aged woman to assist in light housework; small family and good pay. Call 1529 W. 7TH ST. 10

WANTED — SEAMSTRESS THAT UNderstands how to make stage costumes. Apply at PISCHER'S THEATER after 11 o'clock at the office, p.m. 9

WANTED—A COMPETENT WOMAN TO take care of children and assist with upstair work, good wages, none but first-class need apply. 2839 ELLENDALE PLACE. 9

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAIST FINishers, also first-class draper, steady position. 517 S. BROADWAY. M. E. Kelley. 9

WANTED—FIRST CLASS TAILORESS AT once, accustomed to work with coatmaker, steady work. MILLER, THE TAILOR, 639 W. 6th. 9

WANTED—STRONG, RELIABLE WOMAN for chamberwork, must be neat, go home nights. Apply THE PACIFICO, 613 Central ave. 9

WANTED — A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, 2 adults, German or Swede preferred, a good home for right party. 535 W. 28TH ST. 9

WANTED—IF UNEMPLOYED, CALL ON me, can guarantee $50 per month salary, no canvassing or employment agency. Call 1012½ FLORIDA ST. 9

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED STENOGrapher, who knows something about insurance. Call Monday, 424 HOMER LAUGHLIN BLDG. 9

WANTED—YOUNG LADY STENOGRAPHER and office assistant; good penman; permanent; $7.50 to start. Answer in own handwriting. Address A, box 29, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—GIRL FOR CANDY DEPARTment. Apply BISHOP & CO., Seventh and Alameda. Take Vernon car. Second and Spring, and get off at Seventh st. 9

WANTED — A COMPETENT NURSE MAID for child, 2½ years old. Apply at the PLUMACITA HOTEL, at 5th and Figueroa. Call in morning. 10

WANTED—WOMAN FOR HOUSEWORK; competent, reliable, $20. MRS. MILES, 5867 Harwood st., near San Pedro and Slauson ave. 9

WANTED — LADIES, HAVE YOU SPARE hours at home; make over fancy work, $3 to $6 per week. Address P.O. BOX 581, Station C. 9

WANTED—LADY WHO WILL TAKE AN interest in well-established business; large remuneration; little money required; investigate this at 404 E. NINTH. 9

WANTED—3 CHOCOLATE DIPPERS. PIECE work. Apply NEWBERRY, First and Vignes. 10

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS HELPERS ON coats. GEO. P. TAYLOR, 525 S. Broadway. 10

WANTED—3 EXPERIENCED WAITRESSES, HOTEL HOLLYWOOD, Hollywood House Bus. 9

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CHAMBERmaid. 409 EAST 5TH ST. Parker House. 9

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN WHO WANTS a good home for small service and company. 624½ ALVARADO ST. 9

WANTED — 25 WOMEN TO WORK AT Chutes; good wages. Call 217½ E. FIFTH ST., 12 to 6 p.m. Sunday. 9

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO ASSIST CASHier and answer telephones. Apply MARVEL MILLINERY, 241 S. Broadway. 9

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN FOR general housework. Apply 1117 SAN JULIAN ST. 9

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OPERATOR ON linings in Coat Department. Apply BRAUER & KROHN, 128 South Spring st. 9

WANTED—NEAT GIRL FOR BAKERY; must be experienced. 2531 CENTRAL AVE. 10

WANTED—NEAT GIRL; GENERAL WORK in good home; call Monday, 400 SOUTH BEAUDRY. 9

WANTED — WORKING HOUSEKEEPER who can do plain cooking. Address Y, box 152, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—THREE FIRST-CLASS EXPERIenced collar girls. Address Q, box 50, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—APPRENTICE FOR DRESSMAKing, small pay to begin and good opportunity to advance. 206 W. NINTH ST. 9

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; no washing; 4 in family. Apply 1977 PASADENA AVE. Phone C3017. 10

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, no washing; good wages. 2642 ELLENDALE PLACE. 9

WANTED— Help, Female.

WANTED—A GOOD PLAIN COOK FOR A private family in Monrovia, good position, good pay. Apply to W. H. SCARBOROUGH, 140 S. Broadway. 9

WANTED—FINISHERS, STARCHERS, BUNdle-room girls, lady clothes ironers and girls to learn. L. A. LAUNDRY CO., 621 San Fernando st. 9

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN, GERman preferred, general housework, family two, country, on cht 10th; half hour from city. Address D, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SANITARY belts; material all cut, ready to sew; $1.20 per dozen. Particulars, stamped envelope. LENOX CO., Dept. 441 Chicago. 9

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN matron for a children's home, must have first-class references. Address C, box 142, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BRIGHT, CLEVER, REFINED lady, amateur or professional, to assist comedian in sketches. Address C, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — YOUNG LADY COMPOSITOR; one who has had 3 years or more experience. L. A. RUBBER STAMP CO., 224 W. First st. 9

WANTED — WILL GIVE YOUNG GIRL pleasant home in exchange for light assistance in small family. 412 LAKE ST. 9

WANTED — NEAT RELIABLE GIRL IN small family. Apply 2310 S. FLOWER. 9

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, wages $25. Apply Monday, 1025 W. WASHINGTON ST. 9

WANTED — EXPERIENCED HELP IN dressmaking, also an apprentice. 218 S. BROADWAY, room 227 Copp Bldg. 9

WANTED—A HOUSEMAID, PREFER ONE who understands cooking. 1049 S. FLOWER. 9

WANTED—2 WAITRESS FOR SHORT ORder work, $25 a month and room and board. easy place. SOUTH 2247. 9

WANTED—A GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEkeeping in family of 2. Call Monday, 1248 W. 32ND. 9

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL WHO DESIRES good home with light duties and fair pay, to call 1028 W. FIRST, today. 9

WANTED — WOMAN TO DO CHAMBERwork, will give 4-room flat as payment. Inquire 141 TEMPLE ST. 9

WANTED — A NEAT YOUNG JAPANESE girl for light housework. Apply Monday, 852 W. 28TH ST. 9

WANTED—3 EXPERIENCED MARKERS and sorters. LOS ANGELES LAUNDRY CO., 621-633 San Fernando st. 9

WANTED—GIRL TO STRIP TOBACCO IN cigar factory. 1208 W. EIGHTH, in rear. 9

WANTED — CANDY SALESLADY; ONLY one with experience need apply. CHRISTOPHER BROS., 321 S. Spring. 10

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN TO DO light housework for two in family. 422½ TOWNE AVE. 9

WANTED — HOUSEKEEPER FOR LONE lady; wages $25; laundress, $2, car fare. 404 E. NINTH ST. 9

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER FOR WIDOW-er; wages $25; second girl, $25; nurse girl, $15. Call Monday, 404 E. NINTH ST. 9

WANTED — A COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework; two in family. 440 LAKE ST. 10

WANTED — HELPERS ON WAISTS AND skirts; apprentice girls to learn; good wages. 833 S. GRAND AVE. The Pickwick. 9

WANTED — COOK WHO CAN DO GOOD wholesome home cooking. Call after Sunday, 660 S. HILL. 9

WANTED—DRESSMAKER FOR FAMILY, one who can cut and fit nicely. Call after Sunday, 660 S. HILL. 9

WANTED — EXPERIENCED ALTERATION hand. Apply at once to MR. WILLIAMS, Supt. Coulter Dry Goods Co. 9

WANTED—MARRIED WOMAN TO HELP care for few rooms in exchange for rent of furnished room. PHONE 8394. 9

WANTED—A NO. 1 DRESSMAKER. CALL early in the morning. 8390 for information. S. FLOWER. 10

WANTED—STRONG WOMAN FOR ROOMing-house work. PHONE F3153. 9

WANTED — EXPERIENCED FITTERS, good salary. BOSS BROS. 9

WANTED—2 WAITRESSES FOR 1 PLACE. Call Monday, 680 S. HILL. 9

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST WITH general housework. Phone EAST 1895. 9

WANTED — 2 WOMEN IN TAMALE BUSIness. Call B. P. ROSS, 1st floor, 124 S. Main. 9

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO DO LIGHT housework. Apply 1559 E. 22ND. 9

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BON-BON DIPpers. Apply 341 S. BROADWAY. 9

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call at 1133 W. 21ST ST. 9

WANTED — CHAMBERMAID. CALL MONday 660 S. HILL. 10

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SILK SALESman. JACOBY BROS. 9

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST WITH light housework. 925 S. HOPE. 9

WANTED—PLAIN IRONERS. BRISTOL HAND LAUNDRY, 518 E. Ninth st. 9

WANTED—SALESLADY FOR THE ROAD, Room 13, 119½ S. SPRING ST. 9

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAKER AND trimmer. 657 S. BROADWAY. 9

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LADY TAILOR 244½ S. BROADWAY, room 4. 10

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HELPER ON trousers. Apply 2634½ N. FREMONT. 9

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN FOR CHILdren's nurse. Apply 332 W. ADAMS. 9

WANTED — WAITRESS, GOOD WAGES. Apply Monday a.m., 617 W. 6TH ST. 9

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG WOMEN. APply HILL ST. 9

A RELIABLE DRESSMAKER BY THE day. BROADWAY 2038. 21

WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT book-keeper and stenographer, male or female; one capable of taking charge of and managing down town booking office of large retail hardware store, and who can get out trial balances and statements promptly and correctly; to such a person a good position is offered; unless you can come up to the above requirements it is useless to reply. Address, with full particulars, references and salary desired, CANFIELD HARDWARE CO., 537 South Broadway. 9

WANTED — PASADENA EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 9 East Colorado, Pasadena. Both phones 1337.

Cook and second, together, $65; second girl, $30; chambermaid, $25; many places $20, $25; matron for institution, $30; child's nurse, $15; foreman orange ranch, $50 found. 9

WANTED—CAN YOU SING? CAN YOU dance Can you act? If so, appear Thursday night and be paid for it. Previous experience unnecessary. Apply Manager UNIQUE THEATER. 9

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN, NO HINdrance; regular employment, honorable and remunerative; no canvassing. Call drug store corner Third and MAIN, Monday, 9 to 12 a.m., 1 to 5 p.m. 9

WANTED — 4 TEACHERS FOR COUNTRY schools; wages $75 to $90; must be certificated. Call CO-OPERATIVE TEACHERS' AGENCY, 407 Chamber of Commerce, after 3:30 p.m., or evenings. 9

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED CANVASSERS for high grade book magazine proposition; excellent Christmas gifts; salary and commission to right parties. 541 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 9

WANTED — VAUDEVILLE SKETCHES, songs and parodies written to order. Professional and amateur talent wanted at all times. Amateurs desiring to become professionals investigate. 326 GROSSE BLDG. 9

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (To Learn Trades.)

THE LOS ANGELES HAIRDRESSING COLlege; the only college recognized as first-class in the city; we teach hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage in short time; students have careful training, positions waiting our graduates; all latest electrical appliances; expert instruction; diplomas and formulas given. Best opportunity ever offered. Call or write 204 MERCANTILE PLACE, near Spring, room 23. 9

WANTED—STRONG YOUNG MEN FOR firemen and brakemen on California and other railroads. Experience unnecessary. Firemen, $100 monthly, become engineers and earn $200. Brakemen $75, become conductors and earn $150. Name position preferred. Age 20 to 30; over 140 pounds and five feet five inches. Railway Association, XX, box 148, care LOS ANGELES TIMES. 9

FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, 227 MERCANTILE PLACE. Hairdressing free; manicuring, scalp and facial massage each 15c; French clay, almond and packs, 4 Swiss bleach, singeing, shampooing, each 15c; first-class operators. Hours 5 to 6. HOME 7397. 9

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WANTED—RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS; salary $800 to $1400; examination soon; extensive education unnecessary. Preparation free, until appointed. Write for plan. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Rochester, N. Y. 9

WANTED — MILLINERY MAKING THOROughly taught in European way, including trade making, on reasonable terms. Apply 1202 PICO, corner Rich. 9

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (To Learn Trades.)

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Make yourself worth a bigger salary; learn the "automatic tailor square system," absolutely the best in America; many of our graduates are holding high salaried positions, others successfully engaged in business for themselves. Call for further particulars. ROSENBLEET'S COLLEGE, 240 W. 7th. Thorough and Most Practical. 11

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AT THE LOS ANGELES AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL we teach you how to assemble and dissemble the automobile, give you a theoretical and practical demonstrations. In 6 weeks we fit you for the ever-increasing demand for first-class chauffeurs and engineers of the internal combustion engine. 1252 S. FLOWER. 13 Pico Chambers. 'Phone Broadway 3475.

LEARN THE PLUMBING TRADE. PLUMBers draw the best pay and have the shortest hours. Why stay in a low position at a small salary when in a short time you can learn a good trade and be independent of the employment offices; now is the time to start; do it today. Special club now forming at SPECIAL RATES. CALIFORNIA TRADE SCHOOL, 2300 Maple ave. Phones Home B3033, South 2138. 11

PRIVATE SHORTHAND LESSONS BY EXperienced teacher, speed dictation. Typewriter for home use. Terms reasonable. MISS MAUD BONNELL, 329½ S. Hill. 9

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED, UP-TO-DATE book-keeper or timekeeper desires position; young man, energetic; furnish best references. Address B, box 75, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — SITUATION BY AN EXPERIenced salesman, just from the East; good real estate proposition preferred. Address F, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—GROCERY MANAGER, WITH eastern and coast experience, desires position; best references furnished. Address F, box 52, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TINTING, $2 PER ROOM; 12-FT room papered, $2.50; painting; reference, E. H. CARPENTER, 525 Gladys ave. Phone Main 4257. 9

WANTED — RESPONSIBLE YOUNG MAN wishes position as general salesman or clerk in store; can furnish A-1 reference or cash bond. Call HOME phone 4286. 9

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GARDENER and florist wishes situation; city reference preferred private family. Address F, box 68, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — SITUATION BY GROCERYman of experience; 4 years in city; good solicitor and all-round man; best reference given. PHONE 2954, P.O. Box 755. 9

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WANTS POSItion as book-keeper or office assistant; seven years' experience; good references. Address D, box 4, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — YOUNG STRONG GERMAN wants situation in butcher shop where he can learn to cut meat. Address D, box 167, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — A MIDDLE-AGED EXPERIenced book-keeper, bank and office man with references, desires employment. Address F, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED MALE nurse and masseur would like the care of an invalid or position in an institution. Address B, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — JAPANESE, THOROUGHLY competent; long excellent cook; position in camp or hotel; willing any where. HASHI, 16 Plaza st., city.

WANTED—POSITION ON PRIVATE PLACE, good horseman, can milk and do general work. W. COATSWORTH, King house, 8, San Pedro st.

WANTED—SITUATION AS TRAVELING salesman, some experience, acquainted on Coast; educated man of 35. Address C, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—VALET, YOUNG MAN, WANTS position as valet; can run automobile; furnish best reference. Address C, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIenced coachman and gardener, highly recommended. Address E, box 160, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR FOR PRIVATE car; two years' garage experience; reasonable wages. Address F, box 186, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SITUATION, HOTEL MANAGER, with 15 years' experience Chicago hotels, would like position. Address C, box 54, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—NIGHT WATCHMAN WISHES position; 4 years' experience, best city references furnished; middle aged. Call up SOUTH 1968. 9

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS CARPENTER will do all work for 50c per hour. Tel. 473 South. Address J. M. DIETERK, 1540 Newton st. 9

WANTED—SITUATION AS BOOK-KEEPer by a first-class man; No. 1 accountant, for firm or corporation. Address C, box 9, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BAKER WANTS POSITION AS second baker, first-class man, steady and reliable, town or country. 2043 MIRANDA ST. 9

WANTED—SITUATION AS MINE FOREman; 20 years' practical experience; references. Address B, box 32, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, A SITUAtion in hotel as bookkeeper and stenographer, in exchange for room and board. Address E, box 134, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR; experience and recommendations. 221 W. 15TH. Main 7169. 9

WANTED — COLORED MAN WANTS JOB as janitor or porter in store. PHONE BROADWAY 3537. 9

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WISHES POSItion in grocery. Address C, box 55, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BY YOUNG COLORED MAN, as coachman. Address C, box 6, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR, 4 years' experience, best of references. CHAUFFEUR, Emmerich, Hotel Pepper. Private Exchange 17. 9

WANTED—BY STRONG HEALTHY YOUNG man of 24 years wishing to learn trade; communication with carpenter who desires a helper. Phone Sunday morning F2309. 9

WANTED—WILLING JAPANESE WISHES work or to take care of garden or cow and horse. MATSU. Phone Main 5087, 814 S. Main street. 10

WANTED — SITUATION, BAKER, FIRST class second hand; bread, cake, pies, pastry; city, country. BAKER, 2403 CENTRAL AVE. 10

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, EXPERIENCED around horses, would like work taking care of same, or teaming. Address C, box 86, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—A JAPANESE BOY WANTS A position as school boy in a country town. Z. WALKER, 421 S. San Pedro st., L. A., Cal. 12

WANTED—A NO. 1 GRAND RAPIDS FINisher has formula for making quartered oak and composition carving, will work on housework. W. DE P., 119 N. Flower st. 9

WANTED—COMPETENT MACHINIST AND repair man wants position driving four-cyl. inder car. Address Y, box 125, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—WORKING PARTNER IN 1ST-class produce and fruit market; $1500 for half interest, but terms can be had on part if necessary. 626 BRYSON BLK. 9

WANTED—SITUATION AS SCHOOL BOY near the Polytechnic High School by young Japanese, hoping small family as possible. Address FRANK, 1240½ E. Third st. 9

WANTED—SITUATION WANTED AS COLlector for some large wholesale house; have my own horses, and will give bond. Address E, box 49, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — THOROUGHLY COMPETENT book-keeper desires set of books to keep of evenings. Address F, box 138, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WOULD LIKE work; willing to learn trade; give references. Address F, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS SECRETARY OR manager over a gentleman's estate or ranch; eastern experience. Address F, box 145, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—YOUNG MAN ON CRUTCHES wants position; has years of active business experience; best references. Address F, box 109, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — BY COMPETENT OFFICE man, work part of the day, last part preferred. Address D, box 170, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—STUDENT WISHES HOLIDAY work, office work or grocery clerk; experienced in both lines. G. D. M., 1007 W. 36th. 9

WANTED—COMPETENT HOTEL MAN good address, wants a position of some kind; no objection to Arizona. Address E, box 80, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — WORK ON HOME PLACE, thoroughly understands taking care of lawns, city reference. Address D, box 111, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MIDDLE-AGED man as bookkeeper, clerk or light porter; willing to make himself generally useful in office, store or factory; familiar with French, German and Italian languages; small wages for steady situation. Address B, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — EMPLOYMENT BY THOROughly reliable book-keeper and accountant, all or part of the time. Experienced in wholesale, manufacturing, real estate, and autofeeible accounting. Reasonable remuneration. Can take charge of credits and correspondence. Address C, box 150, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—A HIGH CLASS OFFICE MAN, experienced accountant, familiar with card system and all up-to-date office systems; will be open, for engagements Jan. 1st; might consider also small investment with working interest, if conditions favorable. Address R, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—SINGLE MAN WOULD LIKE to engage as useful companion to gentleman permanently located or traveling; or would take charge of bachelor apartment; understands cooking and general inside work. Address D, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION BY MAN WHO HAS had good general business experience, good salesman, good collector, understands handling people, good reference; bond if required. Address D, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED — POSITION, DRAUGHTSMAN, superintendent; will make plans, estimates, take charge of construction for contractors, real estate company or private parties building, any class of construction; 20 years' experience in Eastern city. Address F, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SITUATION BY GARDENER who has exceptional references and unusual experience in laying out new grounds and improving old places, green-house work, building, etc.; does not attend to cows or chickens. BOX 163, Hollywood, Cal. 9

WANTED—JAPANESE F. S. S. EMPLOYment AGENCY. Phone Home 6766, Main 2351. 114 W. 2th st. All kinds of HELP PROMPTLY FURNISHED. Day work department. House and window cleaning by day or contract. 9

WANTED—ABOUT FIRST OF YEAR, POsition with A1 house; have 15 years' office experience; am a very accurate and rapid bookkeeper; eight years in this city, covering my entire time here with only 2 different firms; present salary $125. Address F, box 186, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—CITY SALESMAN, 3 YEARS' residence here; have eastern city and road experience, desire connection with established firm, staple or specialty line; healthy, hustler, local references and bond. Address E, box 174, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SOMETHING TO DO; EXPERIenced as city and traveling salesman, bookkeeper, manager branch house in New York City, possess business ability and presence, is hustler, good local references; pay what I am worth; what have you to offer? Address E, box 175, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—PAPER HANGER AND PAINTER. FIRST-CLASS, UP-TO-DATE MECHANIC WITH TEN YEARS' EXPERIENCE ON HIGH-GRADE WORK; MUST HAVE EMPLOYMENT; WILL GO ANYWHERE IN THE COUNTRY. ADDRESS E, BOX 136, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS COLLECTOR OR salesman with established house; competent bookkeeper, but want outside work; Eastern man, perfectly healthy three years' residence here, know the city well; local references and bond. Address E, box 178, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE WISHES position as porter in saloon or in store, bedmaker in hotel, office boy; has had much experience in San Francisco before in firm M. KENE, 437 Turner st., city. Phone Main 5594, Home 8340. 9

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, CODE CLERK, typewriter, solicits position in any capacity, speaks French, Italian, Spanish, etc., quick at figures, excellent references, would work in store or hotel. Address L. SMITH, 1418 W. 5th st. 9

WANTED—AI MAN WITH GILT-EDGED references will take position as book-keeper in mining town; experienced and reliable; understands organization and flotation of companies. Address B, box 170, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BY BOOKKEEPER, EMPLOYment, EXTENSIVE EXPERIENCE; CORporations and FIRMS; HIGHEST REFerences; RESPONSIBLE. ADDRESS WALANT, 3256 ORANGE AVE. 9

WANTED — POSITION BY CAPABLE salesman and solicitor; experienced, solicitors, business chances; gas and electric lighting and appliances; good references. Address F, box 38, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—GENTLEMAN OF GOOD APpearance and good health would like gentleel outside position; references and bond if required. Address F, box 119, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION BY MECHANICAL draftsman, experienced in general machinery, mining, car work and developing inventions. Address D, box 17, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — BUSINESS MAN, AGE 30, CLEVER EXECUTIVE AND SELLING ABILITY, MERCANTILE AND REAL ESTATE EXPERIENCE; BEST REFERENCE AS TO CHARACTER AND ABILITY; BOND IF DESIRED. ADDRESS E, BOX 1, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—UP AGAINST IT; YOUNG MAN, highly recommended, seeks work as night clerk, watchman, timekeeper, shipping clerk, or any position of trust; lost right hand, give him a show. Satisfaction guaranteed. Address D, box 124, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED BY STEADY YOUNG MAN, age 21, position as stenographer with good firm; lately completed course; been working for three months; references as to character. Call up MAIN 3464 Sunday. Ask for "M." 9

WANTED—AI MAN WITH GILT-EDGED references will take position as bookkeeper in mining town; experienced and reliable; understands organization and flotation of companies. Address B, box 170, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SITUATION, RANCH FOREman; had 5 years' experience range foreman and several years with dairy; understands irrigating and alfalfa. Address F, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGE 20, DESIRES situation as hotel clerk; 10 years' experience; city or country. Address B, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — DRAUGHTING, PATENT OFfice, machine design, or detail drawings; give us a trial; satisfaction guaranteed, CHAS. C. BOGART, room 1078, Grosse Bldg., corner 6th and Spring. 9

WANTED—YOUNG REAL ESTATE MAN wishes position with reliable firm as agent or bookkeeper, or both; small salary and commission; references. Address C, box 161, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED JAPANESE YOUNG MAN wants situation as chauffeur; has had 2 years' experience; best of recommendations; cleaning, caring and driving. S. MORISHIMA, 245 Winston st. 10

WANTED—SITUATION IN CITY, COUNtry or Mexico, by gentleman, good salesman, speaking also Spanish and French; good references. Address C, box 106, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—YOUNG MARRIED MAN REcently located in Los Angeles, desires position as timekeeper or assistant foreman. Is hustler and willing to work; references. Address D, box 120, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — PURCHASING AGENT OR good office man, desires position with good firm; 10 years' experience, recently located Los Angeles; best references. Address D, box 161, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — POSITION AS COACHMAN BY young married man; wife to do second work or nursing; both experienced; best of references, in or out of city. H. M. CARTER, 622 Maple ave. 2

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED MAN WANTS work on private place; is handy with horses; can milk one cow; is good working gardener and handy with chickens. HENRY ROAKOFF, General Delivery, Los Angeles. 9

WANTED — A RESPECTABLE ELDERLY man wants employment on a ranch; can milk; willing to handle a two-horse team and chore about place; wages $15 per month. Address F, box 192, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—POSITION; A LADY OF REfinement and experience wishes position as traveling companion. HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 204 E. Second st. 9

WANTED—BY A JAPANESE, SITUATION as school boy, 2 people or less, no children; speaks English; wages no object; city or country. Address D, box 132, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED young office man and accountant is open to engagement; would consider position in Nevada mining camp. Address F, box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, STUDENT International Correspondence Schools, position in electrical supply house or as mechanical draftsman. Address 241 W. 23RD ST. Phone South 3458. 9

WANTED—A BOY OF 18 WANTS SOME INside job for the winter; is strong and willing to labor. Address D, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS CARD WRITER in store; young man; experienced. Address Y, box 126, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED hotel or real estate man; something good. 935 GARFIELD AVE., Pasadena. 9

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WANTS WORK ON ranch near city; 3 years' experience in orchard. Address C, box 10, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION, FIRST-CLASS BUTler and thorough houseman, city references. Address D, box 110, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—CARPENTER, FIRST CLASS mechanic wants job, can get out plans and details. Phone SOUTH 2968. 9

WANTED — JAPANESE MAN, GARDENer, with wife, cook. PHONE HOME C8044. 11

WANTED—POSITION, YOUNG MAN, MAchinist, experienced, on gasoline engines and pipe fitting. BOX 27, INGLEWOOD. 9

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING AND PAper hanging done cheap by day or job. PHONE MAIN 4243. 9

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WANTS WORK, teaming, city or country; experienced. Address B, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—AN EXPERT ACCOUNTANT wants your work, temporary or permanent. Address E, box 151, TIMES OFFICE. 16

WANTED—AMERICAN WANTS TO HELP carpenter; experienced. R. S., 644 Wall st., cottage 6. 9

WANTED — SITUATION FOR STRONG, capable young man of 24, on ranch. PHONES 745, Pasadena. 9

WANTED—GERMAN GARDENER WANTS position on private place. Address G. G., 2118 Hobart blvd. 9

WANTED—F. K. PAGE, CONTRACTOR for brick plastering, repairing boiler setting, etc. Phone PARK 2026. 9

WANTED—JAPANESE WANTS ANY 8-hour work. 322 S. ALVARADO ST. E1706. 9

WANTED—GARDENER TAKES CARE OF lawns by the month, or day work. Address D, box 115, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BY JAPANESE, POSITION TO do any work between 8 and 12. Address E, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS CLERK IN GROcery store; 6 years' experience; references. Address F, box 128, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—BY A

Classified Liners.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITION AS COOK IN FIRST-class family, by competent cook. Address 120 E. EASTLAKE AVE. 9

WANTED—EXPERIENCED COOK WISHES situation. Apply 2931 SUNRISE ST., corner Norfolk and Stephenson ave. 10

WANTED—COOK WANTS WORK IN FAMILY, is first-class and strictly sober. Phones MAIN 3627 HOME F1309. 9

WANTED—WAITRESS WISHES SITUATION in hotel or nice restaurant. Phones HOME F1309, MAIN 3627. 9

WANTED—SITUATION BY COMPETENT Swedish girl as cook or general work. Wages $30 and $35. 1046 S. GRAND. 9

WANTED—CHAMBER WORK BY EXPERIenced worker. Phone HOME F1309, MAIN 3627. 9

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSEWORK BY German girl who likes children. Phones HOME F1309, MAIN 3627. 9

WANTED—FAMILY'S WASHING TO DO at home, from hotels or residences, by a colored laundress. PHONE BDWAY. 2837. 10

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY; WASHing and cleaning. Call phone HOME F1309, MAIN 3627. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS COMPANION OR care for elderly lady. Address D, box 121, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BY COLORED WOMAN, WASHing and ironing at home, or day's work. MAIN 2344. 10

WANTED—LADY WOULD CARE FOR TWO children from 2 to 4 years. 1470 W. 28TH ST., Phone West 3067. 9

WANTED—IF YOU NEED A COMPETENT Christian Science nurse, PHONE 53128. Price $2 per day. 9

WANTED—DAY WORK, WASHING, IRONing; $2. Address F, box 149, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN WANTS work by day or week. PHONE SOUTH 3224. 10

WANTED — SITUATION, HOUSEWORK; town; clean home; a little girl. PHONE HOME 3805, Monday. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS SECOND ON piano, for violin, few evenings in week. S. N. H., L. 9

WANTED—GERMAN GIRL WISHES DAY work; washing, ironing or cleaning. Call MAIN 6398. 9

WANTED—WASHING AND IRONING TO do at home by colored woman. Call MAIN 6398. 9

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN WANTS day's work, washing or ironing, or house cleaning. SOUTH 4317. 9

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MANICURist; best of references. Address F, box 135, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—YOUNG SCHOOL GIRL, POSition in doctor's office or similar employment. Address F, box 135, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — WASHING, IRONING, CLEANing, clean, good. PHONE BDWAY. 6399, Monday. 9

WANTED — SITUATION, CHILDREN'S dressmaker. MRS. A. CARLSON, 1229 Harvard blvd. 9

WANTED—TRAINED NURSE WISHES ENgagement; first-class in obstetrical cases. 528 S. CUMMINGS ST. 9

WANTED BY FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER engagements by the day. PHONE MAIN 3627. 10

WANTED—A PLACE TO TAKE CARE OF baby and light work by an old lady. Call Monday, R3312. 9

WANTED — SITUATION; COMPETENT stenographer; seven years' experience; references. SOUTH 1407. 9

WANTED—POSITION AS STENOGRAPHER; experience; references. 221 W. 15TH. Phone Main 1295. 9

WANTED — SITUATION, COMPETENT cook, German; light housework. PHONE HOME F1309, WEST 1989. 9

WANTED — GOOD ALL AROUND HAND at dressmaking. MRS. BUCKSHAUM, 222 S. Grand, modern. 9

WANTED—FANCY WASHING TO TAKE home, 842 SANTEE ST. 9

WANTED — WOMAN HOUSE WORK. Plain cook; call Monday, 766 W. 23RD ST. 9

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY; WASHing or cleaning. HOME PHONE 62151. 9

WANTED — DAY WORK BY A COMPEtent woman. BROADWAY 3389. 9

WANTED—TYPEWRITING; PIECE WORK. Telephone Home Ex. tr., APT. 484. 9

WANTED — YOUNG WOMAN WISHES house cleaning by the day. 5429. 11 FLOWER ST.

WANTED—DAY'S WORK FOR TUESDAY. PHONE F3629. 9

WANTED — GIRLS WANT DAY WORK. BOYLE 391. 9

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—MARRIED COUPLE WANT POsition, man work and garden, wife household, wife good cook, or take care of apartment house. Phone Home 7062. Address D, box 110, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SITUATION; A YOUNG MAN tried couple, both trained masseurs, would like to travel with aged couple; rheumatism or paralysis preferred. Address D, box 159, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — YOUNG GERMAN-AMERICAN couple from the East wishes position in hotel or restaurant as waiter or bartender; wife waitress or chambermaid. JOE FISCHER, 1035 Towne ave., city. 10

WANTED — MAN AND WIFE WANT POsition, private place, or ranch; wife plain cook, man general work; city or country. 853 S. FLOWER. Phone Broadway 4660. 9

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE, WITH child, position taking care of poultry or fruit ranch; woman to cook and man to work outside. Address C, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — CALL AMERICAN EMPLOYMENT OFFICE for all colored help. Phone Main 6368. Crumbly & Anderson. 11

WANTED—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED — MONEY IN MUSHROOMS. Can begin by either or in cellars, stables, gardens, etc., whole year. Send for free booklet and learn this profitable business. DEPT. 18, Eastern Importing Co., Brighton, Mass. 9

WANTED—AGENTS CAN EASILY MAKE $10 a day selling our GOLD WINDOW LETTERS, NOVELTY SIGNS and CHANGEABLE SIGNS. Catalogue free. SULLIVAN CO., 405 W. Van Buren st., Chicago, Ill. 9

WANTED—AGENTS FOR OUR "ECONOMY" harness riveter; holds enough rivets to do several dollars of repairing, yet sells when loaded for $1. THOMAS FOOTE, 237 BAUCHET STREET, Los Angeles. 9

WANTED—AGENTS IN ALL GAS TOWNS in California, to sell Wiederhold Inverted Gas Lamps. See display ad in supplement. WESTERN LIGHT AND FIXTURE CO., 317 W. Second street. 9

WANTED—
Live agents to sell real estate; extra good sellers, extra good values and extra good commissions. Call on H. W. CLARK at 475 Pacific Electric Bldg.

WANTED—"SKIDOO" GAME HIT OF CENtury; beats "Pit," "Flinch" and all else, for quick sales, big profit; write quick. MILWAUKEE TOY CO., 446 Clinton st., Milwaukee. 9

WANTED — SEVERAL FIRST CLASS agents to handle high class proposition. Inducements will be good to desirable parties. HARRIS & McDERMOTT, No. 522 S. Main st. 9

WANTED — CANVASSERS, LADIES AND gentlemen, for the California Medicated Healing Soap, breaks fastest; water, cures dandruff. 1026½ S. FIGUEROA. 9

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS SOLICITOR FOR newspaper in this city; advertising and subscription; must be hustler. Address F, box 140, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — AGENT, MALE OR FEMALE, to sell stocks, first-class easy selling proposition. Call ROOM 623 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. 9

WANTED—$75 WEEKLY EASILY MADE selling eyeglasses. Write today for free "Booklet D." It tells how. NATIONAL OPTICAL COLLEGE, St. Louis. 9

WANTED—AGENTS TO SELL STOCK; CAN make good money, as it is first-class proposition. Call ROOM 623 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. 9

WANTED—PICTURE AGENTS; LARGE 24x28 inch framed wall pictures; price to sell for big easy; 120 subjects. PICTURE FRAME FACTORY, Wayne, Ill. 9

WANTED — EXPERIENCED ADVERTISing solicitor on good proposition; chance to make big money; must be a hustler. Call at 123 MAIN BLOCK. 10

WANTED — SPECIALTY OR GENERAL line; wants position, trade getter. At road man; references; bond if wanted. Address D, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—AGENTS TO SELL ROOF PAINT that is guaranteed five years; liberal commission. Call Monday after 9:30. E. E. MONROE, 1779 E. Main st., city. 9

WANTED — CANVASSER TO SELL THE perfect spoolholder; sells quick for $1. Manufacturer, 250 CYPRESS AVE., Pasadena. 9

WANTED—SEVERAL LIVE BUSINESSgetting solicitors for brand-new idea, worth $5 per day to any hustler. 713½ S. OLIVE. 9

WANTED — EXPERIENCED AGENT FOR art novelty; something new; quick seller; big profit. Call 208 N. SPRING, room 101. 9

WANTED — SOLICITORS, COMMISSIONS advanced; good paying proposition. Call 441 BRADBURY BLDG., Monday. 9

WANTED—GOOD LIVE SOLICITOR, FOR publishing house; good salary. Apply BROWN, 21 New High. 9

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—
A practical machinist to take two-fifths interest in iron works, now crowded with orders; the interest is worth nearly double what is asked, besides getting good pay. The present owner is aged and wishes to retire; price $3500; will take good realty.

Partner, lady or gentleman, in old established business in preparation for the toilet; skin foods, massage creams, medicated soaps, hair tonic and other articles on which the profit is enormous.

Incoming partner will be taught the business and take charge of the office and sales; this is a splendid chance to get into a good business; only $900 required; will take part in trade.

Partner in manufacturing company, established several years, doing a special class of work, which pays well; only $275 needed, and a worker to take charge of office work.

Partner, with $250 in electrical contracting business; have contracts for over $1000, partly completed; want a man who knows something about wiring and willing to work, and money can be made.

NOBLE, with Harris & Jones,
133 S. Broadway.

WANTED—
If you desire to connect yourself with a nice, clean, highly profitable and thoroughly established manufacturing business, this will prove no disappointment to you.

This prosperous and rapidly growing enterprise is well and favorably known among local building circles, being at once recognized as standing second to none in its line, having extensive business relations with the leading builders of the city and indeed, the city of Los Angeles itself stands among its best customers.

The fact that a controlling interest can be secured on an investment of only $6500 should appeal to any wide awake business man desiring an active interest in a live local manufacturing business of similar proportions.

The proposition, of course, carries with it a good salary, in addition to which your investment will return handsome dividends. The balance of stock is held principally by active members and workers in the concern which virtually insures the institution against labor troubles. Its many thousand dollars' worth of contracts ahead is an immediate guarantee of continued success and prosperity, while its field is practically unlimited.

I. M. HOLLINGSWORTH, 204 Fay Bldg. 9

WANTED—
ESTABLISHED RETAIL BUSINESS OF 5 YEARS' STANDING.

WOMEN'S GARMENTS ENTIRELY

HAS MADE FORTUNES FOR OTHERS AND WILL DO THE SAME FOR YOU.

Owner is wealthy and wants to retire; in heart of city; under one name and place for 5 years; will prove to you, on inspection, $90,000 a year, and continually increasing; more than 10 per cent. profit; stock will invoice at $12,500, which sum will purchase the name; will accept good note as part payment; rent $250. Owner will stay until you master every detail of this magnificent and profitable business.

Investment Department No. 4.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 9

WANTED—A LADY WHO HAS JUST RECEIVED $10,000 from the sale of real estate, wishes to become associated with some people able to invest equal amount of money as herself, for the purpose of forming a company to buy certain lands and open valuable options on acreage, which will bear closest investigation; money can be trebled in few months; full particulars will be furnished personal interview, when business references will be given and required. Real estate agents, or people dealing through agents, need not reply to this advertisement. Address Y, box 151, TIMES OFFICE. 9

ADDITIONAL CAPITAL OBTAINED FOR MERCHANTS AND MANUFACTURERS.

We have clients desiring to take partnership interests, also to purchase desirable business projects that can show a legitimate profit on the investment. Apply Investment Department 4.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. Third st.

WANTED—PARTNER—SMART, CAPABLE, energetic young man, about 25 years of age, to take complete charge of a department in advertising company; will have to invest $3000. Position a lasting one. Party must be able to stand thorough investigation. Curiosity seekers, time seekers, etc., need not apply. Prefer married man who has faith in himself and California. Address for interview C, box 197, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CAPABLE YOUNG MAN TO buy partner's controlling interest in a manufacturing proposition that with the proper management there is scarcely a limit to the possibilities of this well known product; about $2000 required; references made and required; fullest investigation allowed. Address F, box 99, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—PARTNERS: I WANT A MAN or woman to join me in Arizona enterprise, requires $600; salary $25 per week, share of profits exceed $100 month; if you want a good job answer this and DO IT NOW. Consumptive can do work, and Arizona's the place if you're sick. Address D, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—I HAVE A SPLENDID OPENING for a bright, active man to take an interest in my merchant tailoring business; have a first-class location and equipment; business established and doing much an extent that I require a partner to handle the growing end. For full particulars address E, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—
PARTNER; OLD-ESTABLISHED BUSINESS, PAYING LARGE REVENUE ANNUALLY; $600 DOWN, BALANCE ON EASY TERMS. GIVE REFERENCES, AGE AND PHONE NUMBER. ADDRESS D, BOX 109, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—PARTNER. I WANT TO SELL one-half interest in a good hardware and paint store, good location, good trade and still enlarging; need help; good chance for the right man; about $10,000 stock, all new; all new goods. Address C, box 73, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—ABLE LAWYER, MIDDLE AGE, with high practice home, not over $6000; city or country. (No agents.) Address B, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—BEST LOT $2000 OR LESS WILL buy; also new modern 6 or 7-room cottage, $2500 to $4000; must be within blocks of the University of Southern California. PHONE B1272. 9

WANTED—TO PURCHASE SMALL RANCH with water, San Diego way preferred; some fruit started; good suitable for chicken and poultry. Address D, box 89, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—LOS ANGELES RESIDENCE OR business property; give particulars, price, location. Address F, box 88, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO BUY NEW, MODERN about 6-room home for cash, state description, also location, not answer except bargain, must have immediate possession. Address D, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—HAVE CLIENT WITH $4500 TO invest on a good piece of income property; must be close in and will not assume; owners, CAL GRAYSON, with R. A. COLLINS, 317 Byrne Bldg. 9

WANTED — LOT BETWEEN PICO AND Adams, near city limits; east or north exposure; give exact location and price for cash; must be bargain. Address D, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—2 TO 5 ACRES CLOSE IN; would prefer south of city, improved or unimproved; can pay $1000 to $2000; state price and location; to 1043 E. 31st st. A. GIERBRECHT.

WANTED—BY FITZACKERLY & CO., 452½ S. Broadway, room 305; 4, 5 and 6-room cottages to sell on the installment plan. We have calls for them. Call or phone Broadway 2777; Home F6742. 9

WANTED—I CAN SELL YOUR PROPERTY if your price is right and you may depend on it. List it with me.
J. W. CUNNINGHAM & CO.,
210-213 Byrne Bldg.

WANTED — MONETA AND VERMONT ave. and Figueroa frontage; also lots on cross streets between Jefferson and Slauson ave. Telephone South 1282; Home 29667. Address F, box 181, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—NEAR HOLLENBECK PARK, 5 or 6-room modern cottage or bungalow; have customer waiting for same. What have you?
216-17-18 Fay Bldg. Main 8366, A8746. 9

WANTED—2 GOOD LOTS FROM OWNERS for cash; also one large lot, 60x75 foot front, to build bungalow on; must be west of Roosevelt, between 16 and Adams, cash is waiting if price is right.
C. G. HUTCHINSON, 1852 W. Washington, Phone W. 1711. 9

WANTED—WASHINGTON ST.
I have parties wanting Washington st. frontage, west of Burlington ave., list your property with me if you want to sell. S. G. HUTCHINSON, 1852 W. Washington. Phone W. 1711. 9

WANTED—THE BEST BARGAIN IN COTtages or bungalows southwest, up to $3000 cash. Buyer waiting.
ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
125 Mer. Trust Bldg. Home A9242. M. 2232. 9

WANTED — TO PURCHASE REAL Estate; I have $2000 cash and am looking for a real estate bargain; who can show me a quick profit? Owners or agents please be fully. Address B, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$140 CASH READY FOR BEST piano I can get for the money; no objection to second-hand; state make, style, condition, etc.; no higher price considered. E. S. D., 374 PAC. ELEC. BLDG. 9

WANTED—2, 3 OR 4-FLAT BUILDING; must be a bargain and show good interest on investment; have ready customer and money. CHAS. L. SAVAGE, 621 Grosse Bldg. Phone Broadway 5016. 9

WANTED—IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR 4 OR 5-ROOM HOUSE BETWEEN CENTRAL AND VERMONT, ANSWER BEFORE WEDNESDAY. MUNHOLLAND & DEVERILA, 312 DELTA BLDG. MAIN 8702. 9

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE COLORTD family, modern 5-room cottage, southeast preferred, about $2300, $500 cash and monthly payments. Address D, box 173, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—$25,000 TO $50,000, IMPROVED, from 4th to Pico, Figueroa to Main. If you have a bargain see me. H. P. ERNST, room 312 Tajo Bldg., corner 1st and Broadway. 9

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—TO RENT A FURNISHED home; a well-to-do newly-married couple desire to rent a modern up-to-date, furnished home for from six months to a year, in the best residence district in the city, with six to eight rooms and automobile barn; prefer to take home belonging to parties who desire responsible people as tenants, while owners are absent; references exchanged. Address W. S. COLLINS, room 209, W. S. Collins Bldg., 215 W. Third st. 9

WANTED—A NEAT 5 OR 6-ROOM COTtage, located west of Figueroa and north of Jefferson, only 2 in family, rent must be reasonable, would like option to buy during occupancy, give location and price per month. Address F, box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO RENT, 6 OR 7-ROOM MODern house, with hardwood floors, good tenant; also flats and houses, furnished and unfurnished. List your houses with us; we have tenants waiting.
THE D. J. SUTTON REALTY CO.,
705-6 Fay Bldg.

WANTED — TO RENT 3 ROOMS FOR housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished, in a small cottage, with privilege of keeping a few chickens, must be close to yellow cars and close in. Address F, box 29, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — HOUSES, FLATS, STORES, etc., kept rented; collections made promptly; repairs, taxes, etc., looked after for non-residents or others; no charge except regular collection fee; bond furnished. EARL CLARK CO., Rental Agents, 202 Frost Bldg. 9

WANTED — A MODERN BUNGALOW IN southwest, on installments. Will put in $1000 first mortgage as first payment. Address TRADE REALTY COMPANY, 702 S. Spring. 9

WANTED—3 OR 4-ROOM MODERN FLAT, in southwest part city, walking distance preferred; state location and price. Address F, box 49, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—
To Purchase Real Estate.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE BARGAIN IN improved or unimproved real estate, about $4000; might assume small amount; southwest preferred; submit what you have at once. W. C. NORMAN, 519 Fay Bldg. Phone A1338. 9

WANTED—TO BUY, 4 OR 5-ROOM HOUSE for cash, right down, near 9th and Santa Fe. Call Monday as our buyers is anxious to buy.
INTERNATIONAL LOAN AND REALTY CO.,
108-10-11 Henne Blk., 122 W. 3rd st. 9

WANTED—WE WANT THAT COTTAGE OR house to rent. We have customers waiting for it; list with us if you want it rented.
DUNTON, 225 West First st. Phones Broadway 5285, Home 6532.

WANTED—TO BUY FROM OWNER, ONLY 5 or 6 rooms, modern cottage, from $2500 to $4000; also a good rooming house; have cash; from owner only. DUNTON, 225 West First st. Broadway 5285. Home 6532.

WANTED — FROM OWNERS ONLY; WE have customer for a 5 or 6-room cottage, or bungalow; lot must be no less than 50 feet frontage; will pay $100 cash. J. S. UNDERWOOD & CO., 607 Crocker Bldg., corner Sixth and Spring. Phone A5611. Broadway 2829. 9

WANTED — LIST YOUR PROPERTY; if you want to sell, and the property is desirable and offered cheap, we will find you a buyer at once. RICHARDS INVESTMENT CO., 424 Byrne Bldg., 3rd and Broadway. Phone 6116. 9

WANTED — WRITE ME, GIVING FULL particulars if you have 5 or 6-room cottage in southwest of city or Long Beach, about $2500; will be closed, must be cheap; $2000 to $2500; no agents. Address D, box 104, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, 10 OR 15 ACRES improved alfalfa ranch, with plenty of water, near electric line, not more than 12 miles from Los Angeles; price must be right; give location and particulars. BOX 52, Rural Route 2, Buena Park.

WANTED—5 OR 6-ROOM COTTAGE, NORTH of 29th and south of 17th; must be a cottage and not more than $3800, about $1400 cash; want to show Sunday. 1044 S. AVAGE, 621 Grosse Bldg. Phone Broadway 5016. 9

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, MODERN house on or near car line, following prices, $25 monthly, balance within 2 years without interest, no commission, good reference. HEATH, 3314 S. Spring. 9

WANTED—FROM OWNER, CLEAR VACant or lot with small cottage, small cash payment, balance monthly, southwest preferred; describe. Address D, box 49, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—A GOOD LOT WEST OF FIGueroa, north of 16th, south of Sixth and east of Hoover, with no restrictions, not over $4000. A. P. GARNIER, 509 Delta Bldg., 436 S. Spring. Tel. F7470. 9

WANTED—TO PURCHASE $1200 TO $1500 lot with half hour's wagon drive from Hill and Fourth sts. Will pay one-third down. I intend to erect store on lot with flat over boiler. Address E, box 131, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, WE HAVE customers for lots located in the southwest; equal full cash prices and will pay cash. BROWN, SON & CO., 2205 Hoover. West 409, Home B2333. 9

WANTED—THE BEST LOT WE CAN BUY for $1200, southwest, east from only considered, will pay cash. RICHARDS INVESTMENT CO., 424 Byrne Bldg., 3rd and Broadway. Phone 6116. 9

WANTED — WE WILL PAY CASH FOR choice lots southwest, must be east fronts and cheap. RICHARDS INVESTMENT CO., 424 Byrne Bldg., 3rd and Broadway. Phone 6116. 11

WANTED—TO BUY; SOME ONE DISSATISfied with California and wishing to sell must have bargain; a home, not over $6000; city or country. (No agents.) Address B, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—
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Owner is wealthy and wants to retire; in heart of city; under one name and place for a quarter of a century; over $90,000 a year, and continually increasing; more than 10 per cent. profit; stock will invoice at $12,500, which sum will purchase the name; will accept good note as part payment; rent $250. Owner will stay until you master every detail of this magnificent and profitable business.

Investment Department No. 4.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 9

WANTED—
BY PARTY THAT WISHES TO open a rooming house, 30 rooms, or over, an empty house; must be close in and reasonable. Answer. Address F, box 127, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—FOR FAMILY OF 3, SPLENDID modern 5-room bungalow, Angeleno Heights, Highland Park, Oneonta Park, Boyle Heights, Hollywood or any high ground. C. W. NICK, 1st floor Pacific Bldg. Main 6176. 9

WANTED—TO RENT 100 ACRES OF GRAIN land on the shares, the party to furnish everything and get half of the crop. Address W. SWANK, 274 Richmond st., 9 S.

WANTED—BY TWO REFINED LADIES, one pleasant room; light housekeeping privileges preferred; not over $12. In reasonable distance. Phone after Sunday from 10 to 1, A1962 or address E, box 147, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—LIST YOUR CLOSE-IN BUSIness and industrial property for rent with me; this is my specialty. CAL. RENTAL AGENCY, 218 S. Broadway, Room 337. 9

WANTED—DESK-ROOM IN OFFICE FOR real estate; must be with no other real estate firm. Address D, box 69, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—A FURNISHED 7-ROOM HOUSE or flat, close or reasonably close in, before 15th of December. 1036 S. HOPE ST. Home 3697. 9

WANTED—TO LEASE APARTMENT OR rooming-house of 20 to 50 rooms in good location. Furnishings must be first-class. Address V, box 170, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO RENT HOTEL OR APARTment house, furnished; not less than 60 rooms; must pay good rental in advance for same. Address F, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—ON OR BEFORE JAN. 1, 4 OR 5-room furnished cottage or flat, near car line. Adults. Address C, box 33, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SMALL FURNISHED FLAT OR cottage within 15 minutes' car ride from business center; state terms and full particulars. Address C, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO RENT WITH PRIVILEGE of purchasing, new or nearly new six-room cottage, Colegrove or vicinity. IOWA REALTY CO., 514 Bryson Blk. 9

WANTED — A FURNISHED COTTAGE, modern, in University, or 8-room apartment with bath; state price. Address C, box 9, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—I WANT TO HIRE TEAM driver and wagon with large box, for hauling wood, 2 weeks or more. - Write HEYENSCHNEIDER, 345 N. Union. 9

WANTED—TO RENT FOR REAL ESTATE office, half of room in prominent modern building; give location. Address F, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—DESK IN QUIET OFFICE BY lady; not to exceed $5 per month. References. Address B, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — WE WANT HOUSES AND flats for rent in all parts of the city; furnished and unfurnished. HOMESEEKERS REALTY CO., 647 S. HILL ST. 9

WANTED—A MODERN 6-ROOM HOUSE, with small barn, between First and 10th, and Main and Figueroa. Phone today, SOUTH 2425. 9

WANTED — A GOOD HOME FOR AN old gentleman; is an invalid. Call at Room 408, 426 S. SPRING, Monday between 2 and 3 p.m. 9

WANTED — TO RENT 15 OR 20-ROOM house, close in. PALMER & NORTON, 605 Grant Bldg. Phone A8124, Main 3740. 9

WANTED—TO RENT ONE OR TWO ROOMS, centrally located, with bath tub, and instantaneous heater, suitable for massage parlor. Address F box 159, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—DESK ROOM JAN. 1, WITH phones, in office building. Address G. W. BAILEY, 421 S. Broadway ave. 9

WANTED—TO RENT BARN TO HOLD 2 horses and rig. Address E, box 171, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO RENT PASTURAGE FOR cows and horses. JOHN W. SNOWDEN, 528 San Pedro st. Phone F7262, Main 2459. 9

WANTED—8 OR 9-ROOMED FURNISHED house, close in; all adults; references. Address F, box 33, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SPACE IN EITHER GROCERY store or meat market for tea and coffee counter. Address C, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — TO RENT AN AUTOMOBILE with driver, for a trip of one month. Call up Sunday. WEST 2941. 9

WANTED—TWO NICE OFFICES IN BUSIness center; will buy furniture. 407 MASON BLDG. 10

WANTED—GOOD SECOND-HAND HOTEL range, 6 ft. Call up MAIN 6305. 10

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WANTED—
QUICK TURNS—QUICK.
Come to us for results. We buy and sell
Big tracts, ranches, groves,
City properties.
What bargains have you?
Represent capital and colonists.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC LAND COMPANY,
9 3rd floor Severance Bldg., 6th and Main.

WANTED—5 ROOM COTTAGE ON ELEvated lot, not over $2500; $2500 would be better; have buyer who will buy this week.
To buy Los Angeles property up to $35,000 equity and pay for it with a beautiful tract of rich orange land, consisting of 671 acres, cheap water; oranges ripen in Oct. Nov. and Dec.; none better; always sell high prices. Tract would easily sell for $100 per acre if cut up into 20's and 40's.
EYMAN REALTY CO., 111 S. Broadway. Tel. Main 5731. 9

WANTED—
A NUMBER OF GOOD 5 AND 6-ROOM HOUSES IN THE SOUTHWEST. IF YOU WISH TO DISPOSE OF YOUR PROPERTY PROMPTLY LIST WITH US AS WE HAVE A LARGE NUMBER OF CLIENTS LOOKING FOR THIS KIND OF PROPERTY. SEND FULL DESCRIPTION BY MAIL OR PHONE. PIONEER INVESTMENT COMPANY, 204 GRAY BLDG., 4TH AND BROADWAY. PHONES—MAIN 1583, EX. 277. 9

WANTED — TO BUY HOUSE AND LOT, land or large lot to build home on; prefer to meet some one who has one mortgage on the property and unable to carry it or about to lose it on foreclosure or going away and you are willing to make your price same as cash and take first-class stocks for what your equity amounts to above the mortgage; have very little cash; no sharpers; owners only need apply, meaning business. 355 S. BROADWAY, room 202. 16

WANTED—THE BEST COTTAGE WITHIN 10 blocks of 12th and Georgia that $900 cash will buy, $10 monthly, up to $4000.
Want for a cash buyer a residence or cottage between Pico and 8th, east of Alvarado; no objection to good old house.
C. C. COHN CO.,
325 Byrne Bldg.
A8823; Broadway 4677.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING IN the way of stocks, bonds, business sites, fine residence property, acreage, suburban or country lands, list with us; unsold tracts in development, it will pay you to see us. We have a large line of capital local and eastern, always ready for profitable investments.
FLEMTWOOD & CARROLL,
Realty and Brokers,
9 511 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

WANTED — I WANT TO BUY A GOOD 5 or 6-room bungalow in the south and west part of the city, will pay from $200 down and $25 per month; if you want a quarter for your equity in such a home, get your money today. G. W. SKINNER, 515 Chamber of Commerce. Home phone 7253. Sunset, Main 4105.

WANTED—TO BUY, HAVE CLIENT FOR suburban home of 5 to 10 acres, oranges or lemons with or without house, must be high-class improvements and close in; prefer foothills, between Pasadena and Monrovia. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. 3rd st. Acreage Dept. 9

WANTED—"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE." Johnnie knew—so do we. We can sell all bargains in lots or homes if listed so we may inspect. You want to sell—we have buyers. Let us call. Don't delay. Do business for you. Owners call or phone. ORR-SESSIONS REALTY CO., 309-10-11 Henne Bldg. Main 6416, A6416. 9

WANTED—A PARTY TO FURNISH 10 OR more acres of land for a poultry ranch in any part of the State, furnish means for improvements, and who is willing to go there to work and manage same for any term of years for half the profits; am carpenter and builder and can do any work. Address F, box 112, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO PURCHASE LOT IN THE southwest; must be west of Main and north of Jefferson; I want to build home and will buy at once if I get a bargain; I am posted on values and will consider only such. Send written description to MR. WILSON, 233 W. 3rd st. Home 5094. 9

WANTED — 50-ROOM LODGING-HOUSE from owner, strictly modern, hot and cold water, etc., money ready if bargain.
Want list of 10 acres land, foothill way, will pay mostly cash.
WATSON, 609 Huntington Bldg. Main 4354, F7765. 9

WANTED—HAVE CASH CUSTOMER FOR best lot $4000 to $4500 will buy, between Main and Grand avenue, south. Also for best $4500 to $5000 respectable business on west side of Main. ORR-SESSIONS REALTY CO., 309-10-11 Henne Bldg. Main 6416; A6416. 9

WANTED—HAVE CUSTOMERS FOR TWO modern cottages and one modern 8 or 9-room home, west or southwest; quick sale if property priced right; are right owners also. ORR-SESSIONS REALTY CO., 309-10-11 Henne Bldg. Main 6416; A6416. 9

WANTED—I WANT THE BEST PIECE OF property that $4000 cash will buy, something close in, with or without improvements, must be a bargain; give exact location and price; no agents wanted; owners only. Address D, box 123, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—I WANT 50,000 ACRES OF GOOD pine timber land in Northern or Southern California. Ready to meet owners or agents, but you must give me some particulars in your answer. Address Y, box 157, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—AGENTS' NOTICE. I HAVE 160,000 acres timber land in Oregon. The great demand for lumber at present, makes timber land very desirable. Look out for buyers. See me at once.
C. N. RANDOLPH, 218 Grant Bldg. Home A3515, Main 5515. 9

WANTED—A NUMBER OF GOOD BUILDING LOTS FROM $800 TO $1500. SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST. WE HAVE CUSTOMERS WAITING. PIONEER INVESTMENT & TRUST CO., 309-10 CONSOLIDATED BLDG., 4TH AND BROADWAY. PHONES—MAIN 1583, EX. 277. 9

WANTED—
CITY PROPERTY OWNER.
Look at our column under "Exchange" in today's issue. The many good things offered will surprise you; every one gilt-edge.
HORACE G. HAMILTON CO., 4TH
200 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill. 9

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RANCHES—ACREAGE.
IF YOU HAVE RANCH OR ACREAGE TO SELL, DON'T FAIL TO WRITE OR SEE CLINE-WALL REALTY CO.,
502 Merchants Trust Bldg.
Phones Broadway 4885, Home A7508. 9

WANTED—BY FIRST CLASS PEOPLE, ON easy terms, 6-room house, modern, city or suburbs, on double lot or acres, car within a mile, with electricity. Good view; give full particulars, price, etc. Address F, box 158, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — TO PURCHASE THE BEST flat of 16 rooms, south or southeast, for $4000 to $5000, ⅓ cash. M. M. DAVISON & SON, 204 Wilcox Bldg. Main 549. 10

WANTED—
House with about 8 rooms; must have 4 bedrooms; what large lot; southwest preferred.
GEO. E. WALTHIZER,
628 W. Sixth st.
Home A2612. Ground Floor.
B'dway 5361.

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Cottage containing about 5 rooms, situated on high ground; northwest preferred; must be modern and up to date.
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B'dway 5361. Ground Floor.

WANTED—WE HAVE CLIENT DESIRING about 5 acres suitable for chicken ranch, must have house of some sort on property and be close to car line; will pay $200 cash, balance monthly. Send full particulars.
MANSFIELD & REALTY CO., 317 Merchants Trust Bldg. Main 2567, Home A2172. 9

WANTED—TO PURCHASE,
Modern 5-room cottage in southwest near car line, must have good view, cottage can pay $400 cash and $25 per month; want it quick. Address D, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—WE HAVE A CLIENT THAT wants business property on Main, Spring, Broadway and Hill st., further south than Pico st. INTERNATIONAL LOAN AND REALTY CO., 108-10-11 Henne Blk., 122 W. 3rd st. 9

WANTED—Modern 6or 7-room bungalow or 1½-story house on high ground, southwest; must have oak floors, and at least one south bedroom; will pay up to $5000 cash, but it must be a bargain; owners only need answer. Address E, box 161, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—I AM LOOKING FOR A SNAP in a 5-room modern cottage, can pay $400 cash and about $20 month. Give full description as to location and price. Address Y, box 126, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BUY FROM OWNER, A 5 or 6-room cottage, close in, state price, location and particulars. BOX 52, Rural Route 2, Buena Park.

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WANTED—A CHEAP LOT FOR HOME IN southwest, not over $900 cash, must be snap price if you need the money; answer. Address F, box 125, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — LOT BETWEEN MAIN AND Moneta or Moneta and Figueroa, south of 40th. Address D, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—THE BEST BUY THAT $1500 cash

Classified Liners

WANTED—
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED — AN EASTERN LADY desires purchase society ladies' evening gowns, dress dresses, furs, etc.; business strictly confidential; highest prices paid; will call anywhere; between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. Address L. P., P.O. BOX 480. Will remain in city until Dec. 15.

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE OF household goods; if you are going to leave town we will pay you cash and move you. Main 1137. Home 2154. COLONIAL FURNITURE CO., 225 S. Main st.

WANTED—I HAVE A HOME TO SELL for cash for candy store or other business; one for a woman. No office business; a home considered. Owners only. Address box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED FOR CASH, SECOND-HAND rubber-tired buggy; must be up-to-date style and in good condition. Call at COLTON STORAGE PLANT, Fourth and Centre sts., Colton.

WANTED—ROOMING HOUSE. WE HAVE purchaser for a rooming house, no matter what size, so it is a bargain. Let us deal with W. H. TOWNSEND, 327 S. Broadway, Room 310. Home phone 6144.

WANTED—LIGHT TOURING CAR IN exchange for 40 acres of good grazing land in Washington County. Must be in first-class condition. Land is O.K. and close to town. A. C. HAYWARD, 426 Pay Bldg.

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR ANYTHING in good to second-hand furniture, stove, carpets, office desks, any quantity. Phone Broadway 2004. Home 5004. SKEELES & CO.

WANTED—BUGGY WITH EXTENDED top; must be in good condition and cheap for cash. RAYMOND TEA AND COFFEE CO., 344 S. Spring st.

WANTED — A ROOMING-HOUSE, IN exchange for 4 or 5-room house and lot, owner of house and lot, 3236 E. FOURTH st. Take green Boyle Heights car.

WANTED—GROCERY, GOOD LOCATION in city or some good town; $600. Address box 148, TIMES OFFICE. Will furnish full particulars, no agents. Address box 148, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN'S TICKET, FIRST or second class to Albuquerque, Kansas City or Lincoln or any point east, at once. Address B, box 32, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, HIGH-grade furniture, carpets, piano, gas or gasoline stoves, etc. RHOADES & CO., 345 S. Spring st.

WANTED—FOR CASH, SMALL GROCERY or confectionery store in good location. Address C, box 74, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD RIFLE; ALSO HIGH-power field glass; will pay cash if bargain; state description to 2180 W. 24TH ST., or phone 18324.

WANTED—TO BUY ROOMING-HOUSE of 12 rooms, close in; must be first-class and a bargain. 618-19 POTOMAC BLOCK. Dec. 27

WANTED—DENTIST, PHYSICIAN, MILLINER, hairdresser and chiropodist, photographer, all kinds, etc., to locate in Hollywood, new, modern buildings in Hollywood. To good tenants will be given cheap rent, water, electric light, bath telephone, janitor service, hot and cold water, etc. All of above lines of business needed in thriving wood. For further particulars see VANSYCKLE next to P. O., Hollywood. Home 128.

WANTED—TO TAKE CHARGE PROPERTY of capitalist and non-residents; rents collected, titles carefully examined, correct reports made; real estate bought, and exchanged; loans negotiated; all business carefully attended to; references given. CALIFORNIA REALTY COMPANY, 205 Henne Bldg.

WANTED — NICE, CHEERFUL, HEALTHY girl to board corner for use of 6 elegantly furnished rooms, basement, fruits and flowers, and pay for light and fuel; owner receives two of the rooms; call and close investigation necessary. Inquire 1345 W. THIRD ST.

WANTED—A GRADUATE NURSE WISHES nursing, massage, housekeeping, nursing, or any other attention given ones who do not need all day care, recommended by best physicians of the city. BURLINGTON AVE. Phone West 168.

FOR SALE—UNREDEEMED HIGH-GRADE L. C. Smith Hlaca Lafevre shotguns, models and 10x11 professional plate camera at half the regular price. 'LOMAS, 325 S. Main st., under Naftzger.

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WANTED—POSITIVELY PAY THE HIGHEST price for diamonds and jewelry. J. RUBIN, 150 N. Main.

WANTED—SHOWCASES, WALL CASES, coffee mills, ice cream fixtures, all kinds. POSTER 87. Home 2402.

WANTED—A SECOND-HAND SAFE; MUST be cheap for cash. Address 521 SAN PEDRO ST.

WANTED—A LADY WISHES ANOTHER TO help her in comfortable home-keeping rooms; terms reasonable. References exchanged. Address F, box 150, TIMES OFFICE.

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Pico residence, $10,000, spot cash.

AMERICAN REAL ESTATE CO., 414½ S. Broadway, Phone office, foothills and beaches.

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—I SELL THE EARTH—

—E. S. BASSETT—

I have a customer who will buy at once a 6 or 7-room very bungalow, within five blocks of the University; would also like one or more lots in that vicinity.

E. S. BASSETT,
Broadway, Rooms 207-208.
L.A.R.B.

WANTED—4-ROOM NEW, MODERN HOUSE, two floors, two bathrooms, $7000, in exchange for three apartment houses, rented $50; take one and $2000 equities in five lots. Address D, box 1, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HOUSE TO MOVE OFF WEST Broadway or north of city, or will pay for location of one. Address 1110 MIGNONETTE ST.

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Two clients for cottages and bungalows on and southwest. Phone to $4000. Inquire H. J. MORLAN & CO., 202 Pay Bldg.

WANTED—4-ROOM CALIFORNIA HOUSE to be moved onto a lot near 48th and Figueroa ave. HOME PHONE A2537.

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Miscellaneous.

WANTED TO REAL ESTATE AND OTHER CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS: The coming Midwinter Number of The Times, to be issued Jan. 1, 1907, will be a splendid medium for the exploitation of attractive real estate propositions. Thousands of copies will be mailed by citizens of Southern California to friends abroad, who are figuring on coming here to live in the Sunniest. The rate will be 5c per line for classified announcements to run in the magazine section of this special issue. No copy will be received up to and including Dec. 27.

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Rooms and Board.

TO LET—FOR ROOM AND BOARD, COME out to the Hotel Southern at 7th and Westlake Ave. Large, sunny rooms with good table board and only one block from the park and five minutes' ride to Broadway. The finest rooms in the city for the money. HOTEL SOUTHERN, 7th and Westlake Ave. 15 car. Temple 278. 9

TO LET—THE VERT MONT, CLOSE TO Interurban depot, Glendale, all outside sunny rooms, electric light, furnace heat, hot and cold water, connected baths, etc.; some with or without board. Prices reasonable. Phone Sunset 833. F. L. MARSH, Proprietor. 9

TO LET — WANTED 3 GENTLEMEN TO room and board with private family or adults; sunny southeast room; walking distance; beautiful view; desirable neighborhood; those who enjoy music preferred; references required. Address C, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 9

TO LET — PARTIES HAVING BEAUTIful home at Ocean Park Heights on Venice Short Line, first house north of car, will rent 1, 2 or 4 furnished or unfurnished rooms, singly or en suite, with board; 30 minutes from city; 10c fare by commutation ticket. 11

TO LET — A YOUNG WIDOW, OWNING her own home, Westlake district, will give nice and elegantly furnished front room, with superior table board, to couple or two gentlemen, $75 monthly; every accommodation. Address Y, box 134, TIMES OFFICE. 9

TO LET—TWO EXCEPTIONALLY CHARMing sunny suites with or without first-class board, in elegant refined private home, five minutes from town, North Hill near High School; newly furnished; private bath; fine garden. 414 NORTH BROADWAY. Main 9

TO LET — BEAUTIFUL, LARGE, SUNNY FRONT ROOM, GRATE, EXCELLENT TABLE, LARGE GROUNDS, FIRST-CLASS REFERENCES EXCHANGED. OTHER ROOMS REASONABLE. PHONE 22007. 9

TO LET—BOARD AND ROOM, $18 AND UP per week, Abbotsford Inn, 8th and Hope; large sunny outside rooms; EXCELLENT TABLE, court under glass, dances, care parties, etc., cheerful winter home. 13

TO LET—HOTEL AZUSA NOW OPEN, SPEcial rates to families and tourists; broad shady and sunny porches, adjacent to mountains, electric cars coming. Address BOUGHTON & BOUGHTON, Azusa, Cal.

TO LET—422 WESTLAKE AVE., LARGE sunny elegantly furnished rooms, singly or en suite; every modern convenience, furnace heat, electric light, etc.; surroundings refined; best of home table.

TO LET—THE CHOICE OF TWO BEAUTIful rooms with board; one suit mahogany, the other maple. 424 EAST WASHINGTON ST., between 2 car lines, San Pedro and Maple avenues. You will have every comfort in a home with a young couple. 9

TO LET—FIRST-CLASS ROOMS AND board in large house, well situated on W. Adams st., between Grand ave. and Figueroa st.; every modern convenience; references. Apply 421 W. ADAMS ST.

TO LET — ROOM AND BOARD WITH strictly private family, for young man, fine neighborhood, good car service, all the comfort of home. Apply at 2221 LEOTI AVE. West 934. 9

TO LET — HOTEL INDA, 913 W. SIXTH; sunny outside rooms, single or en suite; with board; good home cooking; families or tourists; walking distance. PHONE BROADWAY 2395. 9

TO LET—$15; HANDSOMELY FURNISHED suite, with board for two, residence, Westlake district, large grounds and trees, bath, phones and piano; give phone number. Address E, box 128, TIMES OFFICE. 9

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD; BEAUTIFUL sunny room with good home cooking for two nice young men. 1017 LINCOLN ST., between 8th and 9th sts., one block west of Figueroa. 9

TO LET — HOTEL INDA, 912 W. SIXTH; sunny outside rooms, single or en suite; with board; good home cooking; families or tourists; walking distance. PHONE BROADWAY 2395. 9

TO LET—LARGE, NICELY FURNISHED room with breakfast and dinner, close in, modern, beautiful surroundings, very desirable. Main 4627, Home E2354. 937 ORANGE St. 9

TO LET—WE CAN DIRECT YOU TO choice boarding places, in best parts of city, save time and trouble by calling on GENERAL INFORMATION BUREAU, 235 S. Spring. 9

TO LET—LARGE EAST FRONT ROOM, PRIvate bath, also one large south room, furnace heat, excellent board, private home. 927 GRATTAN ST., near 9th and Union. 9

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TO LET—PLEASANT ROOM AND HOME cooking with use of piano and phone; 5th in walking distance. Call 1026 WALL ST.

WANTED—2 PARTLY FURNISHED ROOMS with board for young couple; private residence; good neighborhood; permanent; references. Phone B 5162.

TO LET—FOUR YOUNG MEN TO ROOM and board in private family; home cooking; electric light; phone. 1232 SOUTH GRAND AVE. 9

TO LET—PLEASANT ROOM, WITH OR without board; private family; gentleman preferred; references. 322 S. BUNKER HILL. 9

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD IN A BEAUtiful new home; Westlake district; for two men or a couple; furnace heat; best of home cooking. 1319 WEST 10TH.

TO LET—ROOMS WITH BREAKFAST and dinner, in private modern home near Hotel Hollywood, adults only; references. Address D, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 9

TO LET—WESTLAKE DISTRICT, 1640 West 11th, facing Beacon—rooms with board for several adults in very desirable home; furnace and grates. 15

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TO LET—ONE SUNNY, NEW, 3-ROOM APARTMENT AT THE NETHERWOOD, 2024 SOUTH GRAND; ALSO SINGLE ROOMS WITH BOARD. 9

TO LET — THE ST. JAMES FAMILY HOtel, $17 W. 23rd st., opposite the park; has a choice room for rent, Sunday; excellent table. 'PHONE B3322. 9

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TO LET—322 BONNIE BRAE, NEAR NINTH, fashionable Westlake district, select private boarding; attractive rooms; heat; reasonable. 'PHONE BROADWAY 4672. 15

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ROOM with board to one or two people in small private family; all conveniences; terms moderate. 209 WEST 42D STREET.

TO LET—FOR $15, LARGE BARN AND stall, carriage house and corral, living rooms; 100-ft. street frontage; rent part or all. 867 W. 25TH ST.

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A good 8-room cottage, 831 Kohler st.; has barn, $25 per month, water paid.
MINES & FARISH.
10 215 S. Hill st.

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423—1588 E. Adams, 6 rooms.
Keys corner 36th and Slauson car line. 9

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MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE company, old and well established, is doubling the capacity of its plant, made necessary by remarkable growth of business; additional stock all placed except $2500. Do you want it? Met cash profits each year have been 20 to 40 per cent, on large capital invested. Financially the company is as solid as any bank in the city. Don't bother us unless you want a steady dividend-paying industrial investment of this kind. Address F, box 229, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—
CLOSE-IN
RESTAURANT
AT A BARGAIN.
Fine good lease at low rental. Is netting $400 a month now; will pay $900 this winter; price $1000 and terms.
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JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
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A FIRST-CLASS CIGAR STAND, CLOSE IN. PRICE $450.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT.
We have one of the best high-class restaurants in the city for sale for $2500 cash; this is up-to-date in every way, and has a 3-years lease yet to run; also restaurant liquor license. Unlooked-for circumstances compels owner to sacrifice.
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JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third St. 9

FOR SALE—
Laundry route, one of the best in Los Angeles. Will net $32 a week to the owner; a fine 5-year-old mare and elegant wagon; best class of patrons. The purchaser can take possession and satisfy himself before paying over any money. Price $350.
Investment Department 1.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third St.

IF YOU WANT SOME SNAPS IN A GOOD buy, come in and see us; we sell anything from a pin to a gold mine.
R. E. DUNTON,
222 W. First St. 9
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RESTAURANTS—THE BEST SNAPS IN city; regular snaps. I handle only snaps. Call and get a good bargain from TUCKER & MARKS, 125 E. Second st. 9

A RARE OPPORTUNITY, TO PARTY WHO can immediately advance $3000 (half down) to bridge an emergency; money amply secured with interest; double the amount guaranteed immediately a pending deal is closed. A perfectly FEASIBLE, STRAIGHT and LEGITIMATE transaction. Best of references and the fullest investigation courted. Address F, box 139, TIMES OFFICE.

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$2000—GROCERY STORE, INCLUDING THE building and lot with $1000 stock; good horse and wagon ,and doing big business. The house and lot are worth the money; GOUGH & LONGSTRETH, 213 S. Broadway, Room 120. 9

$750—RESTAURANT IN CENTER OF CITY; low rent, well established business; also one at the beach for $600. These are both good. LONGSTRETH & GOUGH, 213 S. Broadway, Room 120.

SUCCESSFUL CORPORATION LAWYER will take a meritorious proposition, incorporate and promote it; has ability and influence. Address E, box 88, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—A GOOD PAYING WHOLESALE business, well established and in splendid condition, to increase to any limit; fully equipped with power and all other facilities. Address F, box 185, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, A NEAT, FIRST-class delicacy store; hot counter, clean stock of lunch goods, etc. Fully equipped kitchen with 7-foot French range, broiler, grill, reasonable; close in; first-class trade. M. P. DODGE, 313 W. Eighth.

RESTAURANT AND LUNCH COUNTER—Fine location, west side; rent $25; lease, $500; terms. 201 PAY BLDG.

DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND SHERIFF'S sale of grocery stock at Redondo, Tuesday, 2 p.m. Take Redondo car, Second and Spring sts., and get off Camino Real. Building for rent, corner of Meander Court. For further particulars see BECKER, 430 Henne Bldg., 122 W. Third.

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FOR SALE—SHOOTING GALLERY COMplete; ready to set up; bargain $50 and take away. Call Sunday or Monday, 347 W. REDINO, 252 E. 46th st. 9

$500 WILL BE ONE-FIFTH INTEREST IN large auto garage and repair station. For further particulas, addess F, box 197, TIMES OFFICE. 10

FOR SALE—CAFETERIA.
Fine location, cheapest rent on the street, clearing over $1100 monthly. would prefer will-ing party to learn the business; books and business allowed. For particulars see
Z. T. GEORGE,
213 Mercantile Place. 9

FOR SALE—HORSE, WAGON AND GOOD peddling route, will pay $18 to $25 per week; $200 takes it. Address box 40, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena. 9

TO LEASE—"THE FASHION," ONE OF finest saloons in Southwest; will lease for 2 or 5 years, $200 per month. BOX 5, Jerome, Ariz. 9

WANTED—ACTIVE PARTNER WITH $500 to manage clean, up-to-date business in city, $150 per month salary, if you mean business. 1015 CROCKER BLDG., Third and Broadway.

WE HAVE SOME GOOD BARGAINS IN business chances in all lines of business. See our list and get a snap. TALBOT & CO., 230 H. W. Hellman Bldg., 112 W. Second.

FOR SALE—LIVERY STABLE NEAR LOS Angeles in thriving city; price $10,000, business pays 20 per cent. on purchase price. Address Z, box 197, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—GOOD POOLROOM, CONTAINing 5 tables and cigar stand. Party must leave town on other business and will sell at $20 a bargain. 1172 E. 103D ST. 9

FOR SALE—WELL-ESTABLISHED CHICken route, horse, wagon, etc., $160; will fully instruct purchaser in business and route. Address C, box 167, TIMES OFFICE. 10

FOR SALE—MEAT MARKET DOING FINE business, in splendid location; nice fixtures, $600 takes it, or will trade for lot. Address Z, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A RESTAURANT, CLOSE IN, doing a good business; cheap rent and lease; worth investigating; a snap if taken soon. See OWNER, 616 W. Sixth st.

$3200—FOR SALE, BUTTER AND EGG route; see it at Maple Grove Creamery, 7 p. m., except Wednesdays. Residence 2503 PENNSYLVANIA AVE., evenings. 10

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, RESTAURANT and delicacy, store cheap for cash or installments; owner going East. 43 OCEAN FRONT, Ocean Park, Cal. 9

DENTAL OFFICE IN HEART OF CITY ON Broadway, everything up to date; two rooms; two chairs; fine lease. Address C, box 172, TIMES OFFICE. 10

NURSERY LANDS AND BUILDINGS WITH water and considerable stock to let on shares with most favorable terms. Address C. E. BARNARD, Venice, Cal.

FOR SALE—ONE-HALF INTEREST IN MY real estate business; this is no fake to sell the furniture, come and see me. 319 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring. 12

FOR SALE—PRICE $325, CIGAR STAND and 3-chair barber parlor, all complete, clearing $125 monthly. See owner, 355 S. HILL, ST., room 1.

FOR SALE—1200 SHARES IN A BOOMING manufacturing company in Los Angeles; a gilt-edge bargain for cash. Address C, box 140, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE — A FIRST-CLASS SALOON, within 100 miles of Los Angeles; long lease; low rent, price reasonable. Further particulars 1920 E. MAIN. 11

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE DOING A good business; sales $25 daily; 4 living rooms, barn and fine large yard. Rent $30. 2007 E. 7TH ST. 9

FOR SALE—A CANDY MACHINE AT A great bargain, nearly new; can make enormous profits. Call 211 W. FIRST ST., room 16.

FOR SALE—DRUG STORE, RIGHT IN town; good location, good business, low rent; will invoice; a bargain. Address C, box 39, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—GENTLEMAN WITH $2500 TO $5000 for mercantile proposition in Mexico; guarantee $2500 year and more. Address F, box 165, TIMES OFFICE. 9

$200 NICELY PRINTED BUSINESS CARDS, $1.50, in convenient boxes; other printing in proportion. E. J. ELSON CO., Home 2235, 1315 S. Broadway.

GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR TRAVELING salesman with about $4000 to settle down and live at home. Address A, box 40, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—STOCK ASBESTOS COAL OIL burning bricks. Retail $2, one-fourth cheaper than wood or coal. Agents big profit. H. E. SIDDALL, 218 S. Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—$400; GROCERIES, FRUITS, confectionery, cigars, store; good trade, good location; owner has other store to attend to. 1001 CENTRAL AVE. 9

HAVE FOR SALE A SPLENDIDLY LOcated saloon, good lease, at $9000; several others at prices ranging from $10,000 to $25,000. FRANK LERCH, 126 Henne Block. 9

WANT FOR CASH THE CHEAPEST PROperty from $2000 to $10,000, east of Main between Fifth and Ninth sts. Address F, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—½ INTEREST IN GOOD REAL estate office doing good business; free rent, free telephone, some furniture. Address D, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 11

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORES.
$3000—This location one of the best small towns on the Kite Shape Track, cheap rent; sales $90 daily; mostly cash; this store has always and is making big money; must be seen to be appreciated.
ANOTHER GOOD ONE.
$2500—Located in a good town close to Los Angeles; 6 large packing houses close to the store, cheap rent; sales over $100 daily; both these propositions are A1, recommended by jobbers. Will invoice stock and fixtures. See
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Sole Agent.
212 Mercantile Place. 9

A GRAND OPPORTUNITY FOR A FANcier. The W. W. Howard flock of White Leghorns comprising many first prize Madison Square, New York winners; some valued at over $100; over 300 in flock, will be sold together with the business; good-will, correspondence, equipment, etc., at less than half their value, if taken before the breeding season. A rare chance to own the best in the world. Will take part trade. E. E. HOWE & CO., 727 Bryson Block. 9

FOR SALE—DRY GOODS BUSINESS, CITY 2500 inhabitants; only house of the kind in city. Address F, box 54, TIMES OFFICE. 16

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A GOOD chance to make money on a small investment, read my advertisement under Mining. R. F. KELLAM.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN RESTAUrant feeding 600 per day; will stand investigation; price $900; experience not necessary. Address F, box 170, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—HALF OR WHOLE INTEREST in good meat market doing a fine trade, good location; rare chance; 3 years' lease; low rent. Address D, box 73, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—GROCERY, PRICE $650, OR put price on fixtures and invoice stock groceries. See OWNER, 965 Buena Vista st. 'Phone Main 5112. 9

FOR SALE — $900; HALF INTEREST IN old-established real estate business; sickness reason for selling. Call 574 BRYSON BLK. 9

A GOOD OPPORTUNITY IN THE RESTAUrant business to the right party. Call on management, HOTEL HERMOSA, 225 E. 3rd. Home 5396. 9

WANTED — $500 AND INSIDE MAN FOR permanent, safe, good paying business; opportunity for reliable man; a money-maker. Address F, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT AND DELIcatessen; long lease, cheap rent, good location; doing good business. Call and see it, or write for description. 761 CENTRAL AVE. 9

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—POOL AND billiard business; good lease; reasonable rent; prefer good rooming-house. Call Room 113, 124 W. FIRST ST. 9

FOR SALE — BAKERY DOING A GOOD business; owner has business in oil up north and will sell cheap. C. E. WERTS & CO., real estate, 841 S. Broadway. 9

BARBER SHOP, ON SAN PEDRO ST., 3 nice living-rooms in connection; new building; good neighborhood; chair; must sell at once. $150. Call at 2824 SAN PEDRO. 9

CAPITAL AND PLACE INVITES CORrespondence with practical spice and flavoring manufacturer. Address box 746, WHITTIER.

FOR SALE—POOLROOM AND FIXTURES, good paying business; owner wants to go East. Write BERT R. CHAPLIN, Imperial, Cal. 9

FOR SALE—A TEA AND COFFEE-ROUTE business; in a near-by town; paying and well established. Address D, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—INTEREST IN REAL ESTATE and insurance business, $400. CHANDLER, 431 Citizens Bank Bldg., Third and Main sts. 9

WHOLE OR HALF INTEREST IN A paying grocery, corner lot, buildings, fixtures, etc., goods at invoice, terms easy. 43 E. FIRST ST., Long Beach.

FOR SALE — BARGAIN IN FEED AND fuel, best location in the city; other business reason for selling. Phone WEST 1661. 9

FOR SALE — MILLINERY STORE, CENtrally located; cheap rent; fine trade; am leaving city; must sell; make me an offer. 33 CANTON BLOCK, Home 5499. 9

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND FRUIT STORE at invoice price; good paying business; long lease with living rooms. 95 OCEAN FRONT, Ocean Park. 9

HAVE $1000 TO WANT GOOD BUSINESS; A money maker; no restaurants; bookstore, photograph gallery, something similar. DUNTON, 222 W. First st.

FOR SALE — RESTAURANT; $200, A PERfect bargain; furniture complete; parties going East. Call at RESTAURANT, 400 Central ave., corner E. Fourth st.

FOR SALE — LOT AND LITTLE STORE building; terms will take same on annual lease, on 12 per cent. basis. CAMPBELL, 205 Mercantile Place. 9

WANT PARTNER WITH $500 TO TAKE ½ interest in manufacturing toilet articles; investigate. Address Y, box 129, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE — CIGAR STAND, GOOD LOCAtion, cheap rent; lease; cheap if taken at once; have other business. Call Sunday or Monday, 237 E. FIFTH. See OWNER. 9

AT SHOE BUSINESS, CITY 15,000; CLEAN and up-to-date stock; invoice business; $3000 invoice; investigate. Address C, ARROW-SMITH, 513 Bryson Blk. 9

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN WELL established real estate business, with office fixtures. Address E, box 35, TIMES OFFICE.

RELIABLE MAN OF VARIED EXPERIence wishes to invest $1000 and his services in legitimate business; no fakes or get-rich-quick schemes. B., P.O. BOX 305. 9

SAFE, SANE INVESTMENT. PROFITABLE corporation; $100 to $5000 offers considered; bears closest investigation. Address D, box 190, TIMES OFFICE. 9

BUTCHER AND GROCER; OWNER WILL build to suit tenant in first-class location; investigate. Address D, box 114, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FINE BUSINESS NETTING $2500, $3000 yearly, for cost of stock and fixtures, about $3500. SHOOT, 557 N. Madison ave., Pasadena.

FOR SALE—BAKERY AND CONFECTIONery, good location, growing trade, in Pasadena. GEM CITY BAKERY CO., 2 S. Lake ave, Pasadena. 9

FOR SALE — A WELL ESTABLISHED cigar stand, party selling on account of other business that requires his immediate attention. Phone BROADWAY 2491. 9

FOR SALE — RESTAURANT, $200, GOOD location, S. Main, rent $15; feeding 200 a day; wife is sick, going East. Address E, box 194, TIMES OFFICE. 9

SICKNESS COMPELS SALE OF THE BEST manufacturing business in Los Angeles; if you want great bargain in part or all of it, address E, box 40, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — A PLACE FOR INVESTMENT of $1000 to $2000, and much energy and business experience. What have you? Address F, box 146, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—LADY IN DOCTOR'S OFFICE to open bath and toilet parlor; must invest a small amount. Address F, box 191, TIMES OFFICE. 9

DON'T BUY ANY BUSINESS; ESTABLISH yourself on my 55x100 feet, at Washington and Georgia; long, cheap ground lease. A4 dress F, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT; GOOD LOCAtion; doing good business; will stand investigation; furniture; bond; long lease. Don't call unless you mean business. Corner Glasgow and Central ave. Illihee Cafe. M. J. CANTRELL. 9

WANTED—CAPITAL TO MANUFACTURE several articles of which there is great demand; 50 per cent. profit; can be guaranteed to responsible party. Address F, box 147, TIMES OFFICE. 9

HERE IS A CHANCE TO MAKE MONEY; 10-room house, with bath; clears over $100 per month; 33 rooms, all in splendid condition; $2000 cash, balance on mortgage. This is a good place for investment; present owner has had it three years; is compelled to go home to HOMESEEKERS' REALTY CO., 443 S. Hill st. 9

SMALL BAKERY, TWO HORSES, TWO wagons, good routes; doing good business; will sell cheap; investigate; take Hollywood car to Edgemont, walk two blocks south. TEL. HOLLYWOOD, 692. 9

GYPSUM.
WANTED—MAN TO CALCINE, 200 TONS screened in factory, ready; inexhaustible supply; back of ft. WM. CORONA. 9

WANTED—KEEN EXECUTIVE WITH FInancial ability having command of capital to enlarge established paying business controlled; good for about 25 investors; stupendous proposition; party must be equal to it. Address Y, box 101, TIMES OFFICE. 9

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TEN DOLLARS IN A SEARCHLIGHT NEvada, lot is as good as $100 in a bank. Make us prove it. Free transportation with each purchase. The chance of a lifetime. Visit Nevada's richest gold mining city, where fortunes are in the making for those who buy lots before the Santa Fe road reaches the town. Don't hesitate. Get the facts.
J. W. NICKELL CO.,
521 Byrne Bldg., Cor Third and Broadway.

TO LET — FIRST-CLASS RESTAURANT doing good business; cheap rent; owner sick; or will consider partnership. 111 W. 23RD. 9

ROOMING-HOUSE, 18 ROOMS; ALL FULL. $900 if taken Monday or Tuesday; terms. 9 P. BROWNE, 317 W. Third st., room 1. 9

FOR SALE — CHEAP; MEAT MARKET complete. Phone EAST 1645 Monday if looking for bargain.

FOR SALE—FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY store at a bargain. Address F, box 177, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—STOCK OF GROCERIES AND fixtures; rent $25. Call at 1253 S. OLIVE ST., cor. Pico.

TO LET—CORNER STORE AT 1701 EAST 38TH ST., fine location for butcher shop or grocery. 9

FOR SALE — FIRST-CLASS MEAT MARket doing profitable cash business; a good opportunity. 246 E. 29TH. 9

FOR SALE—BLACKSMITH SHOP, A BUSIness of 22 years. Address owner, 15, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—MEAT MARKET WITH LEASE and fixtures, $400, takes it. Address Y, box 196, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—LAUNDRY ROUTE, $225 CASH if taken at once. See GARA, 728 S. Spring, or Tel. South 5221.

FOR SALE—1-2 INTEREST IN GOOD PAYing restaurant, South Broadway. A1 lease. PHONE MAIN 8002.

FOR SALE — SMALL BAKERY WITH brick oven. SHANNON'S BAKERY, 6805 Pasadena ave. 9

GENTLEMAN TO INVEST $200; A PROPOsition that insures big returns. MR. BROWNE, 317 W. Third, room 1. 9

FOR SALE—CIGAR STORE. GOOD FIXtures, long lease, cheap rent; owner must leave city. 526 CROSSE BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—DELICATESSEN AND RESTaurant, a money maker, good reasons given for selling. See OWNER, 908 W. 8TH ST. 9

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FOR SALE—GROCERY; LIVING-ROOM IN rear; good location; low rent. 16TH AND LOS ANGELES.

FOR SALE—BAKERY HOUSE; HORSE, wagon, complete. $150. Apply at 2714 CINCINNATI ST. 9

SNAP, $50 BUYS NEW CIGAR STAND, 8x12 feet, if taken at once. TAYLOR BYERS, 220 E. 12th st. 9

FOR SALE—GOOD-PAYING RESTAURANT very cheap; parties have to go North. 624 E. FIRST ST. 9

FOR SALE — CHEAP IF TAKEN THIS week, grocery and delicacy store. 1190 S. OLIVE ST. 15

FOR SALE—PRICE $275, GROCERY STORE, clearing $90 monthly. Call 355 S. HILL ST., room 1. 9

FOR SALE—BAKERY AND GROCERY, A good cash business. Inquire at 1504 W. PICO 11

FOR SALE — BARBER SHOP, STAND, CIgar. 708 E. THIRD. Fine location. 10

FOR SALE—A CIGAR STAND. 127. E. 3RD ST. 9

L. D. BARNARD, 138 SOUTH BROADWAY will sell out your business for cash. 10

SWAPS—
All Sorts, Big and Little.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE, SEALSKIN coat, size 38, worth $300, for real estate or furniture. Address I. M'DONALD, 601 Pay Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—FURNITURE VALUED at $350 for house and lot, close in; will pay difference. C. R. WERTS CO., 841 S. Broadway. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—GENT'S WHEEL, WANT watch, lady's wheel, gun, or what have you? R. E. PALMER, 5419½ central ave. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU TO exchange for 40 acres near Bakersfield, clear? Room 402, LANKERSHIM BLDG. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—I WILL PAINT YOUR house for horse and wagon, one or both. W. T. BENJAMIN, 324 E. 65th st. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU TO exchange for 10 acres of fine walnut land? Address E, box 197, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW WHEELER & Wilson or Singer sewing machine, want furniture, carpets, stove, bicycle, harness, buggy, horse, typewriter, or what have you? Machines rented, $1.50 per month. 416 W. 7TH ST. 9

FOR SALE—ALMOST NEW INDIAN Motorcycle with tandem attachment; cost $230; will trade for office furniture or runabout and pay cash difference, or sell for $160 net. Address C, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—CONCENTRATORS. I have 4 McCabe standard concentrators in perfect condition, will exchange for automobile or good engine and pumping plant. R. HUFF, Corona, Cal. 11

FOR EXCHANGE—WILL EXCHANGE $2.50 to $5.00 ladies' shoes for 20c a pair, all sizes. The SAMPLE SHOP opens tomorrow at 5th floor, Merchants' Trust Bld., 207 S. Broadway, Salesroom 502. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—SECOND-HAND, NEW tires, coaster brake, good condition; want second-hand desk; will trade lady's and gent's wheels for a good second-hand typewriter. Call up WEST 1935. 9

FOR SALE — GENTLEMAN'S DRIVER, brown mare, rubber-tired Brockway runabout and harness; a first-class outfit; will sell cheap. OWNER, Phone S. 3063, or Home 5940. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — OR SALE; LADY'S bicycle for anything I can use; fine condition; now tell me your troubles. Call today. WATTS, 551 Olive. Main 9059. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—I NEED SOME MILK cows and have some good suburban lots which I will trade for cows and give a good trade. Address F, box 179, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—SOME GOOD SUBURBan lots with all work done, for a good second-hand automobile; will give a good trade on this, as I need a machine. Address F, box 174, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO FINE BUILDING lots, $650. Would consider furniture eight or nine-room house or two diamonds about 1½ carats on lot. Address F, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—POOLROOM, BEST LOcation in city, 4 years' lease, low rent, 10 finest pool tables; big bargain; will exchange for city real estate; full particulars. LEUHRNER & CO., 629 S. Main st. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE CASH REGISTER, $200; soda fountain complete, $125, Chicago typewriter, $25, as payment on good lot, or what have you? PHONE MAIN 8951. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW HOUSEHOLD FURniture to the amount of $300 for diamond or anything I can carry with me. C. F. SCOTT, 203½ S. Broadway. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—DOUBLE BUGGY HARness, ordinary condition, collars, bridles, for chickens, shotgun, rifle, bicycle, what have you? Call Broadway 1984. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL EXCHANGE equity of $625 in large beautiful city lot, close in; for diamonds, or what have you? WRIGHT & CO., 202 Byrne Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—A FINE POOL TABLE, good as new, for an upright piano in good condition. Address D, box 186, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—STOCK IN GROWING business which is paying 8¼ per cent. on the investment, for an automobile in good condition. Address F, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—LARGE LOT IN GOOD suburb, all improvements, for land in Antelope Valley. Address F, box 175, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—A PATENT; IT WILL make you a fortune; for city or country property or cash. DILLON, 328 W. Ninth st. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—10-PASSENGER GASOline auto table-ho for equity in property or will pay cash difference. E. W. REID, 109 Wilson Blk. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—FAST PACING MARE for good diamond; can step better than 2.20; excellent matinee horse; going East. Address F, box 10, TIMES OFFICE. Tel. Main 8315. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU TO offer for a small 8-room lodging-house, paying $25 over expenses? Good furniture, with lease. Want lot or equity in cottage or diamonds or cash. 207 E. MAIN. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — NEW HIGH-GRADE, large size, mahogany case, new piano and cash for equity in lots in good location. BROADWAY 2661. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — PAIR OF OPERA glasses and other articles for cabinet organ in good working order. Address D, box 131, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU TO exchange for a nice business, value $2000? Address F, box 190, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — DENTISTRY BY REgent graduate; gentle; tailoring. Address E, box 144, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—$600 EQUITY IN $1000 lot, East Hollywood View tract, for diamonds or first payment on bungalow. W. W. SWEETZY, 602 S. Main. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR CLOSE IN LOT, piano and pianola, stool, scarf and fifty rolls of music; standard make piano. 2022 LEOTI AVE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD STOCKS AND clear eastern property. Come, what have you to trade? Address E, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 9

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FOR EXCHANGE—GOLD AND ENAMELED watch for ostrich plume, opera glasses, field case, or what have you. Phone Home 6611. 922 W. FIFTH ST. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU TO offer for a 32 saddle and bridle and a fine $75 Oliver typewriter, both as good as new. Address B, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—SILK LINED OXFORD gray Prince Albert coat and vest, size 38, for gun or tent in good condition. Address C, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—CHINA AND GLASSware for chickens or anything useful. Address Y, box 129, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—PIANO FOR ORIENTAL rugs, 416-18 SOUTH BROADWAY. Home Ex. 667, Main 2077. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—A LADY'S WHEEL FOR a sewing machine. Apply 624 W. 21ST. 9

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Horses, Cattle, Mules, Etc.

FOR SALE—4 VERY FINE YOUNG HORSES, well matched, color black; 1 pair weighs 2200, the other 2300; very handsome, good drivers. Call 793 E. WASHINGTON. 9

FOR SALE—JUST ARRIVED FROM MY ranch in Oregon, with 2 cars all purpose work horses. Call at SOUTHERN PACIFIC STOCK YARDS. James McBrien. 9

FOR SALE—NICE BAY HORSE, 8 YEARS old, perfectly gentle for any lady to drive, weighs 1000 pounds; a good general-purpose horse. 2220 W. PICO ST. 9

FOR SALE — 8 OR 10 GOOD COWS, SOME fresh; your choice from $35 to $40. F. A. MCCURDY, P. O. Box 45, Hynes, Cal., on Santa Ana car line; Michigan ave. 9

FOR SALE—HORSE 1100 LBS., NEW HARness and solicitor's buggy; rig $95; very cheap; have no use for rig. BELLEVUE STABLE, 342 S. Figueroa st. 9

FOR SALE — NICE BLACK DRIVING horse, harness and business wagon, worth $200; will sell for $175. Phone South 3437 Sunday. Call 2003 CENTRAL AVE., Sunday, South 1427. 9

FOR SALE—12 GOOD COWS AND TEAM 1400-pound horses, or would lease cows with 25-acre place and 60 acres corn land. LEONARD, Santa Ana. 9

FOR SALE—1 SMALL SPOTTED PONY, $50; 1 Shetland colt, $60; 1 Shetland mare, $100; also harness, carts and buggies. 1012 E. 9TH ST. Phone Main 6272. 9

FOR SALE — GOOD HORSE, EXPRESS wagon and harness; installments if desired, or cheap for cash. 2308 ENTERPRISE ST. Mateo-st. car. 9

FOR SALE — JERSEY COW, JUST FRESH, 16 quarts per day; will give 5 gallons on green food. 1417 W. WASHINGTON ST. 'Phone 4286 West. 9

FOR SALE — UNTIL TUESDAY ONLY, nothing like it at this price, $75, for horse, harness and surrey; good condition. Apply 429 W. 37TH ST. 9

FOR SALE—ONE LARGE, STYLISH CHESTnut horse, Victoria, harness and livery. Apply to MARLBOROUGH STABLES, 930 W. 23rd. 9

FOR SALE — A NO. 1 RANCH HORSE, 16 hands high, weight 1200 lbs., 9 years old. Inquire SUNNYSIDE STABLES, 1105 W. Pico st. 9

FOR SALE—10 TO 40 HEAD GRADED milk cows from $30 up; this is a snap. Address BOX 124, R.F.D., RIVERA, CAL. 9

FOR SALE — GOOD HONEST WORK horse, will sell cheap; no need for her; or will trade for small young mule. CALIFORNIA LAUNDRY, 337 E. First. 9

FOR SALE—2 LARGE BURROS, GOOD TO ride or pack, or will pay difference on small span mules. 725 S. ALVARADO. Home phone 52757. 9

FOR SALE—FINE SORREL MARE, 1100 lbs., 10 years old; good for any kind of work; afraid of nothing; $85. 894 E. 12TH. 'Phone South 253 9

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Horses, Cattle, Mules, Etc.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, 25 COWS AND heifers, 12 work horses, 3 wagons and harness, one horse; Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 10 a.m.; on the old Bassett Ranch, 1 mile east and 1 miles north of Gardena. Take Gardena electric cars to Strawberry Park; teams in waiting; 24 head good milk cows, Jerseys and Durhams, all in good condition, fresh and coming fresh soon, all good milkers; 2 yearling heifers, 2 heifer calves, 1 team work mules, 1 work horse, 1 set double work harness, household goods, etc. Terms, 6 months' time will be given with note and approved security, 6 per cent. discount for cash. I am leaving the ranch, and my entire herd and everything will positively be sold to the highest bidder. No reserve. Free lunch at noon. S. A. Winterton, owner. RHOADES, REED & RHOADES, Auc'rs. Office, 730 South Spring St. 9

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, 15 HEAD GOOD work horses, 2 head cows, Tuesday, Dec. 11, at 10 a.m. Laguna Ranch, one-half mile south of Calvary Cemetery, 3 miles east of city limits, between Downey and Whittier roads; 12 good work horses, weight from 1100 to 1600 pounds, age from 7 to 12 years; all well broke, and in good condition; 1 fine mule colt, 7 months old; 4 milk cows, all fresh inside of thirty days; all farming implements, 4 sets of heavy double harness, 1 2-sectioned roller, 1 4-disc plow, nearly new; hay stacker, hay sling, 2 sets fresno scrapers, 1 2-seated surrey, 1 single buggy and household furniture. As I am leaving the ranch, I will sell everything without reserve or limit. Terms made known on day of sale. Free lunch at noon. Wm. Garner, owner. RHOADES, REED & RHOADES, Auc'rs. Office, 730 South Spring St. 9

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, COWS, HORSES and farming implements., Saturday, Dec. 15, at 10 a.m. On Sherman Ranch, one-half mile north of Lugo, two and one-half miles east of Chino, 16 head good milk cows, 6 Holsteins, balance high-grade Jerseys, all giving good quantities of milk, fresh and in good condition; 1 good farm horse, 1 set harness, 1 good mower, 1 hay rake, 2 heavy lumber wagons, 1 spring wagon, two seats; 1 good buggy, 1 set single harness, 1 set double harness, 1 walking plow, 1 disc, 1 harrow; 6 fence panels one milk tank and aerator, bone cutter, corn sheller, lumber, chicken coops, ladders, and tools too numerous to mention. Cars to Lugo schoolhouse. Teams in waiting. Terms of sale, 6 months' time will be given. I am going to leave the ranch, and every-thing will be sold without reserve. Jos. P. Haun, owner. RHOADES, REED & RHOADES, Auc'rs. Office, 730 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE — MAMMOTH AUCTION SALE OF HORSES AND MULES, ON MONDAY, DEC. 16, AT 10 O'CLOCK, AT WATKINS STOCK YARDS, CORNER OF LYON AND RAMIREZ STS. I WILL SELL 100 HEAD OF UNBROKEN HORSES AND MARES AND COLTS FROM YEARLINGS UP TO 8 YEARS OLD, FROM 900 TO 1000 WEIGHT; ALSO 50 HEAD OF WELL BROKEN HORSES AND MULES; ALL THIS STOCK HAS BEEN CONSIGNED FROM THE NORTH AND WILL BE SOLD TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER. S. WATKINS, AUCTIONEER. DON'T FORGET THE NAME AND DATE. MONDAY, DEC. 16, AT 10 O'CLOCK. 10

FOR SALE—ONE NICE BROWN DRIVING mare, weighs about 1100 pounds, 7 years old, guaranteed to be sound and driven single or double; price $100. Also one nice pony, weighs about 800 pounds, sound and gentle to ride or drive, age 5 years, price $65. Also one nice chunky sorrel horse, age 8 years, and weighs about 1050; good worker; price $80. Also one sorrell mare, weighs about 1000 pounds, sound and gentle, suitable for delivery mare. $75. Also one good cheap work horse. Not call after Sunday. 1702 E. MAIN ST., just across the Main street bridge. 9

FOR SALE — JUST RECEIVED FROM THE North, 80 head of mules, 20 head of first-class young mules, weighing from 1000 lbs. to 1250 lbs.; also 1060 to 1200-lb. mules; also 20 head of the nicest blocky-built Fresno mules, weighing from 1000 to 1100 lbs. in every respect; also 50 head of mules suitable for camp or farm purposes, and can be sold reasonable. 757 SAN PEDRO STREET. 9

FOR SALE—THE MOST STYLISH CHESTnut sorrel horse in the city; weight, 1250 lbs.; 7 years old; sound and gentle, and suitable for surrey or any other work; one black mare, 1075 lbs., 7 years old, sound and gentle for lady to drive any place; one team of mules, weight, 2400 lbs.; sound and good worker; one team of light mules, off in hard work and is in good working flesh now. A snap. Call and try them. 216 WEST 10TH STREET, in alley.

FOR SALE—FINE LARGE DAPPLE-GRAY HORSE, 1150 POUNDS; 4 YEARS OLD, FINE ROADSTER, RUBBER-TIRED RUNABOUT, BUGGY AND HARNESS MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE. CHEAP. GOING EAST. CALL AND SEE OUTFIT AFTER 10 A.M. O'CLOCK AT 400 CENTRAL AVE. CORNER FOURTH AVE. 9

FOR SALE — 1 PAIR OF DARK BAY mares, about 1400 pounds each, 7 and 8 years old, work any where, single or double, city broke, have been used as team in every respect, also 1 pair brown horses, four years old and well matched, sound in every respect; weight 2600 pounds. 1201 SOUTH MAIN ST. 9

FOR SALE — 4-YEAR-OLD HORSE, WELL broke single or double, sound, 16½ hands; fine style and action; not afraid of cars or anything; make good carriage horse; price $200. Address BOX 204, or call White Oak and California sts., Monrovia, Cal. 9

FOR SALE — A SPLENDID MARE FOR carriage or other purpose; perfectly sound, gentle and fine build; 4 years old, and by her mother; weight 1250; price

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FOR SALE—HANDSOME SORREL weight 1150, 7 years old, and well broke. Call at ranch or delivery; bargain. Call 116 GRAND.

FOR SALE—TWO SPAN MULES of LUKE CRAIG, Burbank.

FOR SALE—HORSE, BUGGY AND outfit comparatively new, class, horse handsome bay, in prime good gaer, large bay, good for any Inquire M. M. HAYS, Nat. Bank Bldg. Tel. M. 6030.

FOR SALE—NANNY GOAT, BROKE drive, very gentle for children, to hamben car; get off Granada car, house northeast. E. T. McCAWLEY.

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FOR SALE—COW—FINE JERSEY young, good milker but dry now; to some dairyman with pasture. Phone

FOR SALE—1 SMALL BLACK BREE pony, 13 inches high; will ride or absolutely safe for children. 541 Y AVE.

FOR SALE—FINE LARGE BU horse, suitable for survey. Owner ha mobile; a bargain. THOMPSON, Alameda ave.

FOR SALE—$125 BUYS GOOD HORSE wagon; sound and gentle; fast good looker. Suitable for most any 929 S. BROADWAY.

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WANTED — LOAN OF $1800, PROPERTY worth $4000; also $1250, $1000, $2500, low. Security first class. J. BURRIS MITCHELL & CO., Home 3774. 9

WANTED—$600 TO $20,000 ON IMPROVED close in city property. T. WIESENDANGER, room 312, 207 South Broadway.

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FOR SALE—I OFFER THE FOLLOWING Coeur D'Alene stocks, all of which are good buys at these prices:

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Olinda Land Company stock is the best buy on the market at present prices. It is reported that the company is about to sell 2000 acres of its agricultural land at $90 per acre, reserving over 2000 acres of its oil land clear of any indebtedness. The present income from oil leases and the money which will be realized through the sale of land should permit the company to pay a handsome dividend about the first of the year.

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All of this is offered, and a large sum is not needed to become interested. Would be pleased to give detailed information.

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Small block of stock in Rice Ranch Oil Company at a very low figure. If you are going to buy it will pay you to see us before doing so.
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We have a proposition to submit to investors. You can put in from $25 to $5000 for a very safe investment that will pay you first-class returns in a very short time. We recommend this, and would like to have you call and investigate.
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Goldfield District—		
Adams	.17	.20
Atlanta	.70	.77
Black Butte Bonanza	.09	.11
Blue Bell	.18	.20
Blue Bull	.26	.29
Booth	.88	1.07
Daisy	1.80	2.25
Dixie	.13	.13
Great Bend	—	1.25
Great Bend Extension	.25	.28
Federal	.06	.12
Jumbo	3.80	3.95
Kendall	.55	.60
Lone Star	.23	.26
Mohawk	14.50	15.00
Mohawk Florence	.23	.30
Mohawk Gold Bar	.39½	.40
Red Top	3.80	4.00
Red Top Extension	.20	.23
Silver Pick	1.45	1.75
St. Ives	.74	—
Treasure	.11	—
Vernal Hercules	.23	.28
BULLFROG DISTRICT—		
Bullfrog Alliance	.29	.28
Bonnie Claire	.36	.41
Bullfrog Mining Co.	.44	—
Bullfrog National Bank	.57	—
Denver Bullfrog Annex	.28½	—
Gold Bar	1.35	—
Steinway	—	.40
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Jumping Jack	.12	.13
Manhattan Broncho	.15	—
Manhattan Consolidated	1.00	1.15
Manhattan Cowboy	.11	—
Manhattan Dexter	.75	—
Manhattan Little Joe	.06	—
Manhattan Standard	.07	.15
Pine Nut	.28	—
OTHER DISTRICTS—		
Bullfrog Jumbo	—	.06
Cyrus Noble	.10	.18
Columbia Gold and Silver	.03½	.04
Double Eagle	.05½	.07
Gold Creek	—	.06
Bullfrog Winner	.05	—
Goldfield Mng. Brokerage	.04	.06
Manhattan Gold Rand	.10½	.12
Manhattan Viking	.14	.15
Manhattan Midway	.07¼	.08
Red Oak	.25	.40
Lucky 7	—	.04
Transvaal Extension	—	.16
Nevada Manhattan M. & Ex.	—	.06
Goldfield Coming Nation	—	.07
Tokop	—	.05
Searchlight Parallel	.07¼	.09½
January Jones Expl.	—	.25
Pompeii	.18	.20
Searchlight Copper Gold	.01	.02
Round Mtn. Antelope	.75	.90
Sandy Bell	—	.06
Rogers Round Mtn.	.26	.30
Nevada Searchlight	.07¼	.09
Kawich Gold Reed	—	.06
Johnnie	.19	.20
Palmetto Lucky Strike	.07	.10
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Diamondfield Triangle	.60	.65
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Mohawk Leasing Syndicate	.35	.40
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Goddard	.07	.08
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Bigbee Quincy	—	.04
Baumann Copper	—	.60
King of Arizona	—	.30
Jerome Canyon Copper	.10	.14
Interocean	—	.25
Poland American	.07	.08
Lion Copper	—	.06
Verde King	—	.10
North Verde Copper	—	.02
Lincoln Gold	14.	.21
Eldorado Cons.	—	.25
Colorado Verde Gold Copper	—	.05
Arizona Copper	.08	.10
Empire Copper	—	.10
Carpenter	—	.50
CALIFORNIAS—		
Ajax Mng. & Mlg.	.06	.09
Bagdad Gold Copper	.01½	.03
Big 4	.06	.08
Coin Group	—	.05
Champion Hill	—	.24
Red Hills M. & S.	—	.12
Standard Mines No. 1	—	.12
King Solomon	—	.12
Mono M. & M.	.07	.08
Pyramid Belfer	1.40	2.00
Mt. Gaines Cons.	.30	.38
Standard No.	—	.08
Pagago Cons.	—	.05
OTHER STATES—		
Hermosa	—	.05
Magdalena	—	.04
Mina Grande M. & M.	—	.09
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Tarasca	.13	—
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Black Diamond	—	.004
California Copper Co.	—	.01
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Imperial Mines	—	.04½
Mount Vernon	—	.02
Jessie Bell	—	.02
Manhattan Gibraltar	—	.02
Greater Manhattan Cons.	—	.04½
Bullfrog Compound	—	.01
Goldfield Los Angeles	—	.05
Manhattan Main	—	.04
Tonopah of Goldfield	—	.00½
Mexico M. R. & Explor.	—	.05
Goldfield Gladiator	—	.09
Baldy Gold Copper	.00¾	.01
Mt. Whitney	—	.01
INDUSTRIALS—		
American Mill	—	.30
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Anti-Friction	1.80	1.90
Marconi of America	3.25	5.00
Marconi of Canada	1.50	4.00
Pacific Wireless	—	35.00
Mesa Grande T. & Gem	—	.45
Randsburg Rose	—	.15
L. A. Stove Co.	—	.15
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Tacoma Steel	.10	.14
Mercantile Trust	—	140.00
Ramona Cahuilla Gem Co.	—	6.00
Wallace Lindersmith Hotel Co.	.30	.50
Associated Oil	.51	.53
Electric Heating	—	.40
Majestic Oil	—	.05
Am. Magneto Appliance	—	.07
German American Savings	—	340.00
Home Savings Bank	—	—
Bidwell Cold Motor	.37	.41
Chilpoe Rubber Co.	62.00	94.00
Magney Trolley	—	.40
Am. Automatic Appliance	—	1.00
Golden State Motor Car	—	.50
Mohawk Leasing Syndicate	—	.35
Empire	—	.12
Mutual Prospecting & Dev.	—	.15
Goldfield Hub	.05	—

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I have had 10 years' experience in the Coeur d'Alene District and am anxious to give my clients the benefit of my knowledge, and put them into promising properties that will soon come into dividend payers. We only sell treasury stock of the different companies we represent and money invested with us goes to bringing the properties to paying mines.

The Snowstorm Copper Mining Company of the Coeur d'Alene is the first big Copper producer of the district and has demonstrated it as a great copper belt.

We were fortunate enough to secure the adjoining property to the Snowstorm. We refer to the "Snowstorm Extension Copper Mining Company." We have placed 100,000 shares of treasury stock, giving the company sufficient funds to prosecute development work with all possible speed for one year. We are 100 feet in on the tunnel, and copper stain and sulphurets are showing every foot. We do not think we are saying too much when we state we expect this to be a second Snowstorm and in a much shorter time because we have the benefit of all the experimental work of the Snowstorm, and can develop our property with a great deal less money.

In sixty days this stock will be worth 50c to $1.00.

Heretofore we have confined our efforts principally to properties in the Coeur d'Alene District, but we have made one exception, for the reason that it was too good a chance to let slip. We refer to the "D. & W. MINING COMPANY"

Its property is located very near home, only taking three days to examine the property and return. This is a copper property in the Whipple Mountain District, forty miles south of Needles, Cal., and 7 miles from the new railroad, "The Arizona-California." We just received a shipment of ore from the "D. & W." of 60 pounds. From assay made by Beaverstock and Staples we received a return of 45 per cent. copper ($198.44) per ton. We have the ore in the office and would be pleased to have you call to see it. The new district in which this property is located is known as "Copperfield."

If you are interested in mining you will make no mistake by seeing us. We have made money for local clients as well as elsewhere and can make it for you. We handle nothing but first-class mining properties, those which we have personally examined or had examined by our expert.

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Combination Extension—
The property belonging to this company joins the famous Combination Mine, at Goldfield. Now. The development work which is progressing as fast as men and money can push the work, both night and day. Look out for a big advance in this stock shortly, as the predictions are that it will be a second Mohawk. We have a limited amount of stock at fifty-five cents per share.

Greenwater Red Boy—
The property of this company consists of five claims situated in the wonderful Greenwater District, and adjoins Schwab, Kuntze's and all of the big ones. The work is progressing night and day. We can furnish a little stock at fifty cents. It is worth one dollar today.

Quartette Mining—
This company is located at Searchlight, and has been averaging for the last six years about $50,000 per month in gold bullion. It is considered the third largest free milling gold mine in the United States, if not in the world. A splendid investment at present prices, as we have every reason to believe that the large dividend now being paid will be increased very shortly.

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About 30 days since 400,000 shares of this stock was placed on the market and was oversubscribed 100,000 times in Boston in November. The price is now 8c a share and may be advanced at an early date to 5c owing to the fresh reports on our property, which comprise the sale of some claims adjoining our property, being only prospects, for $10,000 cash. The development work is going on all around us and we are only a short distance from the Nevada Consolidated Copper Company and the Giroux. We are in the mineralized belt. Our ore has been under the lime and iron capping of the district. We also have several claims in the Greenwater district adjoining the Copper King. These were carefully selected by Mr. Mingus, our president. Mingus is an old prospector and a good mining man, very energetic, honest and capable and he will give the property his personal attention. It is a rare opportunity to get in with as competent a man as Mr. Mingus. He will go to the properties the coming week and will send us some ore, which will be on exhibition at our office. Remember the price now is 2c and only a very limited number of shares at that. Call early and make your reservations because the price will surely be advanced at an early date.

PACIFIC SECURITIES & REALTY CO.,
312 O. T. Johnson Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.
Fiscal Agents Greenwater-Ely Consolidated Copper Co.
Phones Home 7744; Broadway 2431.
Office open Saturday evening until 9. 9

FOR SALE—DIVIDEND PAYING MINING stock, bank guaranteed; also Al bonds and good stock proposition; must sell quick. Address C, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 9

CAPITALISTS AND CONSERVATIVE INVESTORS WILL FIND IT TO THEIR INTEREST TO CALL ON US. WE HAVE SOME GILT-EDGED REALTY AND STOCKS FOR SALE. ALSO SOME BIG DIVIDEND PAYERS IN WELL KNOWN MINES, WHOSE STOCK IS NOT ON THE MARKET AT ANY PRICE.
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REALTY AND BROKERS,
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FOR SALE—A MORTGAGE FOR $1000 AT 8 per cent, interest for 1 year on 10 acres of best ranch property in Riverside county on main line of Santa Fe. Phone 7118 or Broadway 6891. 431 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—HERE IS A SNAP IN MINING stocks for some one. We have for sale stock in the following companies that must be sold at once:
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Golden Wonder.
Manhattan-Jett Canyon
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J. HANEY CO.,
Suite 211 and 212 Lankershim Bldg.,
Phone A4068. 3rd and Spring. 9

FOR SALE—I HAVE SEVERAL HUNDRED shares Improved Anti-Friction stock for sale cheap. Address F, box 185, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—STOCK OF FOREST GROVE Land Company, based on its water and park at Verdugo Park, north of Glendale, is the safe, sane and profitable investment of the time. See display ads on Financial Page, L. BLANKENHORN, 204 W. 8th st; L. A. 9

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NOTICE—ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN abolition of State license tax on corporations are requested to meet in ROOM 205, Lankershim Bldg. tomorrow (Monday) afternoon at 2 o'clock. Send postal or phone HOME A7360. 9

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26c for Black Hills Copper.
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Giant Ledge.
6c for Jerome Copper.
12c for Mt. Gaine.
$1.15 for Mexican Petroleum.
2½c for New Era.
$2.35 for Pacific Wireless.
4½d for Prov. G. & C.
$14 for Quartette M.
5c for Red Deer.
Snowstorm.
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Atlanta, 73c.
Angels Incorporated, 65c.
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1030 Big Creek, 56c.
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Bonnie Clare, 42c.
Bunker Hill, Ariz., 7c.
Buta, 90c.
Blue Bell, Cal.
Cholt, 36c.
Central Oil, $1.14½.
DeForest Wireless, $2.25.
Eclipse, $1.52.
Eldorado Canyon, 5½c.
East Naples, $27.
Greater Manhattan, 4½c.
Green Water Red Boy, 42c.
Happy Day, 6½c.
Headlight, 13c.
Jessie Bell, 2½c.
King of Arizona, 14c.
Keystone Cement.
Mattie Brewing, $165.
10 Lamb Fruit Co., $100.
Lincoln Gold Geo, 14c.
Los Angeles Stove Co.
Midnight Sun, 25c.
Mingus M., 17½c.
Mitchel Mining, $10.50.
Marconi Wireless, $47.50.
Marconi Canadian, $3.20.
Manhattan Gibraltar, 5½c.
Manhattan Jumbo, 5c.
Magney Trolley, 75c.
Mt. Union, 13½c.
Moonlight, 8½c.
McNamara Ex-Pooled, 3½c.
New Era, 2½c.
Nine Mile, Idaho, 9c.
O. K. Cons., 6c.
Prov. G. & C., 6c.
Pine Nut, 21c.
Rex, 20c.
Reindeer, 12c.
Rice Ranch Oil, $1.52½.
Searchlight Parallel, 9½.
Searchlight M. & M. 9½.
Searchlight Cop.-Gold, 2½.
Sea Side Water.
San Gabriel & Dup., $47.50.
Santa Ana Tin, 18c.
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Snowstorm Ex., 27c.
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Tarbox, 65c.
Tradedollar, 24c.
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JOHNNIE-GREENWATER CONSOLIDATED COPPER CO. (INC.)
A month ago a half-million shares of this stock were placed on the market and were over-SUBSCRIBED. The price was advanced to 1½ cents a share on December 1st.
Mr. B. T. Hickman, the president, on his return from the BLACK HAWK GROUP, recently brought with him some ore taken from just under the iron capping and only a few feet from the surface, which assayed as follows: Sample No. 1, a general average, $16.28 in copper, gold and silver; shipping grade, gold, $23.49; copper, $28.16; total, $61.96. There is now at the mines a piece of ore weighing 600 pounds that is largely copper glance and will go not less than 30 per cent. in copper.
Mr. Hickman has returned to the mines and it is the intention to push development work on this property. We have four other groups, the Elko in the Manhattan district, which has assayed as high as $900 per ton, a group of claims in the Buckskin district, a large body of high-grade ore, and adjoining the Ludwig mine, which is producing $80,000 a month and is reported to have been purchased by Senator Clark. Buckskin is pronounced to be the best of all the new districts.
Then we have four claims in the Greenwater district also have a group of four claims in the East Wallace River section, and the Walker River district is now attracting great attention. Mr. Hickman said in less than 30 days the public will be tumbling over themselves to get this stock, for development is bound to show them to be splendid properties. He has the force of miners at work on these claims and it will be increased as development requires. It is his intention to follow the ore body with an incline shaft. In the mean time he is piling up the shipping ore.
Another block of stock is now on the market at 1½ cents, but a limited number of shares at this price, as the development work at this time warrants a much better price.
Get your orders in early.
FISCAL AGENTS.
PROMOTING DEVELOPMENT QUARTZ CO.,
218 Delta Bldg., 626 S. Spring st.
9 Tel. F7480.

I HAVE 65 SHARES OF A LIME AND CEMENT company stock to sell at a bargain; will trade for lot in city or a runabout. Phone B4018. 9

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET IN ON SOME good ground-floor stocks in Goldfield, Bullfrog and Johnnie. "I HAVE THEM" and can give you inside information on a stock that will make you some money. See me Monday. U. S. G. TODD, 302 Lankershim Bldg. 9

I WILL TRADE PROPERTY FOR STOCK, or stock for property, or stocks for stocks. Address E, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 9

$2L REY GOLD MINING COMPANY.
If you fail to read our announcement under Mining Classification, you lose the opportunity to make some money, we lose the chance to make you a stockholder with us.
$2L REY GOLD MINING COMPANY. 9

WANTED—A BLOCK OF THE $100,000 ISsue of the guaranteed stock of the State Mutual Building and Loan Association; a handsome premium will be paid. Name price. Address Z, box 165, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — FEW OPTION CONTRACTS for Consolidated Realty Co. stock, at $147 per share; $570 cash takes them; shares Searchlight Parallel at 8 1-4c. Address C, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 9

TO CAPITALISTS—
I have a most liberal bank charter for sale, which has 30 years to run, and can be used in Los Angeles or San Francisco. D. E. WELLCOME, 210 Bradbury Bldg. 9

WANT PROMOTOR OR AGENT TO HANdle a block of stock of a first class placer mining proposition; company recently incorporated. Address F, box 93, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—TO PURCHASE $10,000 TO $50,000 of bonds of the California Development Co. No brokers. Owners only. Address with price and description. BUYER, 1201 Lake st. 9

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Rubber, Trojan gold
and copper or any other.
Address C, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE — DIVIDEND PAYING MINING stock, bank guarantee; also Al bonds and good stock proposition. Must sell quick. Address C, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE — A FEW SHARES OF HIGH-class stock in Arizona Tubercular Sanatorium. A rare opportunity. Call between 10 and 12 a.m. 644 S. MAIN. 9

FOR SALE—GILT EDGE MINING STOCKS. Choix, Enterprise, Parral Mines Co., Tonopah and Goldfield. Bargains and sure winners. ARTHUR GLEASON & CO., 225 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 9

FOR SALE — AUTO CAR RUNABOUT, late model; has new tires, gas lamps and folding top; runs like new, $325. Telephone Main 1652, 317 NEW HIGH ST. 9

WANTED—AT ONCE, 1000 JOHNNIE CONsolidated; 1000 California-Goldfield; 100 R. B. Steifer; 200 Pacific Wireless. Phone BROADWAY 1976.

FOR SALE—TO STOCKHOLDERS, GOLDfield Herald is listed on San Francisco Exchange. Don't sell a share now; will be worth $1 sure in 90 days. 9

FOR SALE—65 SHARES PACIFIC WIRElless stock, the best price takes it for quick sale. B. E. PARKINSON, 540 Chamber of Commerce.

I HAVE A LARGE BLOCK OF MOUNT Whitney stock, 3½c; would not sell but need the money. Address D, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—MONDAY, AN OFFER ON 25,000 Mount Whitney and 20,000 Roosevelt mining stock. CHAS. M. FRYE, 236 Mason Bldg. 9

WHAT WILL YOU GIVE FOR A FEW shares of Chiapas Rubber Plantation Co. stock? Address F, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 14

TEN SHARES UNION TRUST STOCK, paying quarterly dividends, for sale; make offer. Address D, box 4, TIMES OFFICE. 9

STOCKS AND BONDS—
And Mortgages.

FOR SALE—I WILL PAY 2½ CENTS FOR 1000 to 5000 shares of Bullfrog Compound. Address D, box 196, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE — CONSOLIDATED REALTY stock in blocks of 5 or 10 shares on the options. Address D, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—CONSOLIDATED REALTY CO. stock; a few option shares at $147.50. Address C, box 60, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—5000 SHARES OF BELUGA MINing. Quote lowest price. W. F. MOSES, 252 La Salle st., Chicago. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD STOCKS FOR house and lot, or lots. Address C, box 89, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE — ONLY 3670 SHARES LEFT IN Sutherland Automatic Coal Co., at 50c; you'd better get in. 211 W. FIRST. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — IMPERIAL WATER Co. stock, for 5-acre tract or lots. Address C, box 89, TIMES OFFICE. 9

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.

AUTOMOBILES.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE A 1906 4-CYLINder shaft-drive Tourist, storage battery, leather cape top, 4-inch tires, Gabriel horn, tools, etc.; snap, $1350. 830 S. MAIN ST. Phone F7480. 9

FOR SALE — AUTOMOBILE AT A GREAT bargain. This car will be suitable to rebuild or to use for experimental work, and $200 cash takes it. Apply THE WOODILL AUTO CO.'S FIRE PROOF GARAGE, 6th and Los Angeles streets. 11

FOR SALE—1906 TOURING CAR, SEATS 5; equipped with extra tires, meter, clock, top and all storm curtains; will guarantee in good condition and demonstrate any time. Will trade for unincumbered real estate. Address D, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—I HAVE THE BEST LITTLE Oldsmobile in the city, just repainted and all overhauled; will sell for $175. Deal with owner and get a bargain. Address F, box 162, TIMES OFFICE. 9

SAVE $300; JUST ONE LATEST MODEL side entrance 18-horse power touring car, new and less than factory price, because it belongs to eastern party. 1113 S. MAIN ST. 15

1906 4-CYLINDER RUNABOUT, BASKET, Gabriel horn, gas lamp, extra tube, tools; car is a beauty, $875 is all we ask; cost $1500. HOME GARAGE, 923 S. Main. Phone Broadway 3359. 9

TO TRADE—2 GOOD EQUITIES IN WELL located lots for an automobile, good repair; also 1 clear lot in Oxford Heights to sell or trade. 830 S. MAIN ST. Phone F7480. 9

MUST BE SOLD MONDAY—
$350—Fine 4-cylinder touring car, 20-H.P.; good tires; everything in first-class condition; the greatest bargain ever offered in an automobile. Call Monday, 153 N. MAIN ST. 9

FOR SALE—ALMOST NEW INDIAN MOtorcycle with tandem attachment; cost $320; will trade for office furniture or runabout and pay cash difference, or sell for $160 net. Address C, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—AUTOMOBILES TO REBUILD, overhaul or repair; perfect satisfaction guaranteed; machines bought and sold on commission. W. G. DANDY, 1640 West Washington. 9

FOR SALE—FINE 4-CYLINDER 5-PASSENger automobile, in splendid running order; equipped with cape top, searchlight, and speedometer; tires practically new; will sell cheap or trade for lots. 857 GRAND BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE FOR REAL estate or mortgage notes, Waverly Electric trap, new 40-cell batteries, hard rubber tires. 631 WESTLAKE AVE. Home E7663, afternoons.

FOR SALE—CADILLAC IN PERFECT ORder; has new tires and tonneau; must sell at $400; this is a snap. Address ROGERS, 1227 E. Adams. Phone 22078.

A BARGAIN FOR CASH, POPE-TOLEDO, 1906 model, side entrance, in perfect condition, new tires, fully equipped. Address N, box 41, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — '06 OLDSMOBILE TOURING car, top lamps, roadometer, etc., cost $2700; bargain. Call 4606 Home Phone, or at No. 1 BROOK AVE., Venice. 9

FOR SALE—ALMOST NEW TWO-SEATED 2-cylinder 16 horsepower auto, with top; cost $1450. Sacrifice for $600. Easy payments. 1740 EAST 8th ST. Phone car. 9

FOR SALE—OLDS RUNABOUT IN FIRST-class condition; new cylinder, new paint, rear seat, extra tire complete; a bargain. W. G. DANDY, 1640 West Washington. 9

WANTED — GOOD AUTOMOBILE, WITH first-class machinery; will give (clear) eastern land and some cash. Address F, box 167, TIMES OFFICE. 12

WANTED—DIAMONDS, LOT, FURNITURE, piano, or anything to exchange for new automobile. Address Y, box 161, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED — AN AUTOMOBILE IN GOOD shape; will give in exchange city property that is gilt edge. I mean business. Address Y, box 160, TIMES OFFICE. 9

NOTICE—$3000 CASH WILL PURCHASE a first-class automobile; a money maker, for one who understands it. Address B, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 9

AGENCY FOR ONE OF THE BEST AUTOmobiles for the coast; a chance to get it taken at once; good reason for selling. Address C, box 33, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—ONE PIERCE GREAT ARROW, good condition; at a bargain. W. E. HINE, PIERCE ARROW AGENCY, 963-5 S. Main

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.
AUTOMOBILES.

NOTICE — AUTO BARGAINS in question: 1906 and 1904 Pope-Toledo Touring Cars; 1904 6-cylinder Pope-Hartford; 1904 6-cylinder Pope-Tribune; 1904 4-cylinder Franklin; 1904 6-cylinder Stoddard-Dayton; 1904 4-cylinder Pope-Robinson; 1904 4-cylinder Pope-Toledo; 1904 4-cylinder Pope-Tribune; 1904 4-cylinder Pope-Hartford

PRETTY GIRL IS ARRESTED.

WILL BE TAKEN TO MISSOURI ON SERIOUS CHARGE.

She Is Needed as Witness Against Man Who Is Alleged to Have Deserted Family for Her—She Is Accused of Accepting Bribe to Disappear Before Trial.

Lulu Griggs, a handsome girl, is in the City Jail. This very silent prisoner is wanted in Paris, Mo., on a charge of receiving a bribe. Detectives Jones and Boyd yesterday arrested the girl and she will be held pending the arrival of an officer from Missouri, on whose description the arrest was made.

Yesterday the handsome prisoner refused absolutely to talk. She said: "I have nothing to say," and what is more, stood by the declaration. From the information in the possession of the local department, it appears that she is needed as a witness in an important criminal case in Paris. Some time ago she is alleged to have received a large sum of money provided that she left the State before the trial. She was with her brother in this city when the detectives found her.

The case in which she is wanted as a witness is one of the State of Missouri against Hugh D. Mudd, a wealthy citizen of Monroe City. Without her testimony, it is said, no case could be made against him.

It is alleged that the girl, when only sixteen years old, left Monroe City in company with Mudd, going to St. Louis and then to Hot Springs, Ark., where they were arrested. Miss Griggs claimed that she had been induced to leave home by promises of good positions in the city. Mudd, who has a wife and eight children, was at once indicted for enticing the girl from home for immoral purposes.

When the case was called for trial the State was forced to ask for a continuance on the grounds that the prosecuting witness had disappeared. Sheriff Nolen is on the way to this city to take the girl back. She is the daughter of poor parents and is one of a large family of children.

TWO AUTOS STOLEN.

In One Case Chauffeur Is Kidnaped. Two Men Arrested Early This Morning on Suspicion.

Imre Clawson and Russel Cromwell were arrested at an early hour this morning by Detectives Chapman and Home on suspicion of having stolen L. A. Denker's automobile and kidnaped the chauffeur at the Civic Athletic Club pavilion near Naud Junction Friday night. The police thought for a time that the trio, which took the car robbed the saloon, but are now positive that they were mistaken.

After working all day Saturday, the officers found the automobile in front of No. 1023 Staunton avenue. They had some difficulty in locating the men, but finally secured trace of them. The officers are at a loss to know who the third man is. Denker was called from his home at No. 228 West Twenty-fourth street to identify the car.

R. C. Hillman of No. 143 East Avenue 43 reported to the police early this morning that his automobile had been stolen from in front of No. 625 South Westlake avenue. The police are working on the case, but have not located the machine.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

Edward Mollenhouer was arrested on the Salt Lake tracks, near Downey avenue, late yesterday afternoon on a charge of suspicion. The policeman said that he noticed Mollenhouer carried a bag and, upon investigating, found that it contained several lead sewer traps, some brass and other pieces of junk. Mollenhouer said that he had been staying at the Salvation Army Hotel, but failed to describe the place. The officer said he believed Mollenhouer is a young tramp making his way to Los Angeles.

SKULL IS FRACTURED.

Edward Johnson of No. 2110 Sacramento street fell from the loft of a barn at No. 1223 Santa Fé avenue early this morning and fractured his skull. He is fatally injured. According to the officers who investigated the case, Johnson is employed by a company which keeps its horses at the Charter Oak barn on Santa Fé avenue. Johnson went into the loft and fell asleep. When he awakened, he attempted to leave the barn and fell. He was sent to the Receiving Hospital.

SANGUINE OF PROOF.

The police claim that they have seven cases of room-working practically proven against Dan Sullivan, J. W. Howard, and John Valentine. Sullivan is the "gentleman burglar" who left a note in a victim's house several nights before his arrest. The other two men were arrested two days ago. All are members of one gang, according to the police, and had been pillaging rooms throughout the downtown and inner residence and apartment-house districts in a systematic manner.

MOTHER SEEKS LOST CHILD.

Mrs. Albert Zahnd of San Francisco, who is now staying at the Bentley House, corner of Central avenue and Second street, is here in search of her little daughter, from whom she was separated at the time of the earthquake. She heard that the child had come to Los Angeles with the wife of a San Francisco baker, but she can find no trace of her. The little girl is four years old, slender, with brown hair, blue eyes, and a sallow complexion. She is very fond of talking.

SAVED BY FENDER.

José Escorral, a Mexican laborer, was caught by the fender of an inbound Washington-street car at Second and Alameda streets last night about 7 o'clock and was slightly bruised about the head. The Mexican was sent to the Receiving Hospital. Surgeons said that he had sustained slight concussion from his fall.

MAY BE "BLIND PIG."

Henry Saver was arrested on Satello, near San Fernando street, yesterday on the charge of violating the liquor ordinance. According to the arresting officers, Saver had been conducting a resort where liquor was sold without a city license. The police have been endeavoring to secure evidence against the place for some time.

FREE SEEDS HERE.

A limited quantity of the vegetable seeds annually distributed free by the United States government has been received at the Chamber of Commerce and the packages are available to callers at the information bureau on the second floor.

CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY.

The auxiliary of the Children's Home Society will meet on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at No. 901 East Twenty-fifth street. The object of this society is to find homes for children who for various reasons may be left in the world without a home.

MOTHER WOUNDS CHILD.

Frightened by Supposed Burglar She Secures Pistol Which Explodes in Her Trembling Hands.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 8.—Fearing robbers were trying to gain entrance to her house last night, when a deaf neighbor, who had a message from her husband, kept knocking at the front door, after she had inquired who was there, Mrs. Christimp of Fair Oaks, Pa., called to her young son to bring her a revolver.

While she was examining the weapon it was accidentally discharged, the bullet passing through the stomach of her eleven-year-old daughter, Katherine, and inflicting what is considered a fatal wound.

DOCTOR WANTS WEDLOCK CURB.

SAYS NO OTHER PLAN CAN REDUCE DEFECTIVE CLASS.

His Theory Is That All Candidates for Matrimony Ought to Be Examined and Secure Not Only Certificate of Personal Health but of Sound Ancestry.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—State regulation of marriage was advocated last night by Dr. Frank Billings, president of the Illinois State Board of Charities in an address before the National Conference on Truancy. His audience was largely made up of experts in charity and reformatory lines and his declaration while it created surprise, was greeted with applause.

He was speaking on "Should wards of the State be separated from the public school children?" and drew a picture of backward methods of instruction which the State Board of Charities had found in certain institutions.

"But we physicians believe in getting to the root of a disease," said Dr. Billings, bringing his address to a close. "There is no use in taking any other point of view. The root of this trouble lies in the existing freedom of marriage.

"I do not believe there should be any such freedom of marriage. I am no lawyer, but I would like to see society put on its statute books a law forbidding two people to be married not merely until they had secured a certificate of health from a reputable physician, but until they had obtained a certificate of inheritance showing their antecedents.

"This sounds drastic, but the increase in the defective classes is so impressive as to warrant such a conclusion. Two per cent. of the population of Illinois is insane. The number of defectives is increasing 3 per cent. annually."

RUSSIA BUYS HARVESTERS.

American Agricultural Implement Companies Send Six Shiploads to Czar's Domain.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Record-breaking exports of agricultural machinery, it is said, are about to be made to Russia by the International Harvester Company. Nine chartered steamships will be dispatched to the Black and Baltic Sea ports. British, Swedish and Norwegian vessels will be employed. The first vessel is scheduled to sail next week.

In addition to these complete shiploads, part cargoes will be forwarded by regular liner boats which will bring up the total shipments to North and South Russia to close to 100,000 tons this season.

This will mean the loading of nearly 3000 cars of material, representing a value of fully $5,000,000.

Six entire cargoes of reapers, mowers, harvesters, rakes, etc., will be forwarded to Odessa and Novorossik on the Black Sea.

STRIKE A FAILURE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ODESSA, Dec. 7.—The strike of the local seamen which began about a month ago has collapsed.

WITTE SEES CZAR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 7.—Count Witte, the former Premier of Russia, who recently returned from abroad, was received in audience by the Emperor today. The Count's reception has been delayed on account of his ill health.

ANARCHISTS CAPTURED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ODESSA, Dec. 8.—A band of anarchists today made a daring attempt to attack a mail train between Odessa and Vosnessensk, but were driven off by a military patrol. The troops captured fourteen of the anarchists, all of whom carried bombs and revolvers.

BAND BROKEN UP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WARSAW, Dec. 8.—A military raid on the Rukoff Iron Works at Czenstochowa today resulted in breaking up an extensive revolutionary organ. Eighty-seven members of the band were arrested, including fifteen terrorists, suspected of participation in recent murders and robberies.

HONOR FIRST FLYERS.

Experts and Neighbors Support Wright Brothers in Their Aeronautic Claims of Precedence.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Wilbur and Orxill Wright of Dayton, O., whose claims to have been the first men to fly, are supported by Octave Chanute of Chicago, former president of the Western Association of Engineers, and by witnesses in their home town.

They were the center of attraction yesterday at the Aero Club show. Both Wilbur and Orville Wright declined to make any comment on the recent dispatches from abroad regarding their negotiations with the French government. John Brisben Walker gave a dinner last night at the Century Club in their honor, at which Chanute and others were present.

CUTS OFF GIRL'S HAIR.

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Dec. 8.—Michael Kurovik of Homestead, Pa., attacked Edna Story, 17 years of age, in her home tonight, and cut off her hair with a razor. He narrowly escaped lynching.

Miss Story met Kurovik in the hallway, and without a word of explanation, he seized her by the hair, and with on slash, cut the greater part of it off.

The girl's cries attracted a crowd, who captured Kurovik, and were preparing to hang him, when he was rescued by the police. Surrounded by the mob, which fought them for the prisoner, officers rushed Kurovik to the Police Station.

WAGNER'S WIDOW ILL.

BEYREUTH, Dec. 18.—Cosima Wagner, widow of Richard Wagner, is lying exceedingly ill here.

PROPOSE NOVEL CORPORATE TAX.

REVENUE COMMISSION OFFERS A NEW PLAN OF ASSESSMENT.

If Legislature Approves, Public Service Companies Will Pay on the Basis of Gross Earnings—Banks Will Settle Through Stockholders for Price of Shares and Surplus.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—A gross earnings tax on public-service corporations, to be paid to the State in lieu of the political form of local taxation on these concerns, is one of the innovations the commission on the reform and revision of the revenue laws will propose to the Legislature next month.

The commission's proposal is to separate entirely State from local taxes. The idea is that with a gross earnings tax on public-service corporations the State would not levy a tax on general property, as it does now. And while the several communities would lose the revenues they now derive from the local taxation of these corporations, it is estimated that the proposed plan would work to them an annual saving in excess of $4,000,000. The corporations the commission proposes to withdraw from local taxation are railroads, including street railways, car companies, express companies, heat, light and power companies, telegraph and telephone companies, banks and insurance companies.

The banks are not to be included in the general gross earnings scheme. They are to be taxed through their stockholders, the commission proposing a rate of 1 per cent. on the amount paid in on stock subscriptions, plus accumulated surplus, the banks to be allowed credit for any local taxes paid on real estate.

BERIBERI AND SUICIDE AT SEA.

TWO SHIPS MAKE TERRIBLE VOYAGES FROM CHINA.

Crew of One Vessel Is Infected by Diseased Coolies in Mediterranean and One Passenger Jumps Overboard—On Another Religious Fervor Crazes Mohammedan.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Death from beribberi and suicide marked the long journey of steamships which came to their piers here yesterday. The ships were the Foxley from China, and the Den of Mains from Java. Hardly had the Foxley left Algeirs on her way home when beriberi appeared among the coolies in the crew. As the vessel passed Gibraltar half the crew were in their bunks unable to move a limb. On November 2 one of the men died. The next day another was dead and the day following a coolie, crazed with delirium, committed suicide by throwing himself into the sea.

It was while the Den of Mains was off Mecca in the Red Sea that her troubles began.

Manobin Sahid, with hands uplifted and a look of religious fervor on his face, suddenly cast himself into the sea, uttering a prayer to Mohammed. In a twinkling the other thirty-four Lascars in the crew prepared to follow him. Capt. Sawyer and his officers quieted them with difficulty.

G.A.R. TO TALK OF ENCAMPMENT.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MAY ABANDON SARATOGA.

City Selected at Last General Rally of Veterans Has Not Complied With Certain Conditions and Meeting Will Discuss Feasibility of Change to Some Other Site.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 8.—A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic was called today by Commander-in-Chief H. B. Brown at Zanesville, O., January 7, at which definite consideration of the location of the national encampment next year will be taken up.

The national encampment of 1906 voted to meet next year at Saratoga, N. Y., but it is understood certain conditions in regard to the encampment have not been met by the city, although an extension of time was granted and the location of the encampment at another city is a possibility.

OBITUARY.

Col. J. W. Hartzell.

VALLEJO (Cal.) Dec. 8.—Col. J. W. Hartzell, a prominent railroad promoter and brother of Bishop Hartzell of the Methodist Episcopal Church, died here today, aged 63 years.

Miss Adeline Thompson.

PHILADELPHIA (Pa.) Dec. 8.—Miss Adeline Thomson, a belle in the social world of the nation in the early years of last century, died at her home here today, aged 103 years.

Maj. John Stratman.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Maj. John Stratman, a well-known man in the early days of California, is dead. At one time he was a potent factor in Republican politics of the State. He came to California in 1850. For a time he was the publisher of the San Francisco Post. For many years Maj. Stratman resided in Seattle, but he finally returned to California. He was a native of Philadelphia, 82 years of age.

Bishop George F. Seymour.

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Dec. 8.—Bishop George F. Seymour of the Episcopal diocese of Springfield died this morning. Death was due to an attack of pneumonia, from which he had been in a critical condition for more than a fortnight.

Col. L. F. Moulton.

COLUSA, Dec. 8.—Col. L. F. Moulton died this morning from injuries received by being thrown from his buggy Thursday evening.

FLASHES FROM WIRES.

Although it was officially announced in Guayaquil, Ecuador, that the rebels under Col. Vega were defeated near Cuenca, it is reported from various sources that Vega is moving on Huigra and Ahaust, with the view of interrupting communication with Quito. Government troops under Col. Pao have left Cuenca to take the rebels, and Gen. Montezo, with another force, has started for Riobamba to cut off their retreat.

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UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Postal Telegraph Company for W. E. Keller, Mrs. Geannah L. Gliddens, Jauman, Wm. Braun, Brubaker & Huntley, and I. V. Busch.

SOCIALIST GETS ABUSIVE.

Attacks Administration of Congo Independent State—Dubs Leopold a "Trust" Man.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BRUSSELS, Dec. 8.—M. Vanderveldt, the leader of the Socialist party, delivered a speech in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday in which he violently attacked the administration of the Congo Independent State and the maltreatment of the natives thereof.

In the course of his remarks he designated King Leopold as an associate and an emulator of the chiefs of the great American commercial combines.

TWENTY VESSELS FROZEN IN.

SAULTE SAINT MARIE (Mich.) Dec. 8.—Twenty vessels are fast in the ice in the St. Mary River, the cold snap of the past few days having caused six to eight inches of ice.

Auctions.

Auction
28 Cows and Heifers
2 Work Mules
1 Work Horse
Thursday, December 13th
At 10 a. m. on the old Bassett Ranch 1 mile east and 1 mile north of
GARDENA.

Take Gardena electric cars to Strawberry Park, teams in waiting; 34 head good milk cows, Jerseys and Durhams, all in good condition, fresh and coming fresh soon, all good milkers; 2 yearling heifers, 2 heifer calves, 1 team work mules, 1 work horse, 1 set double work harness, household goods, etc. Terms, 6 months time will be given with note and approved security 5 per cent. discount for cash. I am leaving the ranch, and my entire herd and everything will positively be sold to the highest bidder. No reserve. Free lunch at noon. S. A. WINTERTON, owner.
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Auction
Furniture and Carpets
730 South Spring St.
Wednesday, Dec. 12
10 A. M.

Large consignment from warehouse, consisting of quartered oak, maple and mahogany dressers, chiffoniers, enameled iron and brass beds, springs, mattresses, mission and golden oak buffets, combination bookcase and desk, Morris chairs, rockers, maple chairs, mission library tables and lady's desk, fine inlaid mahogany card table, cabinet and upright folding beds, lace curtains, portieres, bedding, 3 wardrobes, extension tables, sanitary couches, refrigerators, pretty pictures, oak stands, parlor pool table, refrigerators, 9x12 Axminster and ingrain art squares, carpets, rugs, china, dinner set, fine gas ranges, cook stoves, heating stoves, kitchen tables, utensils, Inlaid linoleum, etc., etc. All must be sold on this date.
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Auction
1150 West Tenth St.
Monday, Dec. 10
10 a. m.

Entire furnishings of an 8-room residence, consisting of wicker and oak rockers and chairs, lady's desk, stands, maple dressers and commodes, bedroom suits, enameled iron beds, bedding, springs, mattresses, extension table, dining chairs, coil water heater, carpets, art squares, rugs, couches, dishes, gas ranges, lace curtains, kitchen tables, utensils, etc., etc.
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Auction
Restaurant and Grocery
730 South Spring Street
Friday, Dec. 14
10 a.m.

Large restaurant and grocery, removed for convenience of sale, consisting of 50 Vienna chairs, 40 leather seat metal chairs, nickel coffee urn; 16 tables, dishes, glassware, utensils, counters, shelving, hot cake plate, 26 stools, 18 ice cream tables, fine Opal refrigerator, gas range, 300 yards inlaid linoleum; everything pertaining to a first-class restaurant; also 20-H.P. well boring gasoline engine, hoisting buckets, blocks, tackle, etc.; groceries, canned goods, spices, extracts, sugar, coffees, lard, cigars, tobaccos, syrups, soaps, coffee grinder, scales, 2 small showcases, etc., etc. All must be sold on this date.
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Two and one-half miles east of Watts, 16 head of good milk cows, 6 Holstein, balance high-grade Jerseys; all giving good quantities of milk, mostly fresh and in good condition; 1 good farm horse, all farm implements; 1 good mower, 1 hay rake, 2 heavy lumber wagons, 1 spring wagon, two seats, 1 good buggy, 1 set single harness, 1 set double harness, 4 cultivators, 1 plow, 1 disc, 1 harrow, 4 fence panels, one milk tank and aerator, bone cutter, corn sheller, lumber, chicken coops, ladders and tools. Take Santa Ana cars to Lugo schoolhouse; teams in waiting. Terms of sale, 6 months' times will be given. I am going to leave the ranch, and everything will sell without reserve. JOS. F. HAUN, owner.
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15 Head Good Work Horses. 5 Head Cows
Tuesday, Dec. 11th
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Laguna Ranch

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ets of the City.

...cent rains, as unsual, call ...phatically the attention of ...rson who undertakes to get ...e steps of a street car to the ...e of the street to the trying con... ...existing on the throughfares, ...aved or unpaved. There has ...rely a street in the city nor ...corner, even in the center of ...that has not been a trial to ...ce of all who have had to ...e one side of the street to the ...It is an exceedingly difficult ...to grapple with. The city ...g so rapidly that it is impos... ...keep them clean because of ...e streets coming down from ...in various directions, which ...ved and from which the filth ...e washed by the heavy rains, ...it all over the center of the ...other points where part of a ...paved and for some reason ...the improvement is held up, ...itions are a great deal worse. ...places the property owners ...ed properly the two sides of ...while the railroad companies ...far been unable to perform ...y in paving between the ...In spots there are long ...of paved streets and then ...an unpaved portion from ...e earth is washed by the ...ver the paved portion of the ...enth street just west of ...after the recent rains, al... ...aved, is really in a worse ...than it was before. This is ...the little section from Fran... ...et westward where work is ...for some cause or other, and ...use between Figueroa and ...streets the railroad com... ...to far been unable to pave ...on of the street between the ...As one gets farther afield into ...districts where the streets ...been graded and tracts ...p for settlement, the condi... ...indescribably bad. Of course ...e in the "glorious climate" ...rains "everything outdoors ..." The engineering depart... ...the city government is months ...ith work on account of the ...mount pressed upon them. ...owners along many streets ...than glad, they are anxious, ...them paved and stand ready ...the expense, but the con... ...are so crowded with business ...letting of a contract is only ...away step in getting work ...Furthermore, all the contractors ...y have so much work to do ...have been able to force up ...for doing such work to a ...has almost reached the pro... ...It is one of the incon... ...of our rapid progress and ...perity. In view of this rea... ...probably should all endure ...inconveniences come in this ...as much patience as we can ...up.

...and Brick.

...ntroversy as to the stability ...ete buildings raised by the ...the Bixby Hotel at Long Beach ...ks ago is far from being set... ...is exceedingly desirable that ...finite conclusions might be ...upon this important head. ...er conclusion is reached should ...ample data, leaving no doubt ...e correctness of the verdict to ...ired. It would seem as if the ...thing to do would be for the ...of Commerce or some other ...organize a commission to in... ...thoroughly this whole sub... ...and reports upon them pub... ...but so far they are all made ...equate data and most of them ...rely ex parte. Brick makers ...investigated the disaster and ...med that reinforced concrete is ...proper material for large ...tions and proclaimed the ...fact to bear in mind is that ...here has been no possibility of

The Importa...

Of course ...settling the ...the standpo... being put ...crete buildi... only to wa... of them, bu... people who ...tures. But ...a vital one ...have little ... material wh... that coming ...taking mon... have consid... tons of ste... material is ... a local ind... to a great ... trious peop... brick and t... city will ... doors, keep... going to en...

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FACT AND COMMENT.

The city election is a thing of the past, but it has left a great many wonders in many ways behind it. Fact and comment writer is not kind to the candidates and their advertisements and resentments, as is to be hoped will not be lasting. The particular thing to here is the placarding of fences along the streets and real billboards with the multitudinous tacked up to make known excellent ability and shining virtues of various candidates. These are, of course, adorned with the most presentment of the candidates.

Shall Be Done With Them?

Cards, from the size of an ordinary business one to a quarter sheet; billboard, lumber poles, trees, lines of cuts through hills along roads and every spot where the city could tack an advertisement or condition. This is done with no care the rights of the owners of land or of the trees or of the public. Business houses have been allowed in seizing upon the occasion is addition to the political announcements are advertisements of all kinds from shoestrings to automobiles. If nothing is done the nuisance will grow and multiply until the whole of the billboards the board outside an ordinary real estate dealer's office on Spring street. Of course, the small boy sees his opportunity, and at last we may begin to see the poles entirely denuded of this ornamentation and the streets littered in a thoroughly disgusting manner with the remains of the two recent political campaigns. They will not only litter up the streets disgustingly, but they will be a dangerous source of annoyance to persons driving restive teams along the thoroughfares. It is hard to add another straw upon that overburdened camel's back, known as the city department, but really if a few of these could be spared off for a day or two it would be an exceedingly good thing. A drive through the city and a study of these cards, whether those of candidates or of business men, from the poles, the trees and the fences of embankments, and carry them to the incinerator to disappear forever.

Repairs of the City.

Recent rains, as unusual, call emphatically the attention of those who undertakes to get on the steps of a street car to the center of the street to the trying conditions existing on the throughfares, paved or unpaved. There has not been a street in the city nor a crossing, even in the center of the town, that has not been a trial to the temper of all who have had to cross the side of the street to the car. It is an exceedingly difficult problem to grapple with. The city grows so rapidly that it is impossible to keep them clean because of the mud coming down from the hills in various directions, which is washed and from which the filth is washed by the heavy rains, and if all over the center of the street at other points where part of a street is paved and for some reason or other the improvement is held up, conditions are a great deal worse. This places the property owners and property the two sides of the railroad companies who have been unable to perform their duty is paving between the rails. In spots there are long stretches of paved streets and then the unpaved portion from which earth is washed by the rains and the paved portion of the next street just west of it. After the recent rains, although it is really in a worse condition than it was before. This is a little section from Francisco westward where work is for some cause or other, and between Figueroa and Flower streets the railroad company has so far been unable to pave the center of the street between the rails. One gets farther afield into the districts where the streets have been graded and tracts laid for settlement, the condition is indescribably bad. Of course there is the "glorious climate" which makes "everything outdoors" possible. The engineering department of the city government is months behind with work on account of the pressure pressed upon them. Citizens along many streets are glad, they are anxious, to have paved and stand ready to pay the expense, but the contract is so crowded with business that the signing of a contract is only the first step in getting work done. Furthermore, all the contractors have so much work to do that they have been able to force up prices by doing such work to a point that almost reached the profit. This is one of the inconveniences of our rapid progress and growth. In view of this reason we should all endure these inconveniences come in this matter as much patience as we can

Value of Brick.

Any discovery as to the stability of buildings raised by the Long Beach Hotel at Long Beach which is far from being satisfactory is exceedingly desirable that such conclusions might be drawn. On this important head, however, a conclusion is reached should be made data, leaving no doubt as to the correctness of the verdict to be rendered. It would seem as if the thing to do would be for the Chamber of Commerce or some other body to appoint a commission to investigate thoroughly this whole subject. There have been investigations and reports upon them published, but so far they are all made up of data and most of them are ex parte. Brick makers have investigated the disaster and declared that reinforced concrete is the proper material for large buildings. Concrete men have made reports and proclaimed the fact. The most important thing to bear in mind is that there has been no possibility of reaching an adequate conclusion which might settle this controversy. The foundations of the hotel are believed to be still covered up and uninvestigated. Until the whole ruin is removed to the foundations, it will be impossible to form a thoroughly proper judgment. A commission, to be composed of some thoroughly intelligent person, interested in brick, a similar person interested in concrete, and then filled up with three or five or even seven architects of high reputation, would probably be able to arrive at some definite and just conclusion. Probably a committee of nine would be better than a committee of five.

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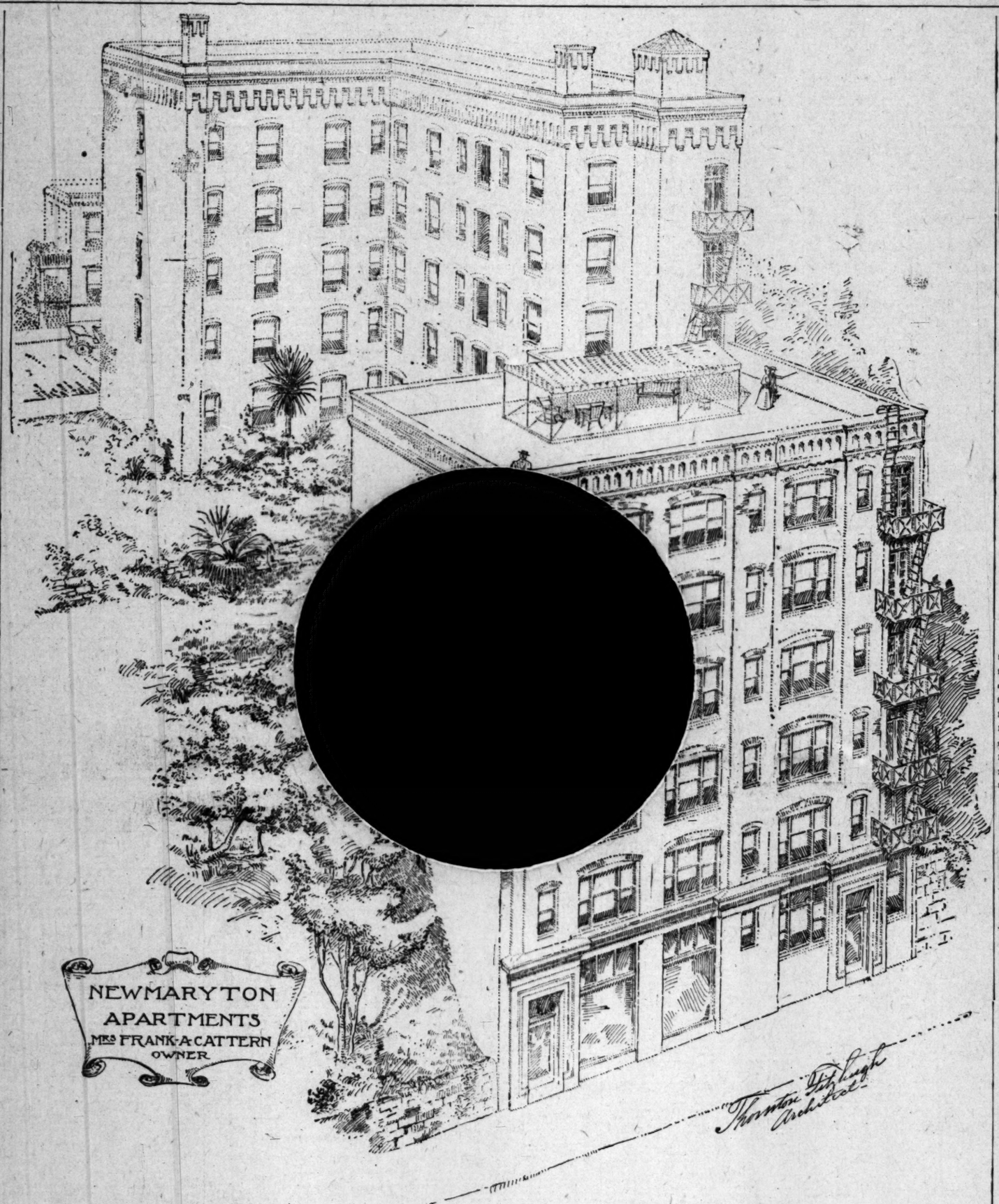
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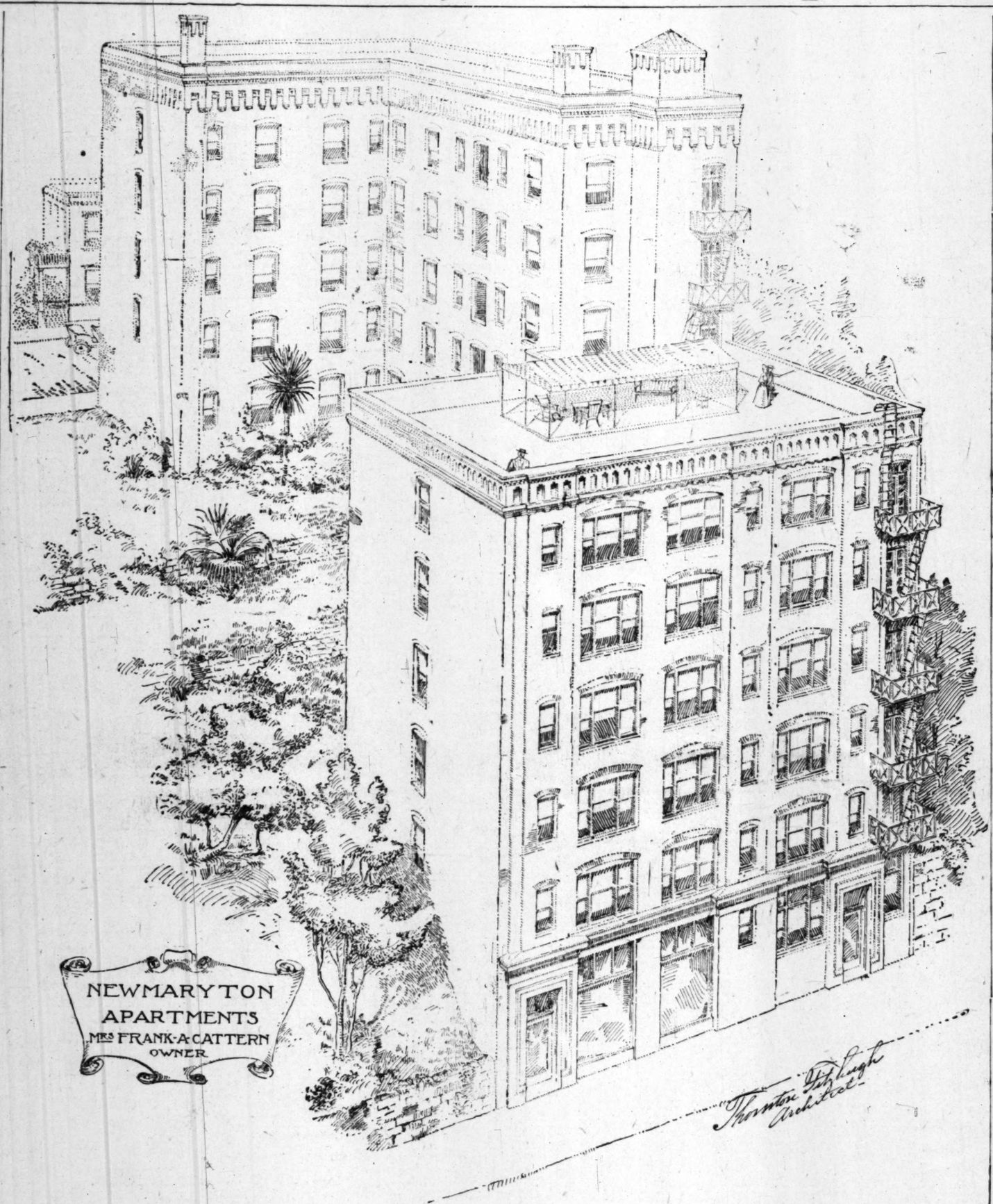
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SMITH & DIETER.

5-room modern residence, modern in every respect, consisting of four bedrooms and bath upstairs; reception hall, living-room, dining-room, large cement basement with furnace, connected with all rooms; located near corner 12th and Alvarado streets. Surrounded by handsome homes.

This is an excellent buy for any one wanting a nice home.

Can deliver this bargain for a few days only at $6500. Terms.

We can sell twelve lots near the corner of Western and Melrose avenues, directly opposite site of Pacific Bible College, at a bargain. Small payments down and $10 per month.

When the Bimini car line is completed to Melrose, prices on these lots will double in value.

ANOTHER GOOD BUY.

Modern residence of six large rooms and reception hall, large lot 50x150 to alley. This is a beautiful six-room house. West 40th street, near two car lines.

Can sell for $4750. Terms.

A BARGAIN—Modern eight-room house, lot 40x142. Improved. Union avenue, near Pico. Price only $6500.

Ask for MR. NEAL.

Second Floor Union Trust Bldg.

Phones—Home Ex. 7117; Sunset Ex. 493. 9

FOR SALE—$4400; HANDSOME AND ARTISTIC 6 room bungalow on West 29th st. Just completed. Oak floors, beam ceilings, paneled walls. Living room has unique fume fireplace, and built-in bookcases. Sun parlor all glass. Beautiful dining-room with a specially designed 8-foot buffet. Will consider vacant lot in a $2,000 or $15,000 house. The owner allows $5 for each foot you may choose them yourself. The porch alone would sell this place, as it is built across the entire front. Massive cement concrete foundation.

A desided bargain; let us show it to you at once. Good terms.

$4000.

WEST 36TH ST.—JUST A LITTLE BETTER than anything on the street. Near Harvard Blvd., 6 room bungalow; lot 50x140; hard wood floors, beam ceilings, paneled dining-room. Built-in buffet. 4 closets; walk in; automobile barn; nice driveway; $500 cash; $50 per month, including interest.

PIONEER INVESTMENT CO.,
707-8-9-10 GRANT BLDG.
FOURTH AND BROADWAY.

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HOLLYWOOD HOME BARGAINS.

FOR EXCHANGE OR SALE—
LOVELY HOLLYWOOD HOME.

Will exchange $7500 equity in $7500 9 room 2 story modern dwelling; lot 100x185; east front, ½ block north of Prospect and 2 blocks west of De Longpre's, heart of Hollywood, for modern 6 or 7 room S.W. Los Angeles house of about value my equity.

BEAUTIFUL HOLLYWOOD HOME, 8 ROOM MODERN.
LOT 80x180.
$5500.

Only 1 block north of Prospect, close in, exceptional location, grand view, cheap at $7500. Must owner leave city. Terms, $2500 cash, balance $2300, 3½ years at 6 per cent.

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10 ROOM MODERN HOME.

A lovely, almost new place, east front lot, 60x165, 1 block from car line, terms if desired.

FOR EXCHANGE—

HANDSOME HOLLYWOOD HOME.

For close in Los Angeles cottage, or bungalow and cash; ideal 10 room modern home, and elegant large grounds; very central.

See VANSTYCKLE, next to P.O. Hollywood. 9

FOR SALE—
NICELY LOCATED SOUTHWEST.

One and one-half story eight rooms, near West Adams street, living room 15x29, hall 12x 7, dining-room 15x26, with large brick mantel and buffet, panel dining-room with plate rail, hall, living room, dining-room has beam ceilings, panel work and floors of selected quartered oak, large oak stairway all rubbed down in pumice stone and oil; library is finished in slash grain Oregon pine; built-in book-cases; oak floor kitchen, 14x16, with pass pantry; screen porch with wash trays; brick basement; furnace, with all connections; three large bedrooms; large bathroom, best of plumbing throughout; large balcony, elegant fixtures; cement porch across entire front of house; lot 50x150 to alley; two feet above grade. This house was not built to sell, and has been completed less than four months; if you wish a house built like a piece of furniture, in a good neighborhood, with nice surroundings, don't overlook this, as it is $1000 under market, and won't last. Price $7500.

O. F. SCHERER, 200 FROST BLDG.
Tel. 7146. 9

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN FIVE-ROOM cottage at southeast corner Venice and Euclid avenue, Boyle Heights. This is a beautiful little home on high ground, in healthiest part of city, and if taken quick will sell cheap.

C. M. DUVERNET,
215 Fay Bldg.
A3703. Main 5263. 9

FOR SALE—
$2700—5-room cottage, west, worth more.

$2350—Elegant 6-room bungalow, near West 28th; fine elevation and view; terms.

$3500—New 7-room house, southwest. This is a bargain.

$4000—Modern 8-room house, a snap.

ALBERT L. WILLARD,
312 W. Third st., room 308. 9

FOR SALE—$4750; CHOICE HOME, NO. 1660 W. 25th street; new modern 8-room residence, all modern conveniences, all large rooms, all floors hardwood, good cellar, attic floored, fine combination lighting fixtures, stationary tubs; lot 50 feet front; would cost to duplicate, $6000; key at our office.

SHERWOOD & KOYER, 300 Trust Bldg., Second and Spring. 9

FOR SALE—

See if you can beat this. 5-room modern bungalow, finished in weathered oak; big lot; nice location; excellent view; on car line; will sell for $2800; terms if desired; discount for cash.

A. HINGER, corner 64th and Pasadena avenue. 9

FOR SALE — TO MAKE MONEY, TAKE GREEN CAR TO WEST JEFFERSON, GET OFF AT BRIGHTON, SEE NO. 1528 WEST JEFFERSON. LOT 50 FEET; 8-ROOM HOUSE; $5000. OWNER, 903 S. BROADWAY, ROOM 1. 9

FOR SALE—
HOME AND INVESTMENT, TOO.

This spacious 9-room mission-style home is located near W. Seventh and Rampart sts., on very large corner lot; the house is now a splendid home, having 5 bedrooms and every convenience; it fronts east and the neighborhood is unexcelled; but values are changing so rapidly that this corner cannot fail to be wanted for business or apartments reasonably soon, so to buy here now will surely make big money for the investor. The property would demand large rent if offered for that today. The price is only $10,500.

ON MAGNOLIA AVENUE.

Here is one of the most beautiful homes it has been our good fortune to offer. It sits in wide grounds, 70x140 feet to alley, and the location is one of the very finest in Alhambra. The lower floor arrangement includes living-room 17x30, with pressed brick mantel and fireplace, dining-room, sun-room, at the front, with brick mantel, buffet, paneled walls, etc., spacious reception hall, paneled and beamed 10-foot openings with living-room and dining-room, so that it is a splendid addition to the beautiful arrangement of this home; two steps lead down to the den, in the rear of the reception hall, and this apartment is paneled, carefully appointed and has brick mantel. The floors are all oak, the lighting fixtures very fine, every appointment carried out in elegant harmony; above the ornamental stairs are four very large bedrooms, and a floored attic, large enough for two fine rooms. This property is very cheap at $10,000.

NEAR WILSHIRE BOULEVARD.

In this splendid residence of 10 rooms we confidently offer one of the most complete and artistically finished homes of this beautiful city. The location is ideal, just off the Boulevard, and close to car service, in the heart of the already established home district. The appearance of this house in its charming environment will challenge your admiration and ready interest. The entrance is artistic; the large, spacious rooms open with beauty, and every appointment to meet the critical eye is placed with taste and skill. The lower floor arrangement includes living-room, library, dining-room, secluded den with outside entrance, pantries, and all domestic apartments complete, servant's room, etc. Above stairs are 4 splendid sleeping chambers, baloonies, bath, etc., with opportunity for two closet bath also. As this home is, of course, finished with the beamed and paneled effects, the built-in seats, bookcases, china cabinet, sideboard complete; the hardwood floors; and the richest, most perfect Flemish oak we have seen. Price is $11,500.

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MODERN 8-ROOM 2-STORY HOUSE, BUILT WHEN LUMBER, ETC., WAS 25 PER CENT. LOWER THAN NOW, AND OFFERED FOR SALE WITHIN $400 OF WHAT IT COST THE OWNER TO BUILD OVER A YEAR AGO. THIS GIVES ANY ONE AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY TO PICK UP AN ARTIST'S HOME UNDER THE MARKET PRICE.

THE LIVING ROOM IS LARGE WITH EXTRA SIZE MANTEL, AND IS FINISHED IN FINE BROWN WOODWORK. IT HAS, BESIDES, SEVERAL LARGE WINDOWS, FRENCH WINDOWS LEADING ON A BEAUTIFUL VERANDA, AFFORDING A FINE VIEW OF HOLLYWOOD. THE DINING ROOM HAS A SOUTH EXPOSURE, UNIQUE BUILT-IN BUFFET, AND IS UP TO DATE IN EVERY WAY. THE KITCHEN HAS A LARGE PANTRY ADJOINING, ALSO SCREEN PORCH WITH TWO SET TUBS AND EXTRA TOILET. FOUR LARGE BEDROOMS, ALL WITH CLOSETS AND FINE LARGE WINDOWS, MAKES UP A HOUSE WHICH YOU CANNOT BEAT FOR THE MONEY IN THE CITY.

THE LOT, 40x132, IS IMPROVED WITH LAWN AND FLOWERS, AND IS ON THIRD AVE., NEAR WASHINGTON. LET ME SHOW YOU THIS.

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$4500,
$6500.

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A COMFORTABLE, WELL-BUILT, NEW AND MODERN 9-ROOM HOUSE, SEE THIS PLACE. LOCATED ON HIGH GROUND IN THE SOUTH WEST, A LARGE LOT LOOKING DOWN ON A PRETTY STREET, WITH SPLENDID VIEW OF MOUNTAINS AND VALLEY. LARGE RECEPTION HALL, THE LIVING ROOM AND BILLIARD ROOM ARE 16x18, DINING-ROOM 20x20 WITH BUILT-IN ILLUMINATING BUFFET, BEAM CEILING AND WAINSCOTED. COZY FIREPLACE AND ARTISTIC MANTEL IN LIVING ROOM AND DINING ROOM. BREAKFAST ROOM WAINSCOTED, 7-FOOT WAINSCOTING, BURNED WOOD AND TAPESTRY WALLS. THIS ROOM HAS EAST EXPOSURE AND THE MORNING SUN IS ALL THE HEAT ONE NEEDS; 2 LARGE BEDROOMS DOWNSTAIRS WITH LARGE CLOSETS; ALSO LARGE BAY WINDOWS. PLENTY CLOSETS AND PLACES TO PUT AWAY THINGS. LARGE BATHROOM ON MAIN FLOOR AND SHOWER BATH WITH BUILT-IN CLOSET AND CHEST OF DRAWERS AND LINEN CLOSET. COMPLETE AND UP-TO-DATE KITCHEN WITH WOODSTONE FLOOR AND DRAIN BOARDS. OAK FLOORS THROUGHOUT LOWER PART OF HOUSE; 3 LARGE BEDROOMS UPSTAIRS WITH RUNNING WATER. VERY LARGE ATTIC. UNIQUE DESIGNED FIXTURES. LEADED ART WINDOWS. GAS AND ELECTRICITY. THE YARD IS IMPROVED WITH LAWN, FLOWERS, FINE GARDEN, PAGODA AND SUMMER HOUSE. SHED, ETC. THIS PLACE WAS NEVER BUILT FOR SALE AS YOU WILL SEE ON LOOKING IT OVER.

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GEORGE J. COTE,
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Sunset Main 8684. Home 516. 9

FOR SALE—

BARGAINS IN HOUSES.

EASY TERMS.

$100 cash; ONLY $100 cash and the balance at $20 per month. A modern 5-room cottage on a lot 50x150, located on 8th street, near Oregon ave., Santa Monica. Price $2600, and you can not buy it less for cash.

OUT WEST 29TH.

FIVE-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, nicely finished, modern in every way. Lot 50x120; the location is fine and in a section that values are increasing very rapidly. Price $2000, only $400 cash.

WEST 45TH STREET.

It is just like finding money to buy this elegant six-room bungalow for $2700. Just think of the places that you have seen at $3000 and you will have a full idea of this. Beamed ceilings, paneled walls, polished oak floors, laundry tubs, fine electric fixtures, and a lot 50x148. It sounds too good to be true, but let us show you.

OUT IN THE SOUTHWEST.

Story and a half bungalow, six fine large rooms. The work and material is strictly first-class, excellent plan, large lot, and as good a place for $4250 as you can find for more money. Would be pleased to call for you and make good our assertion that it is a good buy.

STOCKWELL REALTY CO.,
53 Parmalee-Dohrman Bldg., 444 S. Broadway.
Home P6646. Main 6124. 9

FOR SALE—
FOR THIS WEEK I OFFER

A big bargain in 1½-story modern and artistic bungalow. This choice home is not only EXTRA WELL BUILT, but very attractive, the living room and dining room, when thrown together, cover space 14x40; the living room has fine open fireplace, built-in bookcases and window seats; dining room has beam ceiling, is paneled 5 feet up with plate rail on top, elegant built-in buffet; woodwork in both finished antwerp; large kitchen, set tubs and laundry tubs and all other conveniences; 3 bedchambers, finished in white enamel; second story all floored and can be finished into 4 large rooms, which would give 10 rooms in all; location east front on Hobart blvd.; price $1000 under value.

HAMBRIGHT,
314 Laughlin Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—

A BEAUTIFUL HOME ON HIGH GROUND.

AT A DECIDED BARGAIN.

We offer on Montrose ave., just off Lake Shore and overlooking Echo Park, a 2-story and SPACIOUS MODERN HOME, at $4250. This choice property is WELL worth $5000. The location is very choice, growing more valuable every day. The house is well arranged and very artistic; has large reception hall, living room and dining room which can be thrown together, beautiful alcove, bay window with window seats in living room, also built-in bookcases, large buffet in dining room; kitchen with large pantries and screen porch off; 4 bedchambers and large bath upstairs; lot 50x150, south front.

Price $16,000, and will take back mortgage for part, if buyer desires.

HAMBRIGHT,
314 Laughlin Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—

CHEAP AND EASY.
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NEW FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, ALL MODERN.

$2400—
MAKE YOUR OWN TERMS.

CLOSE IN. GOOD STREET.
NEAR CAR LINE.

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SOLE AGENTS.

CLINE-WALL REALTY COMPANY,
502 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
Phones—Broadway 4885. Home A7509. 9

FOR SALE—
$3500—In swell southwest, 6 handsome rooms, strictly modern, large lot, north front, $500 cash.

$4000—Southwest district, 6 large rooms and breakfast room, up to date every way. $1000 cash.

$4250—A southwest beauty, 6 rooms and den, handsome mantel, buffet, polished floors, nickel plumbing, stationary tubs, screen porch, high-class workmanship; won't last long; only $1000 cash.

A. B. NOLTON & CO., 204 Frost Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
$3750—
WEST 29TH ST. NEAR WESTERN,
5-ROOM BUNGALOW.

NEW, STRICTLY UP-TO-DATE, OAK FLOORS, BOOK CASE, BRICK FIREPLACE, BUFFET, TWO TOILETS.

THIS WILL STAND VERY CLOSE INVESTIGATION.
GOOD TERMS.
CLINE-WALL REALTY COMPANY,
502 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
Phones—Broadway 4885. Home 7509. 9

FOR SALE—5-room modern cottage, near Ramona Acres. Price $2000. $400 cash, balance terms to suit.

$26,500 buys property close in that pays $2760 per year; ¼ cash, balance long time at 6 per cent.

THE D. J. SUTTON REALTY CO.,
705-6 Fay Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, AT 1542 W. 11TH ST. Owner must sell; no agents. 10

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$5450—

7-ROOM BUNGALOW ON LARGE LOT TO 15-FT. ALLEY; EXTRA LARGE ROOMS, OAK FLOORS THROUGHOUT; KITCHEN SCREEN PORCH, AND 2 BEDROOMS FINISHED IN WHITE ENAMEL. THIS IS AN ARTISTIC HOME AND MUST BE SEEN TO BE APPRECIATED. $1500 CASH, BALANCE EASY TERMS FOR A FEW DAYS.

$2900—

6-ROOM COTTAGE, ON S. SOTO ST.; LOT 40x120; NEW, MODERN; LAWN AND FLOWERS; $400 CASH, $25 PER MONTH.

$2650—

6-ROOM BUNGALOW, E. 21ST ST.; LOT 40x 134; BUILT-IN BUFFET, CABINET KITCHEN, TINTED WALLS, ELECTRIC LIGHTS, LAWN, FLOWERS, FRUIT TREES. THIS IS NEW AND MODERN; $750 CASH, $20 PER MONTH, INCLUDING INTEREST. TAKES IT.

PIONEER INVESTMENT & TRUST CO.,
707-8-9-10 GRANT BLDG., 4TH & B'DWAY. 9

FOR SALE—

W. J. POWER & CO.,

$1500—Modern 5 room cottage, northeast, high, healthy location, small payment down.

$2400—Modern 4 room cottage, northeast, lot 50x150, healthy location, $200 down.

$3800—Fine modern

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223-229 BRADBURY BLDG.

PHONES HOME A1663; MAIN 1953.

IF YOU ARE IN THE MARKET FOR AN UP-TO-DATE HOME IN THE WEST OR SOUTHWEST IT WILL PAY YOU TO LOOK OVER THE ONES WE ADVERTISE TODAY AS THEY ARE ALL FIRST-CLASS AND MOST OF THEM ARE ENTIRELY NEW.

A SIX-ROOM BEAUTY.

$4000—This entirely new six-room bungalow is located in the S.W. section of the city and surrounded by pretty homes. Large living-room with beamed ceilings, brick mantel flanked by two pretty built-in bookcases; dining-room with handsome paneled walls and beamed ceilings, brick mantel, built-in buffet and window seat; nice pass pantry and kitchen and screen porch; three pretty bedrooms in white and dainty tinted walls; this home has a very artistic exterior as well as interior; terms $1000 cash and $25 per month.

ONE AND ONE-HALF STORY.

$4250—$1000 cash, entirely new and right up-to-date; veranda across entire front; very large living-room with brick mantel flanked by two pretty built-in bookcases; the dining-room is large and has paneled walls and beamed ceiling; complete kitchen and screen porch with two stationary tubs; upstairs are three nice bedrooms and bath; lot 50x125; the floors in the living-room and dining-room are 7-8-inch oak (not the ordinary 3-8-inch.)

A BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW.

$3900—This is one of the best bungalows to be had in the S. W. section of the city; it contains six large rooms and reception hall; the lot is 60x135. The entrance is from a large veranda into hall on your right through pretty archway to living-room with handsome brick mantel, built-in bookcases and writing desk; through sliding doors into large dining-room which is paneled and has a very handsome built-in buffet; three very pretty bedrooms, two of which are finished in white; nice large kitchen with cabinets; also pantry with cabinets and bins. Attic with stairs from screen porch which makes a fine storage room. Fine lawn and flowers. This house has only been completed about four months.

EIGHT ROOMS.

$5000—$1000 cash; this nearly new, modern, 8-room house is located in a nice section of the S.W. near the Washington car line. Reception hall with built-in seat, living-room, library with brick mantel and beamed ceiling-room has pretty built-in buffet, all these rooms have the dark finish and oak floors. Upstairs are four nice bedchambers and bath; lot 50x135.

SEVEN PRETTY ROOMS.

$5400—Just completed, modern 7-room residence, and located only one block from the West Adams car line on an elevated lot 50x136; large living-room with mantel and beamed ceiling; the finish in this room is weathered oak. The dining-room is paneled, has built-in buffet, and the Flemish oak finish; kitchen and pantry in white; screen porch with two stationary tubs and extra toilet; cemented cellar and furnace; upstairs are four nice bedrooms with ventilated closets all finished in white.

NEAR BERKELEY SQUARE.

$6250—You may look the city over and not find the equal of this, all things taken in consideration. Nearly new, modern, 7 large rooms and large reception hall; you enter from nice porch into reception hall, on your left through pretty archway into living-room, through sliding doors to dining-room with built-in buffet; all these rooms have the weathered oak finish and hardwood floors; nice kitchen and pass pantry; finish in fine bedchambers and bath on second floor; lot 50x150 to alley and improved with good lawn and fruit trees; pretty little barn.

A PRETTY EAST-FRONT HOME.

$3500—This home of eight rooms is entirely new and never occupied; located near the W. Adams car line and surrounded by pretty homes. The reception hall, living-room and den occupy the whole front of the house and are only separated by beautiful archways; the living-room and den are paneled with Spanish leather; handsome dining-room which has beamed ceiling, paneled walls and built-in buffet; these rooms have the dark wood-work and oak floors; pretty pass pantry in white enamel; on the second floor are four pretty bedchambers and bath all finished in white enamel and have white maple floors; handsome lighting fixtures; lawn in; lot 50x135.

HOME AND INVESTMENT COMBINED.

$6350—This is a fine double house, which has been built less than two years; it's modern in every particular; location S.W. near Adams on a fine wide avenue; reception hall, living-room, dining-room, with built-in buffet, nice large kitchen and pass pantry; upstairs there are two nice bedrooms, bath, sewing-room and trunk room. The above description is only of one-half of this house, the other half is practically the same. This is an exceedingly fine opportunity for one that wants a nice home in a fine residence district, and still get a fair rate of interest on the money invested and free rent; lot 50x150.

VERY ARTISTIC NINE-ROOM HOME.

$8000—This entirely new, modern, nine-room house is located on the high ground in the West Adams Heights district. From a veranda with cement floor that extends across the entire front you enter into a pretty reception hall; on left of hall is the living-room with handsome brick sandstone mantel; the library has paneled walls, and built-in bookcases with leaded glass doors; the dining-room has beamed ceiling, paneled walls and a very artistic built-in buffet; all these rooms have the dark finish and oak floors. The kitchen and pass pantry are very complete having bins, cabinets, hot water heater, etc. Nice bath-room, lavatory, and screen porch with two set tubs complete the first floor. On the second floor are three fine bedchambers with very large closets, sewing-room and large bathroom; all the rooms are finished in white. Cellar with furnace to heat all the rooms. If you are looking for an artistic up-to-date home let us show you this.

A FINE NINE-ROOM HOUSE.

$7250—It's located on the heights, near Berkeley Square; large reception hall with built-in hall rack with large mirror; pretty living-room with coved ceilings and decorated walls, library with built-in seats and bookcases; dining-room, paneled walls and beamed ceilings, built-in buffet; all these rooms have the dark finish and oak floors; nice pass pantry, kitchen and screen porch. Upstairs are five nice bedchambers; all have polished floors. Large attic. House heated with furnace. Nice two-story barn; fine lawn; taking into consideration the price of building material and the price of lots in this locality one could not duplicate this place for less than $9000 today.

ON BEACON STREET.

$7500—This modern, 8-room house is located on Beacon st. between Ninth and 10th. Reception hall, living-room, library, dining-room, kitchen, pass pantry and screen porch on first floor; on the second floor are four nice bedchambers and bath; nice lawn in front and rear; two mantels and furnace. This is close in, and in a fine residence district. If you are looking for property in this locality we know it will pay you to investigate this.

NEAR WILSHIRE PLACE.

$11,500—This beautiful, new, modern, 10-room home is located on a fine east-front lot, just off Wilshire Blvd. Large living-room with handsome brick mantel, built-in bookcases and seats, beamed ceilings and paneled walls; library paneled with Spanish leather; beautiful dining-room with an elegant built-in buffet; a very cozy little den; nice kitchen and pantry; servants' room downstairs; upstairs there are 4 fine bedchambers and bath; hardwood floors throughout the house; furnace; nice lawn; lot 50x170. If you are in the market for a home of this class, let us show you this.

ON WESTLAKE AVE.

$12,500—This modern home of 12 rooms is located on Westlake ave. near Alvarado Terrace Park; large porch with cement floor; handsome reception hall; large living-room with white pressed-brick mantel; pretty dining-room with built-in buffet; library with mantel and built-in bookcases; all these rooms have the dark finish and oak floors. A butler's pantry, pass pantry, kitchen and breakfast room complete the first floor; on the second floor are five fine bed chambers and two bathrooms; on the third floor is one bedroom and very large billiard-room or amusement-room. This home is located in an exceedingly fine section of the city and the price is at least $2500 under value.

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223-229 BRADBURY BUILDING.

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PHONES HOME A1663; MAIN 1953.

Here are some snaps in good homes. If you are looking for a home, see us at once.

South of Washington, and near La Salle, 1 block from car line, lot 50x135; 6 rooms, 2 story; 3 large rooms and bathroom upstairs; large sun porch; large closets; screen porch; stationary washtubs; this is one of the best bargains in the southwest. Was built for a home, by owner, but must sell; price $4250.

On W. 25th st., next to corner; a magnificent home for sale; lot is 50x127; 2-story house; 8 large rooms, and an attic, large enough for billiard-room; cellar and furnace; beautiful driveway; flowers, fruit, chicken corrals and barn; this is a $6000 home for $4850.

On Hobart blvd., just north of Washington st., one the high land; magnificent 8-room house, large living-rooms; 2 toilets; baths; pantry, closets, built-in buffet; a strictly modern house; has never been offered for less than $6000; for quick sale, $5500.

Do you want a beautiful 7-room bungalow in the West Adams Heights tract, 1 block from Washington st. car line; all hardwood floors; grates, toilets, baths; built-in sideboard; flowers; lawn; in fact, a complete home for only $4200.

Here is a house, the best close-in buy in the city; 1007 Florida st.; lot 40x137 with good 2-story 6-room house; fruit, flowers and driveway. You can't buy a foot of unimproved ground in this block for less than $150 per front foot. The lot is worth $6000. The house will rent for $35 per month. You can buy this place for $5250 cash.

JAS. V. BALDWIN,
9 536-537-538 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

SOUTH MAIN ST. NEAR 42D ST.—MODERN, UP-TO-DATE 6 ROOM HOUSE, LOT 50x150; price $5250; half cash.

$5400—$5147. A PRETTY 5 ROOM BUNGALOW ARTISTICALLY FURNISHED, piano, etc., lawn, flowers, garage in rear, nice driveway. Budlong ave., one block from car line. Just what you want; beautiful surroundings.

$5000—50x125 MODERN BUNGALOW, OF FRENCH ARCHITECTURE, GARAGE IN rear; Budlong ave.

$4450—SIX ROOMS, 1½ STORY, MODERN HOUSE; LOT 52½x135 TO ALLEY, nice locality, few days only.

$6500—WEST 22D ST., BETWEEN GRAND AND FIGUEROA; 7 ROOM MOUSE AND 5 room house in rear. Lot 60x140. This is a snap.

$6300 FOR THE CORNER OF 16TH AND ESSEX; 50x150; GOOD 6 ROOM HOUSE; good bargain.

NEW MODERN 5 ROOM COTTAGE ON LEE ST., NEAR CENTRAL AVE., LOT 40x125; price $2500; $500 cash, balance $25 month.

NEW MODERN AND UP TO DATE 7-ROOM HOUSE IN THE WESTLAKE DISTRICT, hard wood floors, beamed ceilings, fine electric fixtures, built-in buffet, bookcases. Price $5500; $1000 cash, balance $50 a month.

COTTAGE OF 6 LARGE ROOMS, LOT 40x150, E. 22D ST., NEAR CENTRAL AVE., $4000; half cash.

LARGE 9 ROOM HOUSE, CORNER COURT AND BEAUDRY. PRICE $12,000. I will exchange this for close in suburban property or vacant lots. Beaudry ave. is to be graded from Temple to First street., which will make this a very desirable corner, being only a few feet south of Temple and very close in. What have you?

W. 27TH ST., BETWEEN GRAND AND FIGUEROA; 87x123; 6 ROOM HOUSE, LAWN, flowers, two rooms in rear for servants; only $6000. Look at this.

BARGAIN, $2900; ONE HALF CASH; 950 THORN ST., ARLINGTON HEIGHTS; ON THE hill, positively a snap.

$6500—ONE-HALF CASH, CERTAINLY A GOOD BUY; ARLINGTON HEIGHTS; 50x125; 8 rooms, three blocks from two car lines; worth $7200.

$3250—NICE 5 ROOM MODERN COTTAGE COMPLETELY FURNISHED; ON 36TH ST. near Vermont ave. Lot 50x150; flowers, lawn, palms, fruit trees, etc.; a very good home. $750 cash; $25 a month.

THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, Sole Agent.
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Home A3174. 2d and Spring sts. 11

FOR SALE—
On 60th near Figueroa, 6-room modern cottage; lot 50 ft. wide; lawn, flowers, etc.; price $2450, $400 down and $20 per month, including interest.

6-room new modern cottage with California house in rear; lot 50x150; near 43d and Figueroa; lawn, flowers, etc.; price $2500, easy terms.

6-room modern cottage; lot 50x171; lawn, flowers, trees, etc.; W. 29th near Vermont; price $2600, easy terms.

6-room modern cottage, lot 50x150; lawn, flowers, fruit, etc.; price $2500, terms; Magnolia near Washington.

5-room new, modern, bungalow on Marshall near Figueroa; built-in desk, sideboard, mantel, fireplace, china closet; bath has medicine chest and place for dirty clothes; hall rack and seat; also many other conveniences too numerous to mention; lot 50x140; price $3000, $500 down and $25 per month, including interest.

6-room modern cottage on New England near Washington; 52x160; plenty of fruit, flowers; barn and chicken yards; large palms in front; price $3000.

CHAS. L. SAVAGE, 621 Grosse Bldg. Phone Broadway 5016. 9

FOR SALE—
HOUSES IN THE MOST DESIRABLE SOUTHWEST PART OF THE CITY

New bungalow, modern in every respect. Oak floors, five rooms. A good neighborhood. Convenient to car line and school. West 20th street. Only $500 cash, balance like rent. A snap.

5-room cottage, practically new. Strictly modern, good street, good surroundings, on West 22d street, near Vermont. A bargain, at $3500. Cash $1350, balance $20 per month.

8-room cottage, modern, built for a house, large lot, nice lawn and palm trees, bore, walnut trees in back. West 24th street, near Romeo, best car service. Price $3200; cash $1800. Rent for $25.

Elegant home, located in the most desirable part of the southwest. Near Adams and Rose streets; all modern conveniences. A perfect dream. You will say so when you see it. Price $6000; half cash, or less.

G. A. BAXTRESSER,
S. E. Corner Vermont Ave. and 24th Street.
Home B2764. 9

FOR SALE— NEW 5-ROOM STRICTLY modern foothill home; lot 50x165; tinted walls, built-in china closet and grate; two porches and buffet, brass fixtures throughout house; near new Arroyo Seco School; take yellow Garvanza car, get off at Loreto ave., walk one block east, turn to right, second house on right hand side. Terms $550 down, $20 month, including interest. 2271 ARROYO SECO AVE. 9

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE— BY
JAS. V. BALDWIN,
536-537-538 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—$4750. THE HANDSOMEST 6-room bungalow in the city for the money; lot 50x210, faces east, rooms are all extra large, it has hardwood floors throughout, plate glass windows, beamed ceilings, large bathroom and tub, paneled dining-room, new idea in a buffet, pressed brick mantel, and every conceivable modern convenience, lawn, fence, curtains and elegant fixtures; you may choose them yourself; the house is about ready to move into, having just been completed; let us show it to you at once; elegant home for a physician, 5 blocks from Harvard School and but 18 minutes from 4th and Broadway; terms this week $1250, cash, balance $60 a month; it will rent for $65 per month.

ALBERT V. LONG, OWNER.
Phone A3301. 240 Byrne Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
COTTAGES. COTTAGES.

$1800—DEWEY ST., 4-ROOM BUNGALOW.
$3100—29TH ST., 5 ROOMS, $250 DOWN.
$2800—WEST 34TH ST., NEW, 5 ROOMS.
$3000—WEST 36TH ST., 5 ROOMS.
$3200—W. 21ST ST., 5-ROOM BUNGALOW.
$3350—W. 37TH ST., NICE 7-ROOM HOUSE.
$3500—CORNER ON BUDLONG, 6 ROOMS.
$3650—W. 21ST, NR. HOOVER, 6 ROOMS.

HOLMES-WALTON CO.,
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FOR SALE—
1819 HOBART BLVD.

THIS HIGH-CLASS, UP-TO-DATE, 9-ROOM RESIDENCE IS OFFERED AT $1000 BELOW ITS ACTUAL WORTH. OWNER HAS GONE BACK TO HIS NATIVE COUNTRY, AUSTRIA, AND WISHES TO MAKE QUICK SALE, LOT 85x161. ONE BLOCK NORTH OF WASHINGTON. SURROUNDED BY FINE RESIDENCES.

PRICE $7000. TERMS.

THE EMERSON REALTY CO.,
HOME 1149. 501-2 DELTA BLDG.
MAIN 4950.

FOR SALE—
$2000—WESTLAKE. Eight-room, modern house, two-story; lot 50x170 to 12-ft. alley; beautiful shrubbery; large barn and chicken corral.

$6000—PICO AND VALENCIA. Modern 8-room cottage, east front, lot 60x140; auto barn, shrubbery, fruit trees; best property in the square; terms.

$4500—PICO HEIGHTS. Modern six-room cottage, lot 47x127; barn, chicken corral, beautiful property; high ground.

$3000—MONETA TRACT. Six-room modern house, lot 42x135, terms.

$1100—Near Slauson ave. and Long Beach line, 4-room California house, lot 40x135, $200 cash, balance $10 per month.

A4114. J. A. COURTNEY,
9 537 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—
MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, $1250.
MODERN 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, $1450.
Are you thinking of building? If so, can you beat the above price? Go take a look at the ones I am now building and see for yourself how they stand up. Now, how about a modern 7-room 1½-story for $2000, with oak floors like the one I am now building at 157 Thorp st., or a 11-room residence like the one I am building on Prospect ave., Hollywood? Why pay a large price for plans that you will not build by after your home is started, when I furnish plans free of charge. Come in and I will take you to almost any size house you want that I have built, and it is so much easier to tell the changes you want made and then you know just what your home will look like when completed. Am I not right? Ask the parties I am now building for.

EUGENE NEFF,
429 Germain Bldg.
Phone, Home 7158. Bdway. 4863. 9

FOR SALE— FOR SALE.

One of the most complete residences in Kinney Heights; new and modern; half block from Berkeley Square.

$5500—PRICE—$5500

Has extra large rooms, contains living-room, dining-room, reception hall, kitchen, butler's pantry and screen porch on first floor; hardwood ceilings, built-in buffet, oak floor; four large bedchambers and sewing-room; nice bathroom and large closets on second floor, hardwood floors, beautiful electric fixtures, furnace, two laundry tubs in screen porch; this residence is extra well built by the owner; large lot, north front; those wishing to buy a good home would do well to see this.

2286 WEST 22D ST.
J. STAFFORD, Owner, at house.
Or at 420 S. GRAND AVE. 9

FOR SALE—
TWO CHOICE MODERN HIGH-CLASS BUNGALOWS IN
WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

Nine-room, thoroughly modern "adobe" bungalow on Alvarado st. near Westlake Park; on high ground. Lot 60x135 to 20-ft. alley. Best built house of its kind in the city. Must be seen to be appreciated. Price $12,500.

HOLLYWOOD DISTRICT.

Modern eight-room, story-and-one-half bungalow on prominent corner on Western ave., toward Hollywood. Ground plat, 240x270, immense shade trees, grape arbor, summer house; commanding fine view of mountains. The ground plat (equal to 12 lots) is worth the money. Price $12,500.

Will sell these two most desirable properties on easy terms, long time and low rate of interest. Don't buy a good home above the ordinary, investigate at once. CHAS. S. MANN, 225 W. Fourth st. 10

FOR SALE—

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—$2750—

On an elevation of 750 ft., commanding a view of mountains and valley unsurpassed in California; ideal home; 6 rooms; about ½ acre ground, barn, chicken corral, etc.; shrubs and flowers in profusion; no healthier spot in Southern California.

Address C, box 137, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL MISSION HOUSE, 7 rooms, large patio with Doric columns, 22x30, fountain with bronze figure, Roman bath with Italian marble floor, handsome interior finish, oak floors, beamed ceilings, large fireplace, Deasy hot water boiler, beautiful leaded glass buffet, oak Dutch doors front and rear, fireproof plaster, tropical plants in patio, fine lawn with beautiful flowers, lot 50x150, large porch with heavy lonte columns; this property is situate at Dos Robles station, Monrovia car line, first house south from station 7c fare, and is the acknowledged show piace of the district; Home phone, gas, electricity; Huntington blvd., 1 minute's walk; this place has been valued by competent contractor at $9000; will cut deep for cash. F. E. GALBRAITH, Alhambra. Don't miss seeing it. 9

FOR SALE—
$5000—New, 2-story, 8-room house, fine east-front lot, 56x180 feet, near Grand ave. and 20th st.; only $1000 cash.

—ALSO—

$4500—New, 1½-story, 7-room, east-front bungalow, elegantly arranged, and strictly modern; lot on high ground, W. Adams Heights; gas and electricity; easy terms.

—ALSO—

$8500—New, 2-story, 8 rooms, close in, S.W. and north of 16th st.; sewer, gas, electricity; 50-foot lot, nice surroundings; a fine home.

—ALSO—

$2500—New, modern, 5-room bungalow, S.W.; gas, electricity, etc.; high ground; easy terms. See BARNES, with

MILLER & LEWIS CO.,
9 701-2-3 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—
EATON-NOBLE REALTY CO.
Home A4579. Broadway 2454.
325 Mason Building.

A beautiful 7-room house on W. 47th street; lot 45x135; hard finish; oak floors, cabinet kitchen. In easy touch to four car lines; $2500 cash and $2000 on easy terms will buy this.

FOR SALE—
EATON-NOBLE REALTY CO.
Home A4579. Broadway 2454.
325 Mason Building.

An extremely nice 8-room modern house with every convenience; everything in good style; on Hallidie st.; $4000 cash, $2000 on time.

FOR SALE—$2200; $350 CASH, BALANCE same as rent; new, modern, 6-room cottage; large lot. S.W.

F. E. DODGE, 109 S. Broadway. 9

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
F. W. FLINT, JR.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

We Advise You to Inspect This Place at Once.

$7500—ARAPAHOE STREET.

A beautiful 9-room, full two-story house, well constructed, in the heart of the Westlake section; eastern exposure, size of lot 50x126; convenient to several car lines; in a restricted section and already surrounded by beautiful palatial homes.

This house has five bedrooms, furnaces and cellar, and all the latest appurtenances.

You will never regret this good buy.

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—
ONLY—$8000—ONLY
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ONLY—$8000—ONLY

For this beautiful, up-to-date, 10-room residence, located on a large east front corner lot, 68x125, one block from West Adams in the beautiful southwest. This house contains ten spacious rooms and a large reception hall, and is a beauty. Unexcelled location in a refined and exclusive neighborhood. NOTICE that this is a CORNER with an east and north exposure. When I say this is a big bargain, I mean that, nothing less. The price I am quoting you is fully $1000 under actual value. I am going to sell this, so you had better see me at once if you are in the market for a nice home.

HARRY R. STOWE, 419 Byrne Bldg.
Home A8747. 9

FOR SALE—
$1750—
FOR SALE.
IT'S A BARGAIN.

NEW 5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, JUST COMPLETED.

ONLY 15 MINUTES FROM FIRST & SPRING

EASY TERMS.
TO SUIT.

SEE US AT ONCE, SOLE AGENTS.

CLINE-WALL REALTY CO.,
502 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
Phones—Broadway 4383. Home 7509. 9

FOR SALE—
SMITH & DIETER.

If you want to buy a home don't overlook this, as it will not last long. Call at once and get this excellent buy; 8-room residence located near corner of Alvarado and 12th sts., in a neighborhood that is surrounded by beautiful houses.

Hardwood floors in every room in house; large basement with furnace, that is connected with both up and downstairs. The house itself is worth the money.

Price $5200; don't delay. This is positively a good buy.

SMITH & DIETER,
Second floor, Union Trust Bldg.
Phones—Home Ex. 7117.
Sunset Ex. 493. 9

FOR SALE—
BUYERS INVITED TO INSPECT.
Most elaborate and complete;
steam heat and
steel cooking range;
nothing lacking;
never occupied;
5 large high-ceiling rooms;
lot 60-foot front;
Take Santa Monica car,
only 18 minutes to
1826 Cimarron st.
High ground, S.W.
Key in screen porch.
Price $3500.
HOME BUILDING CO., owners,
Cor. 16th and Orford.
Phones—West 321 Home 21245. 9

FOR SALE—
J. W. DONNELLY & CO.
Residence, modern, 10 rooms, nearly new, close in, S.W., finest locality; trees, flowers, lawn, $8500.

For Sale—New, 2-room bungalow, oak floors, built-in buffet, paneled dining-room, reception hall with beamed ceiling and mantel; bedrooms and bath white enamel; living-room finished in Flemish oak; lot 50x126; location S.W.; $3800, $1000 cash, $25 a month.

For Sale—$200 cash, balance $25 a month; 5-room cottage, lot 50x125, close to car line, $2500.

J. W. DONNELLY & CO., 225 Byrne Bldg., corner Broadway and Third. Main 3715. 9

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Elegant 8-room residence in southwest, built for a home but never occupied; owners were forced to go East on account of sickness.

This home, which has basement, furnace, steam heat, built-in work, fireplaces, and every modern convenience, must be and will be sold at once regardless of value.

See us at once.

F. P. BORTON & CO.,
516 Byrne Bldg.
Phones—Home 2368, Main 6126. 9

FOR SALE—
$100 cash, balance $10 per month, 4-room house, plastered, tinted, porches front and rear, high ground, lawn and flowers. Price $1400. A bargain.

$300 cash, balance $20 per month, 5-room modern house, lawn and flowers. Price $2200. Near two car lines.

ANDERSON REALTY CO.,
122 South Broadway.
Phones—Broadway 8075. Home 41441. 9

FOR SALE— ADAMS HEIGHTS.

We offer here one of the handsomest and most commodious bungalows in Los Angeles. But for a home and not for speculation. The lot is 50x135 feet and the other rooms are proportionately large. Beamed ceilings 3-4 inch, oak floors, massive pressed brick mantel; particularly handsome lighting fixtures; built in buffet with leaded glass doors, window seats; bookcases; large cellar, with furnace, connected to all rooms. The price on this beautiful home is $6000. There is a mortgage of $5000, balance cash.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 9

FOR SALE— ON MONETA AVENUE,
NEAR 37TH STREET.

Ready for delivery this week. Our six-room beautiful bungalow on 41st st., half block west from Figueroa; thoroughly modern and exceptionally convenient; swell neighborhood; this is a bargain at $3500; $1000 down, balance to suit.

MILWAUKEE BLDG. CO.,
MILWAUKEE BLDG. CO.,
MILWAUKEE BLDG. CO.,
Tel. A5102. 308 West First st.

FOR SALE—NEW BUNGALOW, $3300. South part of city; values increasing rapidly. A beautiful home on very easy terms. Also—

NEW COTTAGE, $2300.

$230 cash, balance like rent; every modern convenience; 5 rooms, never occupied; located in beautiful cottage neighborhood in south part of city; buy this and quit paying rent.

We have an almost endless list of such places.

LOS ANGELES BUSINESS EXCHANGE,
9 314-316 Citizens' Nat. Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—I AM FORCED TO SELL MY new 8-room home at a sacrifice. Located on northwest corner lot, one block south of Adams. Has beautiful art glass entrance; living-room paneled in leather; beamed ceilings; elegant fixtures; built-in buffet; built-in bookcase and window seats; mantel in dining-room; hardwood floors throughout; two toilets, large pantry and four large bedrooms, and good eastern furnace. Price of this elegant home $6850, if sold at once. This includes all downstairs draperies. $2250 cash—balance on easy terms. You save the commission by buying direct. Call at 2659 NORMANDIE AVE.

FOR SALE—
$1800—$200 cash, $20 per month, 5-room cottage, Utah st.

$2850—$300 cash, $20 per month, modern cottage, W. 37th st.

$4000—$1000 cash, balance $25 per month, 6-room residence, modern conveniences; lot 60x165; East Los Angeles. Would consider exchange.

$3500—Will build modern 6-room cottage in Granada Place, on 270-foot boulevard. Terms.

GRANADA REALTY CO.,
618 Union Trust Bldg.
Home Phone F8324. 9

FOR SALE — $2600; 5-ROOM COTTAGE, close to Temple st. and walking distance, $500 cash. RIGBY, 1072 Temple st. 9

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
CLOSE-IN BARGAIN.
$4300—Near Adams and Figueroa, 2-story 6-room house. Elegant lot, swell location.

NEAR CHESTER PLACE.
$5700—Large 2-story, modern, 8-room home, east front; large lot; very easy terms.

7 ROOMS, WESTLAKE.
$6000—50-foot lot; fine mountain view, up-to-date house, oak floors, beam ceilings; fine mantels and fixtures.

8 ROOMS, WESTLAKE.
$7000—Brand new, has all the latest improvements; finished in antique oak; fine location.

CLOSE IN, WESTLAKE.
$8500—Nearly new 9-room home in swell location; house has been occupied but short time; owner has gone east.

YOUNG & ADAMS, 754 S. Hill. Phones, Home 7866; Broadway 2915. 9

FOR SALE — TO REAL ESTATE AND OTHER CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS. The forthcoming Midwinter Number of The Times, to be issued Jan. 1, 1907, will be a splendid medium for the exploitation of attractive real estate offerings. Thousands of copies will be mailed by citizens of Southern California to friends abroad, who are figuring on emigrating to the Southwest. The rate will be 3c per word for classified announcements to run in the magazine section of this special issue. "Liner" copy will be received up to and including Dec. 27.

FOR SALE—WE ARE EXCLUSIVELY OFFERING the following bargains to home-seekers.

$2300—$600 cash, $21 per month; 6-room modern house; lot 60x150; near Eastlake Park.

$2000—$ cash, $15 per month; 5-room cottage; lot 40x136, 45th near Main.

$3800—$500 cash, $30 per month; beautiful 6-room house completely furnished, piano, etc.; lot 50x150, Western ave. and Colegrove car line.

$2650—$350 cash, $20 per month, 5-room modern house; lot 50x150, Edendale.

COCHRAN & RIDENBAUGH,
313-319 Pacific Electric Bldg.
Sunset Main 4761. Home A6292. 9

FOR SALE—
ON WEST THIRTIETH ST.,
NEAR WESTE... AVE.

$4000. $4000.

One of the best built and attractive 6-room bungalows in the southwest. The interior is also splendidly arranged, great taste has been shown in selecting the lighting fixtures, which are particularly handsome; hardwood floors throughout, built in buffet, window seats, bookcases and writing desk, 2 massive pressed brick mantels and fireplaces; Flemish oak finish in parlor and dining room, which are beamed and paneled, laundry tubs, extra toilet. Terms $1000 cash, balance $20 and interest.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 9

FOR SALE—
Houses on the high ground; no time to give a flowery description of each one; my list includes only the best at the right prices, which range from $4000 to $75,000.

Office open and conveyance to show property every day including Sunday, at the end of the W. Adams-st. car line. Phone B1699.

EVA M. NOURSE.

FOR SALE—
THE RIGHT WAY TO BUY A HOME.

Have it built to suit you and just where you want it.

WE BUILD AT CHEAPEST RATES.

For cash or installments, on our own lots or the buyer's, or buy the lot you want and build for you. Plans free. We have never yet failed to please a single customer. Call and see us.

MUTUAL INVESTMENT CO., (over Ville de Paris.) 316 Laughlin Bldg. Home phone 2349. Sunset Main 4741.

FOR SALE—
ON WEST NINTH STREET,
NEAR LAKE STREET.

$6250. $6250.

Very handsome 2 story house of 7 rooms, hardwood floors, cove ceilings, artistic tinting, large bedrooms, large bathroom, extra toilet; very fine fixtures; laundry tubs, splendid location, magnificent view of mountains and ocean. Terms half cash.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 9

FOR SALE—
WEST 22ND STREET,
NEAR NORMANDIE AVENUE.

$5500. $5500.

New 2 story house of 8 rooms; thoroughly up to date in every particular; 4 large bedrooms upstairs; gas piped to all rooms; nice lot and splendid neighborhood. Terms half cash.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 11

FOR SALE—FURNISHED HOUSE BY OWNER leaving this city; 8-room residence, all modern conveniences, in select neighborhood; elegant view; thoroughly built; 4 large bedrooms and bath on second floor; no nicer location in this city; newly and tastefully furnished; large lot, 50x180; lawn, fruit trees and flowers; residence in same block sold for $25,000; my price only $7000; immediate possession; will sell unfurnished if desired. OWNER, P. O. box 4, Times Office. 9

FOR SALE—
New, modern, 7-room house on the hill, in southwest. $6000.

Beautiful, new, modern bungalow, in southwest. $4150.

Down-town rooming-house, 26 rooms, $1350; rent $80.

Lot on 27th st., 50x149. $350.

MRS. C. E. HEAD, 431 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Phones 7118, Broadway 4691. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — I AM NOT IN THE real estate business; I am the owner in Chicago's most beautiful suburb, Woodlawn, clear 2-flat stone-foundation 8-9 rooms; hot water, heat, large barn and lawn, lot 50x127; fine condition; for improved in Los Angeles; might consider acres or orange ranch near Los Angeles; also furniture of 8 rooms and 9000 shares in best concrete hollow building blocks on market, absolutely water-proof. Full particulars. What have you? Address C, box 56, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—
$1850—New bungalow, four rooms, 58th, $20 month; near Figueroa.

$5500—8-room residence, modern.

$2000—7-room cottage, 46th near Compton.

$9000—Elegant 8-room residence, modern, beautiful; 75-foot lot.

$6500—12-room residence, modern, beautiful, finest surroundings.

$5250—Double residence and small house on large lot.

WIESENDANGER, 312 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE— BUNGALOWS. BUNGALOWS.
ARTISTIC BUNGALOWS.
MODERN COTTAGES.

Don't buy a bungalow or a cottage until you see us. Largest line in the city; all modern and at bargain prices; buy at your own terms. See Mr. Lampton, with

ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
119 Mer. Trust Bldg. Home A9242. M. 3233. 9

FOR SALE—$14,000.
SWELL HOME,
S.W., 8TH AND RAMPART.
12 ROOMS.
166x125.
TWO LOTS.
NOW UNDER LEASE,
AND PAYING GOOD INCOME.
P. J. McGARRY & CO.,
SOLE AGENTS. 301 BRYSON BLDG.

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FOR SALE—
$1000 cash, balance $30 a month, will buy one of the prettiest homes in the Westlake district, containing 7 rooms, bath, screen porch, hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, built-in buffet, fireplace, bookcases, fine electric fixtures, etc. Everything new, modern and up-to-date; servant's room in the rear.

THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, Sole Agent, 219-21 Douglas Bldg. Third and Spring sts. Main 932, Home A3174. 11

FOR SALE—
ON WEST JEFFERSON STREET.
NEAR DURANGO.

$3300. $3300.

New bungalow 6 rooms, hardwood floors; bath and dining-rom, beamed and panelled, large bathroom, lawn, terms, $600 cash, balance $25 month, including interest.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 9

FOR SALE—
$6000—SWELL AND NEW MODERN 8-room house on elevated east-front lot in Westlake district; house just completed and has hardwood floors, beam ceilings, built-in buffet, cabinets, bookcases, window seats, stone mantel, cellar and every modern convenience; low price for quick sale. F. M. PHELPS & CO., 329 Douglas Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—IN BEAUTIFUL SOUTH PASADENA, a corner, 100x160, improved with new two-story, 8-room house, bath, hot and cold water, gas and electric, lawn, fruit and ornamental trees, flowers, barn, chicken yard; this place is only one block from car line and can be had for $7000 on terms to suit purchaser, or will rent to desirable tenant. Address OWNER, room 6, No. 175 N. SPRING ST.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
A BEAUTIFUL HOME.
HEART OF HOLLYWOOD.

$8000.

New, modern in every respect, ten rooms besides bath, extra toilet, large halls, screen porch, kitchen, automobile barn, etc.; ground 85x160. See OWNER, room 1, Vansyckle Bldg., next to P.O. Hollywood. Home 128. Or on premises, 524 GR.VE ST. Take Hollywood car to Wilcox ave., then 2 blocks north. Home 'Phone 288, Sunset 921. 9

FOR SALE—
NEAR WESTERN AVE. AND 30TH ST.

$4350. $4350.

Just complete, a very handsome 7 room bung

Reliable Liners

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE— $3600

Artistic bungalow of 5 rooms, near Harvard and Jefferson sts. Strictly up to date and one of the most charming of its type. Cement porch, half across front and along side; has clinker brick flower pillars, and is banked gorgeously with flowers from end to end. All rooms are large and prettily arranged with built-in buffet, china closets, seat etc. Beamed ceilings and paneled walls in dining room, clinker brick fireplace, with mission clock in mantel; hardwood floors, bedrooms enameled and tinted; cabinet kitchen, screen porch and laundry tray. There is also a large sun porch in rear. This house is thoroughly well built and finished throughout; terms may be arranged.

$4000

Attractive home on S.W. corner of West 30th st., beautifully finished in white enamel throughout; buffet is of classic design and has bronzed art glass adding strength to beauty. There are also unusual features in bedrooms, such as enameled drawers and art glass cabinet built in; open fireplace, handsome, ornamental in character, with general design. Dainty electric fixtures, gas connections for heating in all rooms. Two fine porches at front and side; beautiful lawn and flowers in front and designed flower garden in rear; large cellar.

This is one of the most charming homes of its size in the city and is a GIVE AWAY at price named. Terms arranged.

$4300

Here is another attractive bungalow of 5 rooms, living and dining rooms are very large and massively beamed and paneled, 7 feet high, 2 very large, handsome brick fireplaces, buffet, china closets and seats built in; electric lights of mission design. Bedrooms in white enamel and beautifully tinted; bathroom strictly up to date; Al plumbing; all closets are large and well lighted and aired. Cabinet kitchen and screen porch with laundry tray; porch right across front; $1000 cash and $30 monthly including interest; photo at office. Come in and let us show you.

J. W. GILBREATH & CO.,
See J. G. Sloan, House Department.
9 304 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE— Houses.

BARGAINS—BARGAINS—BARGAINS

$2650—Beautiful 5-room 2-story house, north front, lot 50x180, piped for furnace, sightliest location in the city, 1 block from W. Adams, $500 to $1000 cash, balance easy.

BUNGALOW—BUNGALOW.

$2900—Pasadena ave., large 7-room bungalow, large lot, close in, best buy in town, $350 cash, balance easy.

BEAUTIFUL CORNER RESIDENCE.

$4250—$250—$250

Beautiful new 8-room, 2-story house, near Washington st.; hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, artistic fixtures, stationary tub; lot 52x161; price $6000; $250 cash, balance to suit; investigate.

$4500—Grand View ave. near Westlake Park. Fine home.

$4500—Albany st., two cottages completely furnished, income $54 monthly. Quit-edge small investment.

$6000—Arlington Heights, 8-room, 2-story, east-front hardwood floors, furnace; $500 cash; lot 80x150.

$16,000—Gramercy Place. Lot 75x178. Nine rooms; strictly modern.

$5500—Harvard Blvd., 8-room, 2-story house, every modern feature, screen porch, most complete home.

$8000—Manhattan Place, large 8-room house, strictly first-class; lot 75x178, east front.

$3500—New Hampshire, Arlington st., first-class; $350 cash, balance $20 per month.

$4500—Beautiful large 7-room bungalow, Kingsley Heights, north front, strictly modern in construction; lot 50x180 to alley; sightly view of the mountains.

$7500—Church ave., east front, 7 rooms; every modern feature; furnace, hardwood floors, fine lawn.

$3500—Corner, with 6-room bungalow, on E. 54th st., one block from Central ave., strictly first-class; $500 cash, balance easy.

$3000—Ellis st., Price $3,000, 4-room cottage, gas range included; $500 cash, balance easy.

$4500—Hooper ave., 4-room cottage, with bath and screens; lot 40x141; $350 cash, balance easy.

$8500—Alameda st., 4-room cottage, rent $39, close to 16th st., $1,000 cash; business property; terms $400 cash.

W. H. OBEAR, 439-9-10 O. T. Johnson Bldg.
J. T. Kelly, Mgr. House Department.
9 Main 1990, Home A6390.

FOR SALE—

I SELL THE EARTH.

R. S. BASSETT.

HOMES.

West 23d st., near Normandie ave., brand new 8-room, 2-story house, cement cellar and furnace. Large lot. This is a bargain. Price, $6400.

Lake st., near 9th st. Fine residence, 11 rooms, beautiful location, large lot; terms to suit. Price, $8500.

Santa Barbara ave., opposite South Hill st. Fine 8-room, new, modern house. Lot 40x142, every dollar asked for it. Price, $6250.

Valencia st., near 14th st. Modern 6-room house, beautiful interior finish, fine neighborhood. Lot 50x120. Price, $3500.

Westlake ave., near Second st. 8-room house just completed, in the select portion of city. Let me show you this one. Price, $6000.

S. Union ave., near 9th st. I have two beautiful residences which will be sold cheap because owners need money. One is a 6-room bungalow style house in fine condition, for $7500.
The other has 8 rooms, cellar and furnace, large lot, for $6000.

West 39th st., near Figueroa, fine 7-room modern house, driveway, carriage shed, chicken yard, etc. Price, $4125.

East 18th st., near Central ave. Large 9-room house in good location. Owner might exchange for good acreage. Price, $4000.

We have many more in very desirable locations; prices right. Let us show you.

R. S. BASSETT,
302½ South Broadway, Rooms 207-8.
L.A.R.B. 9

FOR SALE—

$4250—BUNGALOW—$4250.

Six rooms and a den, near Flint and Durango, polished oak floors, beamed ceilings, handsome rock fireplace, built-in buffet, bed-rooms and bath in white enamel, up-to-date kitchen, screen porch, laundry trays, lot 50x125. $1000 cash, balance $2500 per month.

$6000—8-STORY HOUSE
ON WILTON PLACE—$6000

Elegant home in a very fine neighborhood, between 16th and Washington; polished oak floors and all modern conveniences. HEATED BY FURNACE. 3 large sunny bed-rooms and bath upstairs; large balcony, east front. Terms.

$6500—MODERN 2-STORY
RESIDENCE ON OXFORD—$6500

8 rooms, large living-room, polished oak floors, handsome buffet, beamed ceilings, modern and complete, with cellar and furnace. Interior beautifully finished. I can give you good terms on this.

F. A. RUDROW
With
HERON & DE LA VERGNE,
308 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.
Main 2129. A4292.

FOR SALE—

The finest residence in the city in most exclusive residence section.

10 rooms, first floor has quarter-sawed oak floors and beveled plate glass windows, the interior finish is Flemish oak and has heavily beamed ceilings. This elegant house contains a most magnificent fireplace, and has a buffet almost to the ceiling.

There are 4 large bedrooms, all having polished oak floors 2 bedrooms have beveled mirrors, 8x7½ feet; den, 12x15; bath, 9x10; front porch, 12x44. Has unobstructed mountain view. This place is elegantly furnished, one of rooms being completely in leather.

Price, $11,000; completely furnished, $12,500.

MAIN REALTY CO.,
310 Severance Bldg.
Main 127, F1193. 9

FOR SALE—

2614 Harvard Boulevard.

Elegant, new bungalow, 6 rooms, reception hall, bath, cellar, hardwood floors throughout, nice lawn. Price $4200. Open Sunday afternoon.

J. Z. ZELLER, 203 Currier Bldg. Phone A1209. 9

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

Fine investment by owner,
Only $4000.

2 lots, 40x125 each, and 6-roo mmodern cottage, with large barn with floor, near San Pedro and 23d st. OWNER, 10127. 10

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES.

These are only a few of the many desirable properties we have for sale. They are splendid values. If looking for an investment or a suitable home, carefully investigate these. Some one may answer you.

READ THIS LIST OVER
CAREFULLY.
COMPARE PRICES.

$1800—A neat, new, modern, 5-room cottage, on 41st, near San Pedro st., an opportunity to secure a good home for little money; don't delay; we will help you if necessary.

$2800—Good substantial 5-room cottage on beautiful Millard ave., an 80-foot street, with fine homes; this lot, 46x142, has a double frontage, and is actually worth $3250, vacant. Dont you see the value in this? It's a snap for someone.

$2750—New, modern 6-room cottage, on 42nd st., 1 block west of Central ave., everything choice; it's a beauty; combination fixtures, fireplace, porcelain bath; lot 40x128 to a 15-foot alley; it's the best buy around.

$2800—Fine modern 6-room cottage near Main and Darwin, in East Los Angeles; very artistic; has all the conveniences desired to make a splendid home; we sold one there last week; we will sell this one this week.

$2200—A pretty 6-room cottage on New Hampshire near Washington st.; it's the best on this fine street for the money; all conveniences; lot 40x150.

$3200—An elegant opportunity to secure a very artistic bungalow of 5 large rooms; modern in every respect; hall, den, brick mantel, bath, gas and electricity; located on a highly-improved corner lot, 55x115, in East Los Angeles; convenient to all car lines; a fine location; a snap.

$6300—Millard ave., a fine 80-foot street, has many fine homes; this is one of them, located near 16th st., has 8 large rooms and hall, new and strictly modern, and is without doubt the best buy on this fine street; lot 46x142, and an east front; something good.

$2750—A good 5-room cottage, near Union and W. Eighth; here is an opportunity to get in a swell neighborhood without having to pay a fortune for the privilege; lot is 27 feet and the place is rented for $30 per month; it's a good buy; let us show you.

CROAKE & McCANN, 229 Douglas Bldg.
Home phone A1812; Sunset Main 3430.
Members Realty Board.

FOR SALE— $3500.

GOOD HOME.
CHEAP.

$350 cash, balance on easy monthly payments to suit. A fine 5-room 2-story house; lot is 50x127; oiled street; ornamental trees and full-bearing lemon trees on the lot; eight large rooms, bath, pantry, screen porch, cellar, beautiful chain electric fixtures in every room; rich wall colorings, mantel, hot and cold water; a splendid home for $3500; you can have immediate possession.

CROAKE & McCANN, 229 Douglas Bldg.
Home phone 1812. Sunset Main 2120.
Members Realty Board. 9

FOR SALE—
6-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE.

$3000—HALF CASH.

ON HIGH GROUND, NEAR SUNSET BOULEVARD AND ALVARADO ST. HAS SIX LARGE ROOMS, BUILT-IN BUFFET, COVE CEILINGS, TINTED WALLS, MANTEL AND BATH.

LARGE LOT, 50x146,
AND ONLY ONE BLOCK FROM CAR LINE. STREET WORK ALL IN, HAS FINE VIEW OF MOUNTAINS.

PRICE $3000—HALF CASH.
THIS IS A BARGAIN.

MINES & PARISH,
215 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—
IN HIGHLAND PARK.

6-room modern house on Ash st., near Ave. 65. Lot 50x125. Price for this week only, $3600; terms, $100 cash, balance to suit. This is the best buy for the money asked in Highland Park. The house is well rent for $25 per month any day. You will have to hurry to get this.

Another One.

6-room cottage on Echo street, close to Pasadena ave., nearly all modern. Lot 50x150, all fenced; flowers and shrubbery; a good barn on the place. Snap at $2600; part cash. Look it up at once.

SMALL CHICKEN RANCH.

120x150, 6-room house, plenty of good water, nice neighbors, fine place to live; see it and you will like it; price $1600; good terms can be had. Its a snap, sure.

For any of the above property see
WM. ELSEY, 5715 Pasadena ave., city. 9

FOR SALE—

Both phones. 14
$1250 $1250
Cash. Cash.

Owner must have the money this week and will sacrifice my nice 5-room cottage with all modern conveniences, porcelain bath, large screen porch, gas and electricity; lot 50x135, beautiful lawn with nice garden; all kinds of fruit trees and a profusion of flowers.

$2750. $2750.

For this week only.

J. E. LANDEN,
Home 2339. Sunset South 2278.
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FOR SALE—

Do you know I can sell you a modern two-story house, close to W. Adams st. on the high ground, for $4500. This will not last long.

I have any desirable house in the West Adams district up to $75,000. Office at the end of the W. Adams st. car line. Phone B1699. EVA M. NOURSE.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL ANGELENO HTS.

60c ON THE DOLLAR.

New 6-room modern bungalow, daintily arranged, and 3-room plain bungalow in rear.

Lot 56x150, worth $3000.

Grand View, close in.

A genuine give away at
$4000—Cash $3000.

LOS CERRITOS CO., 1069 SUNSET BLVD. 9

FOR SALE—

$3500. $3500.

In the University district a nicely furnished modern house, with 5 very large rooms, porcelain bath, nice screen porch, with stationary wash tubs; large barn. This is a gem, near Figueroa and only $3500.

T. L. O'BRIEN & CO.,
Jefferson and Main sts.
Both phones. 14

FOR SALE—

$2500—5-room cottage. Terms.
$2600—5-room modern cottage. Terms.
$1250—6-room modern cottage. Terms.
$2300—5-room modern cottage. Terms.
$4000—6-room modern cottage. Terms.
$2500—8-room modern 2-story house. Terms.
$4000—9-room modern 2-story house. Half cash.

T. G. HUTCHISON, 1242 West Washington street. 9

FOR SALE—NEAR WESTLAKE, FINEST 8-room house in city, worth $12,000, must go at $9500. See JACKSON, with Pratt, 234 Mason Bldg.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
SEE WHAT A NICKELL CAN DO. A NICKELL CAN SUPPLY YOU WITH A HOME. We are the house people, and we are positively in a better position to sell you a house than any firm in this city. We sell you houses in the S.W. in such neighborhoods as Westmoreland Place, on Pico Heights or near the Westlake district, or on beautiful West Adams st. Or we can take you down to South Main st. or the vicinity of Central ave., or in Euclid or Boyle Heights or East Los Angeles, or we can take you to Highland Park, Pasadena, or Hollywood, or the beautiful spot of Glendale or any of the beach towns. We are the home people. Let us show you. Our list is too large to attempt to give you location. Just a few to give you an idea of the kind of property we sell.

On Juliet st. This is a 5-room 2-story house, new and just being completed. It has extra large living room with seats built in, book cases and everything modern that goes with such a room; large dining-room with panel plate rail and buffet; beautiful breakfast room connecting with dining-room, large kitchen, four beautiful bedrooms, upstairs, finished in white enamel, extra large bathroom, toilets and dressing-rooms, connecting with bedrooms; hardwood floors. We have sold houses for $4000 not as good. We can sell you this for $3900, complete with auto garage and furnace.

7-room 2-story house on W. 24th st., half a block from Traction car line; this house has beautiful large parlor, dining-room, kitchen and large reception hall on first floor; large porches, front and back, four beautiful bedrooms upstairs and large bathroom. This is an exceptional buy at $4500, 50x150 foot lot.

On E. Adams, just west of Central ave., 7-room 2-story 8-room house, $5500; lot 66x150 feet to an alley.

Pasadena ave., near Daly, 10-room 2-story house; this house is not new, but is modern and in good condition; lot 64x99; the lot alone is worth $3000. We can sell you house, lot and furniture for $4100, $400 cash, balance at $35 per month.

6-room cottage, modern, East 23rd st.; lot 40x140 to alley, $2500, $300 cash, balance $25 per month.

5-room new, modern cottage, near Hooper ave., $3750, $825 cash, balance at $30 per month. This is a bargain.

5-room modern cottage near E. 31st st., lot 40x145; $1500, $300 cash, balance $15 per month.

7-room 2-story house on lot 9x100 to 20-foot alley; $4250, $600 cash, $35 per month. This house is on Rivera st., half block from First st.

6-room modern bungalow on Guiarado st., ½ block from Euclid ave, car line; lot 50x127½ feet, $3000, $500 cash, $25 month.

J. W. NICKELL CO.,
521 Byrne Bldg.
3rd and Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—

EAST FRONT ON OXFORD.

A beautiful 8 room residence, has just been completed on the heights, southwest; a wide veranda with cement floor and steps, extends across the entire front; the entrance is of oak and bevel plate. The living room, which is unusually large, is heavily beamed and paneled, and contains a massive fireplace, seats and bookcases. The dining room is in Flemish, there is a magnificent buffet, at either side of which are French doors, leading to an adjoining sun porch. The lower floor is finished complete by a pantry and kitchen in white enamel, and large screen porch with two stationary tubs and extra toilet. Upstairs are four splendid bedrooms with well lighted closets, linen closet and bath, all in white enamel. There are oak floors, gas and furnace. Extra care has been shown in the finish and selection of lighting fixtures, and at the price, $6500, it is the biggest snap on the heights.

"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
329 S. Hill st. Main 9007, Home Ex. 767.

FOR SALE—

5 room cottage on West 47th st., a fine location, 50x150 feet, $2750, $500 down, balance $25 per month, including interest.

5 room house on West 46th st., lot 50x239, street work done, $2850, $300 down, balance $20 per month, including interest.

Both of these are snaps. Don't overlook these as they are both snaps.

SEE SHUEY.

The biggest bargain ever; 6 room double bungalow, new, modern, arranged for two families; fine location, southwest corner of Vernon, rented for $30 per month; which pays nearly 9 per cent on price asked, price $3700, $900 cash, balance easy terms, you must hurry if you want this snap.

Two modern 5 room bungalow, nicely furnished, located between West Adams and 27th street, at the extreme low price of $2500; $500 cash, balance easy. Remember this includes the furniture, carpets and drapery. See HAWKINSON.

Only $150 down buys a fine 6 room cottage in the southwest, with all modern improvements. See McClellan, WESTERN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO., 424 South Hill st. F3631, Broadway 2476. 9

FOR SALE—
HALLDALE NEAR ADAMS.

We have been fortunate enough to secure the sole agency of what we believe to be the best built and most artistic bungalow in the West Adams section. It consists of a spacious reception hall, at the right of which is a magnificent living room with massive fireplace, bookcases, seats, and casement windows. The dining room contains a beautiful buffet and the consecratory window. There are two very large bedrooms each with a fine bay window; a perfectly appointed bath, large and unusually convenient kitchen, screen porch, and stationary tubs. There is also a floored attic with stairway to it. Hardwood floors in every room, finish all hand-rubbed work, very expensive fixtures of special design; lot 50x150 to alley; beautifully improved with lawn, shrubs, flowers, ornamental and shade trees; price $5000; part cash. This is an ideal home on the prettiest 80 foot Boulevard, southwest. Let us show you this.

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EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
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FOR SALE—
A WEST JEFFERSON SNAP.
FOR INVESTORS OR HOMESEEKERS.

We can deliver a handsome modern 6 room bungalow, beautifully furnished, including a $600 piano, for $5,300. The lot is 60x140, on West Jefferson, and faces directly up an 80 foot boulevard. The property can easily be rented for $40 monthly and recent developments on this street make it certain that the lot alone will be worth $5000 in a year's time. It is a big opportunity for profitable investment.

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FOR SALE—

GET ONE OF THESE.

$4200—FINE LOT 57x126, ON SOUTH FLOWER. IMPROVED WITH A 1½-STORY NEW RESIDENCE. THIS IS A BUY IN A SWELL NEIGHBORHOOD.

$12,000—A FINE 11-ROOM RESIDENCE, NEAR 7TH AND BEACON. THIS IS FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT, AND MUST BE SEEN TO BE APPRECIATED.

T. J. McGONIGLE,
404 GRANT BLDG.
MAIN 9024, A7276. 9

FOR SALE—

A PHOENIX, ARIZ., CORNER.

$1500—CORNER, 100x159, IN PHOENIX, ARIZ., IMPROVED WITH TWO SMALL HOUSES RENTED FOR $15 PER MONTH, OR WILL EXCHANGE FOR LOS ANGELES PROPERTY.

T. J. McGONIGLE,
404 GRANT BLDG.
MAIN 9024, A7276. 9

FOR SALE—

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE.

$3000—LOT 60x187, WITH NOMINAL IMPROVEMENTS, ALWAYS RENTED. THIS PROPERTY IS WITHIN 11 MINUTES' WALK OF SECOND AND BROADWAY. THIS IS A SACRIFICE.

T. J. McGONIGLE,
404 GRANT BLDG.
A7276, MAIN 9024. 9

FOR SALE—

VERNON AVENUE NEAR MONETA.

New and modern 10-room house. An elegant home in a very fine neighborhood. Five large well lighted bed-rooms and bath upstairs. Can sacrifice for $4800 on quick sale.

WILLIAM KENNEDY,
519 H. W. Hellman Bldg.
Phones A1194; Main 6224. 9

FOR SALE—

$1000 down, $25 a month; new cottage, 4 large rooms, beautiful electric fixtures, modern bathroom, stationary wash tubs, mantel, sideboard, bookcase and large window seat built in, dining room all paneled, bedroom enameled, pantry 6x10; cement walk around house, lot all fenced, shed for chicken corrals.

T. L. O'BRIEN & CO.,
Jefferson and Main sts.

271 EAST 47TH.

Phone South 3394. 9

FOR SALE—$2350.

MONETA AVENUE WAY.

5 room strictly modern brand new bungalow, the coziest little house on the market, close to 2 car lines, lawn, walks, oiled street, everything nice, for $2350; can you beat this? Easy terms. See owners, WILLIAMSON REALTY CO., corner 50th and Moneta ave. South 3147.

FOR SALE—$2200, PRETTY BUNGALOW OF 5 rooms and bath, new, all conveniences, on high ground; close to 2 car lines; this home is completely furnished in good style, linen and silver included; will sacrifice for early sale; part cash. 2240 N. SARATOGA, E. 1st car; walk north one and one-half blocks. Phone 41146.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
OUR SPECIAL BARGAIN LIST
FOR INVESTORS AND HOMESEEKERS.
KLEINMAN-AUSTEN REALTY CO.
223 Mercantile Place.

$200 down and $15 per month will buy beautiful 5 room cottage with large lot, on Hooper ave., in business district; price only $1450, for a quick sale.

$500 cash, the balance easy terms, for a beautiful 5 room cottage on 12th st. All modern, north front. Only $2900.

A foreclosure; must sell 6 room cottage, southwest, near Washington street; built substantially for a home, lot 40x140, alley; barn, all modern improvements; easy terms. See my agents.

$2400—Only $800 cash, buys a nice home or a rental property in southwest. Lot very large, improved with two modern cottages, 6 and 2 rooms.

$1000 cash will buy a beautiful corner close in, on 27th st. Large lot; improved with a strictly modern up-to-date cottage of 5 rooms. A bargain for $2700.

$500 cash buys a beautiful modern cottage on W. 28th st.; lot 50x140; nice lawn and flowers. This week only for, $2800.

$800 cash will handle a two story, new, 6 room modern house, close in; walking distance; balance like rent; price $3100. See our exclusive agents.

W. 21st st., close in; a fine new 5 room bungalow; modern and strictly up to date; must sell at once; will let it go for $1350; $700 cash.

Can you duplicate this? A beautiful corner on New Hampshire close in; large lot and a fine new 5 room cottage; $2500; $500 cash.

A beautiful corner on 17th st., improved with a 2 story 8 room new and modern building; a great bargain for $4000, and $1000 cash; easy terms.

A fine new 2 story house of 9 rooms; on large lot, nice lawn, flowers and fruit trees; an ideal home. Only $4200, $1000 cash.

Close in, southwest; walking distance; a grand home of 7 large rooms; large lot; all improved with a beautiful lawn; fine fruits; $2500 cash; price $3500.

Come and convince yourself; let us show you some of our bargains in homes and income property.

KLEINMAN-AUSTEN REALTY CO.
223 Mercantile Place.
Home F3069. Sunset Main 8706. 9

FOR SALE—$6000.

WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

Completed this week, fine house of 8 large rooms, elevated, 50-foot lot, east front; fine view of Hollywood and mountains; hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, built-in buffet; china closet, bookcases, window seat; cabinet kitchen, elegant stone mantel; artistic fixtures and hardware; 4 large bedrooms in white enamel; big closets, best plumbing, 2 large porches; chance to get an elegant home; convenient, artistic and honestly built; fine neighborhood; 10 minutes from Spring st., $6000; half cash.

107 S. WESTLAKE AVE.

Take W. Second st. car. Key on screen porch.

SIMMONDS, Owner.
Main 635. A7166. West 2254. 9

FOR SALE—

WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

—$11,700—

We have been authorized to offer for sale this fine property, consisting of one large 11 room house, equipped with every modern convenience and all in perfect condition. Also a fine 5-room cottage on rear. This is a splendid place, located on the corner of Eighth and Valencia sts., being close to 3 good car lines; the lot is 60x127 to alley, beautiful lawn, flowers and shrubs. If you are looking for something real good it would be well for you to inspect this property, which we can deliver for $11,700. Leased for $75 per month. The corresponding corner, one block north, sold for $3250 foot, vacant.

CROAKE & McCANN, 229 Douglas Bldg.
Home phone 1812. Sunset Main 3430.
9 Members L. A. Realty Board.

FOR SALE—

If you want a home that is well built and nicely finished, that will bear inspection and is worth every dollar asked for it, go and see 236 W. 48TH ST., right near Moneta ave., 7 rooms, modern, oak floors, built-in buffet; panelled dining-room and fireplace; no better home in the city for the price, $3800; $1500 cash balance monthly.

GEO. E. WALHIZER,
628 W. Sixth st.
Home A2613. Broadway 5361. Ground Floor. 9

FOR SALE—

Don't mind seeing this if you are looking for a home; 6 rooms, 1½-story modern, 402 W. 32nd st., between Moneta and Figueroa sts.; go and see this, then call on us for price and terms, which are right.

GEO. E. WALHIZER,
628 W. Sixth st.
Home A2613. Broadway 5361. Ground floor. 9

FOR SALE—NEW 8-ROOM RESIDENCE; high-class district, near Westlake, sand-stone chimney and porch, cement block mantels, gas logs, hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, paneled walls; furnace, automatic water heater, auto barn, large lot, thoroughly modern, built for my home; price $10,000, worth more. Address E, box 172, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—
5-room modern house, high ground, good location, price reduced from $3000 to $2500; owner lives out of city, and says sell.

GEO. E. WALHIZER,
628 W Sixth st.
Home A2613
Broadway 5361. Ground Floor.

FOR SALE — SAFE, LOT 60x135; 6-ROOM model modern house, sewerage, gas and electricity, on 31st st., cabinet kitchen, cement cellar, 50-barrel cistern, hydrant and stock barn; electric light in barn, a model home, small payment and terms. Address D, box 56, TIMES OFFICE. Phones, South 4338. Home B2369.

FOR SALE—SNAP; LOT 50x150; 7-ROOM 2-story reception and hall, oak floors, casement windows; 2 porches, balcony, cement cellar, gas and electricity, restrictions $2500; closet, bookcases, window seat; cabinet kitchen, elegant stone mantel; artistic fixtures and hardware; 4 large bedrooms in white enamel; big closets, best plumbing, 2 large porches; chance to get an elegant home; convenient, artistic and honestly built; fine neighborhood; 10 minutes from Spring st., $6000; half cash.

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FOR SALE— Houses.

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HOUSES COTTAGES BUNGALOWS

5-room cottage, oak floors, strictly modern and up-to-date; Marshall, near Figueroa st. Price $3100; $1000 cash, balance $25 per month.

5-room cottage on 36th near Maple ave., a bargain at $2900, $1300 cash, balance $25 per month.

6-room bungalow, West 21st st., near Vermont. $3150. $600 cash, balance $25 per month.

6-room bungalow, new, lot 45x140; Western ave. Price $4250; ⅓ cash.

8-room strictly modern 2-story house, corner lot, 67½x150, near West Adams st. and Menlo ave. Price $6500; $2500 cash, balance monthly payments. This is a bargain.

7-room, 2-story house, oak floors throughout, fine fixtures, furnace, etc. Lot 50x150; high ground. Southwest. Price only $4000, ⅓ cash.

7-room, 1½-story house, lot 50x135 to alley. Trees, flowers, sewer; has electricity, etc.; East 24th, near Griffith. Price $4100; $800 cash.

7-room, 2-story, modern house, Albany st., near Pico. Price $5500; $2500 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years at 6 per cent.

8-room, 2-story house, hardwood floors, solar heater; lot 26½x150 to alley. Elden ave., near 16th. Price $5000; $2500 cash, balance at 6 per cent.

One 5-room and one 5-room cottage on southwest corner. Lot 46x128. Pico Heights. One block from Pico st. Price $3350.

OLD SETTLERS' INVESTMENT CO.,
220 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
ACME REALTY CO.
Rooms 427-8 Grosse Bldg., 6th and Spring.
Exclusive agents for the following bargains.

$8000—BIG SNAP FOR $8000.
$1000 BELOW VALUE.
SWELL W. ADAMS DISTRICT.
ELEGANT 8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE.
66-FOOT FRONT. CEMENT BASEMENT AND FURNACE.
EASY TERMS. SEE US QUICK.

ANOTHER BARGAIN AT $7500.
Close to Westmoreland Place.
Handsome 8-room east front house.
Close to two car lines.
High ground in swell neighborhood.
Furnace and modern conveniences.
Fine lawns and flowers. Easy terms.

6-ROOM BUNGALOW (S. W. 28.) $3000.
Best bargain in the southwest.
21st st., close to Vermont.
Modern, dark finish, 2 bedrooms in white enamel, $1200 cash.

ONLY $500 DOWN (S.W. 14.)
New cottage, 5 rooms, modern.
Pico Heights, $3000, $25 per month.
ACME REALTY CO.,
9 427-8 Grosse Bldg., 6th and Spring.

FOR SALE—

A BEAUTIFUL S.W. BUNGALOW.
VERY EAST TERMS.

A handsome 6-room bungalow, just completed, and only one short block from car. A wide veranda, with massive supports, extends across the entire front. The living-room is unusually large and contains a very artistic unglazed tile fireplace. There is a Beautiful dining-room, with magnificent specially-designed buffet, a kitchen supplied with every modern convenience, three bed-rooms, with large closets and bath in white enamel; Oak floors, beautiful fixtures, in fact, it is a Bungalow Perfect, inside and out. Price $3700, $600 cash, $25 monthly.

"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
10 329 S. HILL ST. Main 9007, Home Ex. 767.

FOR SALE—

SPLENDID RESIDENCE.
HALLDALE AND 30TH ST.
LARGE CORNER LOT.

One of the most desirable modern houses in the city; an architectural beauty; an ideal interior; you will admire at once the massive mission style and the whole interior and in harmony with them; 7 rooms, well polished hardwood floors, magnificent built-in buffet, heavy beamed ceilings and paneled dining-room. The house contains every convenience. It will appeal to your artistic sense and your love of comfort; price $6250; only $1500 cash required.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
9 213 W. Third St.

FOR SALE—ONLY $400 CASH AND $30 MONTHLY TILL PAID, FIVE-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, JUST READY FOR YOU TO MOVE RIGHT IN; ON GRADED STREET NEAR CAR; SOUTH PART OF CITY; OWNER, ARTHUR HOLWAY, 211 GRANT BLDG. A1920. PRICE $1800. 9

FOR SALE—

$12000—4000 cash, balance long time; new 5-room modern cottage, 45th street, half block from Central avenue; must be sold.

$2000—A great snap; 2 houses, one 6 rooms, one of 4 rooms; rents $35; price $1550; income $25 per month, half cash, balance plenty time; one block from Central-avenue car, near Vernon.

COOPER & CUDDEBACK,
10 318 S. Broadway, Room 227.

FOR SALE—THE OWNER HAS JUST TAKEN in exchange an elegant home at 54th and Heliotrope. Look it up. It has 7 large rooms, full 2-story, with all modern improvements; fine garage in rear; the lot is 58x150, highly improved, and he has told me to sell it for cash; this home is worth $5000 and it's a high-class home, and the lot alone is worth $4500; for quick sale I will sell for $4000 cash; see me at once. This is the agent, L. S. DAVIS, 714 O. T. Johnson Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE, on high ground, close in; hardwood floors, fireplace; large flowered attic, with stairway; strictly modern throughout; beautiful view, near car line; lot 50x135; price $3600, including new range; easy terms.

J. W. GILBREATH & CO.,
Main 3060. CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
F4287. 415 Union Trust Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
8 room modern house, 2 story, on Hoover street, close in, lot 42x150, see us on this, it is a bargain for cash.

8 rooms on S. Main st., 2 story, new, modern, lot 50x145 to alley. Nothing cheaper on this street, $2000 cash will handle it.

OLD SETTLERS' INVESTMENT CO.,
220 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—

WEST ADAMS STREET HOME.

—$16,000—

EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE.
STONE CELLAR.
LOT 80x150.
CORNER.
CANNOT BE DUPLICATED FOR PRICE.
PHONES—8560. SUNSET M. 6490. 9

FOR SALE—
$2150—Beautiful country home of 10 acres, in Tujunga; 6-room modern house and chicken-house, well and windmill; beautiful trees, fruits and flowers. This is a model home; must sell this at $2000, sacrifice at once.

LEAHY & SON,
9 Tel. F4621. 214 Severance Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Modern bungalow on a corner, on high land; full 1¼-story, 7 rooms, and a large barn; beautiful grounds; Boyle Heights, near Hollenbeck Park; healthiest location in the city.

J. W. GILBREATH & CO.,
9 A8622. 322 Byrne. B'way 4577.

FOR SALE—ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE 6-room modern cottage, newly furnished; close in; lot 40x125; $4250; terms.

Main 3060. CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
F4287. 415 Union Trust Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—ELEGANT 8-ROOM MODERN house, close in, near Figueroa and 16th-street car lines; lot 46x176 to alley; a bargain for a home, and money-maker; price $5750.

R. W. RICHARDSON,
Main 3060. CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
F4287. 415 Union Trust Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—

$2900—A swell new 6-room modern bungalow, southwest; hardwood floors, beamed ceilings; a fine, large buffet and mantel, cabinet kitchen, stationary laundry tub, bookcases; lot is 40x134, and an east front. Splendid bargain at this price; terms.

W. O. LUSK,
F4287. 415 Union Trust (Bralv) Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST.

New and elegant 6-room bungalow, all large rooms, oak floors, beamed ceilings, built-in bookcases, gas and electricity for lighting; best of fixtures and the finest possible finish. We have spared no effort in making this cottage equal to any in this city; $4000.

Main 3060. CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
F4287. 415 Union Trust Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—

$4000—A 6-room new and modern cottage on W. 36th st.; hardwood floors, built-in seats, fine mantel, buffet, extra well planned and built; lot 40x170 to alley; terms if desired.

W. O. LUSK,
Main 3060. CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
F4287. 415 Union Trust Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—A NEW 2-STORY MODERN home; every convenience; north of Prospect ave., in the heart of Hollywood; lot 75

Real Estate Classified.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
Am just commencing to build in my new tract, corner Normandie ave. and Santa Barbara. If you want a house in splendid location, built to suit, and on easy terms, come and see me. All lots 52-foot front.
L. A. R. B. L. L. BOWEN, 502-3 Pay Bldg. 16

FOR SALE—DO YOU WANT A FINE home at Hollywood; 8-room modern house; fine location; by paying about $400 down, balance easy monthly payments? A bargain and a fine chance to secure a home. See CLAPPER, 800 L. A. Trust Bldg. Phone 7301, Main 2241.

FOR SALE—ENORMOUS SACRIFICE. Beautiful modern home, southwest, worth $3000; owner leaving city; will sell for $2500; $750 down, $20 a month; greatest bargain in the city.
THE STEPHEN INNES COMPANY,
532 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.
Home A5188, Main 4746. 9

FOR SALE—NEW 5 AND 6-ROOM BUNGALOWS, Wesley and Vernon ave.- Beautiful in design and finish. Will take $500 cash, balance monthly like rent. R. D. LIST.
Removed to
400 I. W. Hellman Bldg., Fourth and Main. 17
NOT Fourth and Spring.

FOR SALE—
ON SOUTH THOMAS STREET.
$3000.
New and modern 5 room cottage; hear cars, price $2300, terms, $300 cash, balance $25 month.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 9

FOR SALE—SNAP; HOUSE AND LOT, 4 rooms, lots in adjoining tracts cost $1100 to $2000; high, healthy, frontage grand view; cannot be built out; close to car line; west end of city; only $1250 cash; think of that. Call at ROOM 405, Citizens' National Bank Bldg., Monday, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. 9

FOR SALE—CALIFORNIA COTTAGE, NEW, in industrial district, renting for $14 net, only $1400, ½ cash; also splendid 6-room bungalow in southwest; near Figueroa, $3200, $400 cash, balance $30 per month. C. A. LEHMAN, No. 123 S. Broadway. Broadway 3125, Home 5699. 9

FOR SALE—2 LARGE ROOM HOUSE, WITH small kitchen and porch; plastered; lot 50x150; all fenced; lawn, trees and chicken corral; half block from school, 1½ blocks from car line. Take E. First st. car, get off at Rowan. $1100 to owner. MRS. DAVIS, 152 S. Hollenbeck st. 9

FOR SALE—HUNTINGTON ANNEX, north front lot, 4-room cottage, neatly finished, cheap for cash, $900; parties wishing to move North. Take Slauson-ave. car, afternoons, get off fifth st. (Spaulding.) walk east into second block and the second house on right hand, all green. 9

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF 8 ROOMS, ELECtric lights, porcelain bath and toilet, large porch, cement walk, shed in rear, 9 bearing orange trees; $2600, terms, make an offer, or exchange for what have you? Owner, J. G. BIETTINGER, 204 Tajo Bldg. Phone Sunset Glendale 87. 9

FOR SALE — EXCEPTIONALLY WELL built, comfortable 7-room cottage; all modern improvements; hardwood floors, lawn, fruit trees, flowers; barn; lot 50x150 to alley; 2d-class location in city. 2722 Halldale ave. $4,000; terms. Apply OWNER, 445 S. Olive st. Phones F4061, Main 3527.

FOR SALE—COTTAGE, 5 LARGE ROOMS, near Moneta ave. car line, close in, $2500; would consider lot about $750, some cash, balance mortgage. For particulars inquire of MR. CHAFIN, 109 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — WE ARE HEADQUARTERS

FOR SALE—$5000; 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, 2519 St., between Vermont and Romeo sts.; lot 50x150; hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, large closets, bath, buffet, kitchen and all modern conveniences. BELL & MOSTELLER, 214 Grant Bldg. A1309, Main 2504.

FOR SALE—A PRETTY NEW HOME, 5 rooms, large living-room, den, dining-room and kitchen; furnace; 4 bedrooms, bath and toilet; large halls and closets; lot 40 x 150; barn and flowers. 'Phone 21203. Address 1237 ELDEN AVE. No agents. 9

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, $3600 WILL BUY a modern cottage containing 6 large rooms, on 50-foot lot, very close to Central ave. on 17th st.; price is $500 below actual value, as owner must sell at once; terms. HOME PHONE A1960 or 23654. 9

FOR SALE—$7000, GARVANZA.
5-room, modern cottage, all improvements; high lot, beautiful view, good car service, 5c fare; only $500 cash, balance $20 month; this is a fine home place.
HENGERER-JOST REALTY CO.,
Room 215, 702 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM RESIDENCE ON Grattan st., Westlake district, hardwood floors and every modern convenience; lot 41x 130. A rare opportunity at $7250, only $2000 down, and $40 a month.
JAMES J. DALY,
9 620 Grosse Bldg., 6th and Spring.

FOR SALE—
Very neat, new and modern cottage, only 10 minutes from center of city, 5 rooms; price $2150. Terms $200 cash, balance $20 month including interest.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 15

FOR SALE—FURNISHED HOUSES; $4500; 12-room house, furnished, large lot, high, healthy location, walking distance, west of S. P. freight depot, iron foundries, 2 blocks of High School. $1250—large lot, 5-room house, $2450—6-room cottage; $500 cash, car line; near this. 807 ALPINE, Tel. Broadway 2769. 9

FOR SALE — A 5-ROOM COTTAGE ON Rosemawn Drive, modern and up to date in every way; one short block to Pasadena avenue car line; price for this week only $3200 down; this will not last very long, so see it early. See WM. ELSEY, 5715 Pasadena avenue. 9

FOR SALE—HOW DOES THIS LOOK TO you? 6-room north front cottage, north of Jefferson, between Main and Maple, lot 50x125, for $2900, $1000 cash, balance monthly; lot value $2500. T. L. O'BRIEN & CO., Jefferson and Main. Phones South 2276, Home 35536. 9

FOR SALE—ANY ONE WISHING TO PURchase a cozy home at $300 below actual value, call at 421 E. 25TH ST., and you will see one of the cosiest little bungalows for the money in the south part of the city, no reasonable offer refused, small payment down and balance monthly. Maple ave. car line.

FOR SALE—$10 PER MONTH, INCLUDING interest, will pay for a modern cottage, built on your lot; 5 rooms, bathroom, porcelain plumbing, closets, pantry, plastered throughout, painting and tinting guaranteed; price $575. LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO., 337 S. Hill. Capital and surplus, $750,000. 9

FOR SALE — TWO MODERN 7-ROOM houses in W. Adams section; completely retinted and painted; very attractive and bargains.
MRS. HURD, HOTEL ASTORIA,
OR THE J. E. PUGH REALTY CO.,
221 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—MUST SELL.
New 5-room house, almost completed; beautiful lot, 50x135; goes at $1050; 5c fare.
Fine large lot, 50x150, worth $250. Goes at $225.
CARLIN, Owner,
429 Germain Bldg.

FOR SALE—$5250 FOR MODERN 8-ROOM house on W. 24th st., one block from W. Adams car line; this house was built by owner for home and has all modern conveniences, including furnace; it is a snap; let us show you; $1000 cash, balance terms.
MILLER & LEWIS CO., 702 Merchants' Trust Co. Bldg.

FOR SALE—LARGE, NEW FIVE-ROOM bungalow, near First and Union, on high terrace; must be sold; stone retaining wall; house built for a home; has finest finish throughout; elegant brick mantel, extra fine electric fixtures, floors all finished; model kitchen; altogether such a house as you would like; price $3850. Address D, box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—A FINE, MODERN 2-STORY house of 9 rooms and bath, all modern conveniences, up-to-date in every particular; nice lawn, swell neighborhood; walking distance from Fourth and Spring sts.; by owner; save commission. Address D, box 156, TIMES OFFICE. 'Phone A2216.

FOR SALE—6 ROOMS, MODERN, LOT 40x 128 to alley; between 2 car lines, fine neighborhood, on sand st.
$2700, easy terms, $300 below value, better see this now.
BOSSEMAN & GREESON, 4206 South Park ave. South 1446.

FOR SALE—TWO NEW 6 AND 7 ROOM houses, 21st and Arlington, best location, high ground, all modern conveniences, corner, $4500 each; also two bungalows, just being completed, modern in every particular, $3000 each. Call today, 2111 ARLINGTON, adjoining.

FOR SALE—$2850, NEW MODERN 5 ROOM COTTAGE, STREET WORK IN, GAS, ELECTRICITY, SEWER, ON HIGH EAST FRONT LOT, NEAR CAR LINE, 11 MINUTES' RIDE TO COURTHOUSE, INQUIRE MISS GREGORY, TEMPLE AND CASCO ST.

FOR SALE—$2600, NEW STRICTLY MODern 5 room cottage, nicely furnished throughout on high east front lot, close to car line, only ten minutes' ride to Courthouse, street work in, terms ¼ cash, balance to suit. Inquire MISS GREGORY, northeast corner Temple and Casco st. 9

FOR SALE—SOUTH PASADENA, ELEgant new bungalow, 6 large rooms, mission finish, large lot, magnificent view; it's a bargain, come early for a good buy on good terms. LAND, SAND AND SEA INVESTMENT CO., 627 Chamber of Commerce. Phone 4629.

FOR SALE—$25 DOWN, $25 MONTHLY.
Buys 1542 E. 25th, 4 rooms, $1600.
Buys 1539 E. 25th, 4 rooms, $1600.
Buys 1531 Palomares, (20th.) $2000.
Keys 1639 E. 20th, corner Slauson car line. Also 2123 Court st., near Alvarado, $2350.

FOR SALE—
MUST BE SEEN TO BE APPRECIATED.
MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGALOW.
$2800. HALF CASH.
1357 RUBIO ST. NEAR ASCOT AVE.
HOOPER AVE. CAR, BET. 48TH AND 49TH.
PHONE 19837

FOR SALE—HOUSE 7 ROOMS, LARGE LOT; $200 cash, balance like rent. FRANK ROCKWELL, 211½ W. First. Rooms 15 and 16.

FOR SALE—
W. 8TH, NEAR FIGUEROA.
8 ROOMS, $5,650.
LOT IS 46x176, AND WORTH $1000.
SPEAK QUICKLY.
HOLT & MUNTON ESTATE AGENCY.
227 Mercantile Place.

FOR SALE — BUNGALOW ON W. 36TH st., 5 rooms, price $3400; $500 down, balance in payments. MRS. COOPER, 711 Delta Bldg. For Sale—Bargain on W. 27th st., 5-room bungalow; lot 60x165; 2-story barn; cement floor; stable for 2 horses; cement cellar; price 24800; $1200 cash. MRS. COOPER, 711 Delta Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—WE GIVE YOU THE LOT, six 165 feet, worth alone $500 and the house which cannot be built for the price of both, is a large 9-room house, granite and pressed brick, first story, oak floors, an elegant home, all we ask is $6000. See JACKSON, with Pratt, 321 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—EXCHANGE FOR CLEAR acreage of exactly same value, home, 8-room, beautiful elevation, $2800, or whole frontage, 16 lots, $4000; mortgage $1000; five large rooms, Traction cars. State price, exact location if you wish answer. 219 S. BREED, Boyle Heights. 9

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.
$8000—WEST ADAMS HEIGHTS—$8000
This house was built by day work, is new and modern, fine view of mountains and valley. This is a bargain and you had better see me about it Monday. Easy terms. J. G. HUTCHESON, 1861 W. Washington. 9

FOR SALE—
ONLY—$150 DOWN—ONLY
New 5 and 6-room houses, modern in every respect. Price quick.
PARKS REALTY CO., 434 S. Hill street. Home F8614, Bdway. 2470. 9

FOR SALE—
I am just completing three 5-room cottages that I can sell for $1800, with $400 cash, balance $15 per month; on 47th st.
J. B. BINGHAM, 205 S. Broadway.
A8122, Main 3144. 10

FOR SALE—
5-room modern bungalow on one-half acre lot; chicken brooders, colony houses, etc.; fine for chicken ranch; terms.
J. B. BINGHAM, 205 S. Broadway.
A8122, Main 3144. 10

FOR SALE—HOW MUCH LONGER WILL you pay rent? Only three of those cottages left, $100 to $350 down, balance $27.50 to $30 per month; prices $2200 to $2450. I have a few cheaper ones, too, on lower terms. See JACKSON, with Pratt, 321 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
CORDOVA STREET.
A new and modern 4 room cottage on lot 35x125, for $2500; $750 cash and balance to suit purchaser.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 11

FOR SALE—VERY HANDSOME 11-ROOM residence with one-acre lot, well improved, fine old trees and shrubs, fine barn. This must be sold at once and is a bargain. MR. HERRING with HUGH SPARKMAN & CO., 228 Merchants Trust Bldg. Home 3445, Main 9037.

FOR SALE—$3250, WELL-BUILT MODERN house of six large rooms, elegantly decorated; two mantels, nice large porch, good neighborhood, close in. Look this up if you want a nice home at a bargain. Address BOX 709, Station C.

FOR SALE—A MODERN 9-ROOM HOUSE; lawn, flowers, some fruit; 5-room house in rear; ½ block from Figueroa, 1 block from Chester place, select location; must be sold; lines; a snap. Address owner, F, box 102, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE — ELEGANT RESIDENCE, 2503 W. 24th st., stone front; large halls, cozy corners; $50 plate and art windows, billiard-room, $250 fixtures, furnace, drapery; $1000 down, terms to corner. OWNER, 1245 W. Third. Phone E2458.

FOR SALE—REMARKABLE BARGAIN. $1700 cash; 1989 Cordova st., 4 rooms, bath, toilet, barn; lot 52x128, alley. $3900, cash; Berendo st., 5 rooms, modern; other snaps, cash or terms. COLE BROS., 331 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, NEW TWO-story house near Westlake; 7 rooms on each floor; lower floor rented; modern, well built; lot 50x175; lawn and flowers; owner leaving city; no agents. Call afternoon, 454 LAKE ST. 9

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—
9-room house; lot 80x135½; near Central high school, and Romaine st. car; lot 80x130, price for 10 days only, $4000; half cash, balance $10 per month. See W. J. HUNTER, with J. G. Fleenor & Co., 119½ S. Spring st. Phones Main 1963, Home F6123.

FOR SALE—5 ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN with mantel, bath, etc., near South Park; lot 46x100, price $2600; $400 cash, $20 per month. See MR. CANTERBURY with J. G. FLEENOR & CO., 119½ South Spring st. Phones—Main 1963, Home F6123. 9

FOR SALE—BARGAINS IN BUNGALOWS, cottages, houses, lots or business property. Call at office or make appointment by phone. Automobile will take you to any of these Bldg. Phone Main 2740, A3124. 14

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL NEW 5-ROOM bungalow, all modern conveniences, large lot, $1450; cash; this is a bargain, buy direct from owner. 1376 W. 36TH ST. Phone West 382.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.
Modern 5-room cottage, southwest, $500 under value; non-resident owner.
H. E. O'BRIEN,
Home A1379. 309 Frost Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR RENT, COMPLETE 5-ROOM cottage, mission furniture, hot and cold water, gas and electricity, chickens. We can show you; snap; only $600 cash needed; OWNER at home, 155 S. Glass st. Terms. 9

FOR SALE—LOOK AT THIS. A FINE 7-room cottage, nicely located, close in, well furnished, low rent, modern improvements; choice and only one block better than a flat; come quick. A. P. ABBOTT, 204 W. 7th st. 11

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE MOST BEAUTIful residences in Long Beach, at a great sacrifice. Owner must have money quick. $4000 will handle it. V. E. STOCKWELL & CO., 304 Grant Bldg., A2814, Main 1589. 9

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN 5-ROOM COTtage, just being finished, with one or two lots; will take part cash, or house and lot in west or southwest, if taken at once. Apply to OWNER, 2214 Figueroa st. Phone C3073. 9

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, AT 1633 W. 36TH ST., 6-room cottage, modern improvements, lot 50x136 feet; 1 block from W. Jefferson st. car; price $3600, $625 cash and $25 per month, including interest. 10

FOR SALE—ONLY $50 DOWN. BALANCE like rent, new four-room cottage at a bargain; small interest; price only $1300; think this over now. OWNER, 2258 E. Fourth st. Take green Boyle Heights car. 9

FOR SALE—HERE IS THE BEST BUY IN me must be in New York by Washington st.; owner I must have the money. LEVITT, 406 Trust Bldg. Main 2969. 9

FOR SALE—$4500, 6-ROOM COTTAGE, WOODland avenue; terms.
For Sale—$7500, beautiful 7-room house, in southwest; $3000 turns it. REAMES & SON, Maple and Woodland. E9158. 9

FOR SALE—BIGGEST BARGAIN IN NEW, near-in bungalow in city, 8 rooms, 2-story, built ideal for home comfort, will sell $500 less than cost if sold before Christmas See OWNER, 230 29th between Main and Maple.

FOR SALE—I AM COMPELLED TO SACRIfice my new 5-room cottage in one of the finest sections, southwest; must raise $400 at once, balance on your own terms, if taken quick. Address E, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—SNAP, $2400, A MODERN 5-room cottage with electricity and gas and lot 40x145 to 15-foot alley, north front, $500 down, balance to suit; come quick. 1256 E. 16TH ST., no agents. 12

FOR SALE—4-ROOM COTTAGE HARD FINished, tinted, bath, toilet, etc.; lot 45x144, fenced, lawn, garden; $1600, easy terms; commission to agents. M. J. CARROLL, 4817 Hooper ave., South 2630. 9

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, 1407 SOUTH Hope street. Lot 50x150. 12-room house; terms. R. E. MUNCY REALTY & INV. CO., 405 Mason Bldg. Tel. Main 410, Home F6327

FOR SALE—BY OWNER LEAVING THE city, a very artistic story-and-a-half bungalow containing 7 large rooms and reception hall, just completed, modern; must be seen to be appreciated. TEL. SOUTH 2005. 9

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN 5-ROOM COTtages, terms $25 down, $25 month, including interest. 1141-1151-1167 E. 46TH.; Central ave. car. Owner. 12

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 3626 S. FLOWER, near Jefferson st., 5-room modern bungalow; price $2800, $1000 down; must raise money. TEL. SOUTH 3098. 9

FOR SALE — ⅛ ACRE LOT, 5-ROOM MODern house; piano full chickens; brooder house, all fenced. 1372 E. 62ND ST. Take Central-ave. car. 9

FOR SALE—
6 rooms, 1614 Oxford ave., near Harvard School; Santa Monica car. OWNER on premises. 9

FOR SALE — $800; 5-ROOM CALIFORNIA cottage; fine location; must be sold at once. Call at 2826 S. PARK AVE. Phone South 1903.

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, 746 E. 74TH ST., 7-room cottage, with 3-room bungalow in rear; north front lot, 40x165 to 20-ft. alley, $5000. 10

FOR SALE—HOME ON EUCLID HEIGHTS, 7 rooms, bath, hall, wired, modern, lot 50x132; street work, view, near car $2600; $800 cash, terms. 3975 E. SIXTH ST., owner. 9

FOR SALE—$3000; HOUSE AND LOT IN MY new, sightly, inside addition; special price to right party for start. OWNER, D, box 130, Times Office. 9

FOR SALE—$1500, YOU CAN MAKE $250 in ten days. Buy my 10-room house. Reason owner today. 421 COPP BLDG. Phone Broadway 1887.

FOR SALE—$1250, A 4-ROOM BUNGALOW and lot 40x135, 1412 E. 41st st., $200 cash, balance monthly. The owner, 603 E. 37TH. Phone S. 5046. Will take parties out. 9

FOR SALE — 5-ROOM COTTAGE IN FINE condition, including furniture; lot 40x157, $2600, 485 E. 28TH ST., near South Park ave. Call Sunday afternoons. 9

FOR SALE—$2700; SWELL 5-ROOM BUNgalow at 361 W. 35th; $500 cash, $20 per month. F. A. RHODE, 901 W. 35th. 9

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE, FOR CITY lots, $1250 equity in 5-room modern cottage. Address OWNER, 1936 E. 22ND ST. 9

FOR SALE—$350 CASH, $25 MONTHLY buys new 5 room bungalow, with every modern convenience, very close in, on graded street. 440 N. BURLINGTON. Call 214 FROST BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, MODERN HOUSE 6 rooms, $4600, part cash, balance $25 per month, ½ block from car. Apply 1744 W. 25TH ST. West 2871, or A. N. ADAMS, 434 S. Hill st. Home F5814, Broadway 2470.

FOR SALE—SNAP, A MODERN 5-ROOM cottage, nicely furnished, has lawn and flowers; lot 50x150; must sell. See OWNER on premises from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., at 316 S. Grande Vista st. Boyle Heights car. 9

FOR SALE—$3000; MODERN 5-ROOM COTtage, with stable and lawn, close in; half cash, balance long time; also 3 acres, Hollywood car; for $700. Owner, 'Phone H1500, 1147 HOLO ST. 9

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, WILL SELL equity in 7-room, 2-story house, on 57th st., ½ block from new proposed boulevard on Vermont ave.; 2 car lines ½ block either way. Address H, box 47, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—FORCED SALE.
$2500—Big sacrifice; modern 5 room cottage, tinted walls, fine neighborhood, southeast; must be sold at once. 152 N. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—NEW BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM modern bungalow; hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, strictly first-class, fine location; absolutely $700 cheap; must sell; $2300. 534 GERMAIN. 9

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL COTTAGE, PICO Heights, 5 large rooms, besides reception hall, bath, pantry, cabinet, cobblestone terrace, barn, drive, large high lot; forced sale, $2875. 1708 ST. MOLINO ST. 9

FOR SALE—HIGHLAND PARK.
Modern cottage at 136 Roselawn Drive, 5 rooms and bath, built-in buffet and pressed brick fireplace, a bargain for cash if purchased at once. owner's agents, S. JACOBY & CO., 250 Pacific Electric Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—$3500, A CLOSE-IN, MODERN 7-room, story-and-a-half house, hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, built-in buffet, bookcase, 2 brick mantels, cellar, barn, gas, electricity. Lot 50x150; north front. $2000 cash; terms. OWNER, PHONE B3624. 9

FOR SALE—$4250 NET, 6-ROOM RESIDENCE, 1413 Angeleno ave., beautiful location, lawn, flowers, fruit trees; nice barn, etc.; one block from Pico Westchester Place. Call at house or see SEALE, owner, with J. H. MOORE & CO., 241 S. Hill. 9

FOR SALE—I WANT TO SELL MY ATtractive 5-room bungalow at once, as I need the money for other business. $2500 $500 cash, $25 per month. Lot terraced, 2 fine lawn, flowers, 12x12 washhouse, barn; a snap. PHONE B2260. 9

FOR SALE—$500 DOWN, $20 MONTH, NEW 4-room house, lot 25x140; $1550; also 5-room house, new, $2000, half cash. Phone Boyle 340. Call 902 N. SOTO, Brooklyn car to Soto, then north. 10

FOR SALE—GREAT BARGAIN, MUST SELL before Jan. 1, fine large bungalow, almost new, well located, will sell furniture if desired. Address F, box 62, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—5-ROOM NEW, MODERN BUNgalow, lot 40x138, on W. 44th st., $500 under value, easy terms. Apply W. L. HEDRICK, 241 Douglas Bldg., corner 3rd and Spring.

FOR SALE—A SNAP IN A NEW 4-ROOM house, lot 50x140, on clean corner, and $400 stock of groceries, all for $1400, ¼ cash; W. Temple, H. DE LA GRANGE, 122 S. Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—2 COTTAGES, 3 ROOMS each, good car service, will sell like rent, $100 down, $15 month; $1050 cash, must go Monday. NATIONAL REALTY & TRUST CO., 123 S. Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—A NEW, 3-ROOM BUNGALOW, in University district. Lot 40x135. Price $1100. Small cash payment and balance like rent. No agents need reply. PHONE WEST 2779. 9

FOR SALE — 8-ROOM HOUSE IN PASAdena, close to church, public school, Throop Polytechnic Institute; car line and business; in first-class condition, $6000; term to suit. O. J. WYDAY, Pasadena Savings Bank. 11

FOR SALE—6-ROOM FINE LOOKING BUNgalow, well built, modern in every way, 6 months old; good neighborhood, will sell furnished or unfurnished; a bargain on account of leaving city. 1225 W. 28T HST. 9

FOR SALE — I AM IN NEED OF MONEY, my home on 51st st. must be sold; 4-room cottage and large lot; see my agents, MUNHOLLAND & DEVATIA, 312 Delta Bldg. Main 8709. 9

FOR SALE — NICE 2-ROOM RUSTIC COTtage; lot 40x135, alley; street work done; owner compelled to sell; have placed it away below low value; price $800, $200 cash, balance monthly. Apply 2507 CENTRAL AVE. 14

FOR SALE—$2500 CASH, BALANCE TERMS, buys new 6 room house, southwest, strictly modern, just finished, 20 minutes from business center. D. R. JONES & CO., 618 Laughlin Bldg. Phones A6486, Broadway 4624. 9

FOR SALE — 5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, $3600, $900 cash, balance $25 month; now rented at $25 month; several cottages, $1000 up; call Sunday afternoon, 1 to 5, at 1039 DODDS, 125-122 N. Broadway, Third floor, room 3. 9

FOR SALE—
—$1700—
See us about that 4-room house on N. Soto st.; it's a good buy. See LOCKHART & SON, 209 W. First st. 9

FOR SALE—$1000 GETS A NICE 4-ROOM and 30-foot lot; a nice little home; can't be beaten for money.
LOS ANGELES REALTY CO.,
9 205 Delta Bldg., 426 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—GOOD BUY, 8-ROOM, UP-TOdate cottage, 40x120. Leased for $30 month. See place, 1220 Stanford ave. OWNER, 328 S. LOS ANGELES STREET. Price $4000; ½ can remain. 9

FOR SALE — HANDSOME BUNGALOW ON W. Jefferson, just completed; 6 rooms; hardwood floors; a beauty for $3800; $1200 cash; this price a few days. See MRS. COOPER, 711 Delta Bldg. 9

FOR SALE — INCOME PROPERTY ON Union, close to Pico street; price $6500; for sale, fine paying rooming-house, on Broadway; price $1200. MRS. COOPER, 711 Delta Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, SIX-ROOM COTtage in southwest, cast front. Fruit and ornamental trees. A lovely home. $2850. Easy terms. We need money. Call HOME TELEPHONE B2670. 9

FOR SALE—$2500—$800 CASH, BALANCE easy, buys house and full-sized lot on cor. Jefferson and Ellendale. Lot almost worth the money. SPARKMAN & CO., 228 Merchants Trust Bldg. Main 9037, Home A3445. 9

FOR SALE—MODERN 2-STORY HOUSE just south of 9th st., on Francisco. Seven large rooms, reception hall, two toilets, large bath room, sunroom, porch and barn, 30x24 feet. Inquire of READ, 505 Delta Bldg. 10

FOR SALE—$1600, 2 LOTS ON CONNOR, close to Figueroa, 100x125, with 4-room house, close to car line. Terms. DIXON with SPARKMAN & CO., 229 Merchants Trust Bldg. Main 9037; A3445. 9

FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE, GOOD BARN, lawn and flowers; price $1600; will furnish bank loan of $2000, and I will lease same for one, two or three years at $400 per year. 845 E. 27TH ST. Phone South 3021. 9

FOR SALE—THIS WEEK ONLY; NEW 5-room house and 3 lots, near car line; price $2000; mortgage $1000, $45 2, 27TH ST. Phone South 3021. 9

FOR SALE—8-ROOM HOUSE, FURNISHED or unfurnished, near Chester Place, good condition, immediate possession, very low cash price. S. V. LANDT, room 130, Stimson Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—ONLY ONE 5-ROOM MODERN cottage left that we can sell you for $100 cash, balance like rent. WAGGONER REALTY CO., 415 and 419 Pacific Electric Bldg. Phone F6728. 9

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FOR SALE—$3500; 6-ROOM NEW, MODERN cottage, E. 35th st.; large lot, trees, flowers, $200 cash, balance like rent. ROUSE & ANDERSON, 308 Bryson Blk. 9

FOR SALE—A FINE CORNER ON MOTT st., Boyle Heights, with 5-room cottage, close to 2 electric car lines, $1400. G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 9

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$675—W. 26th st., near Arlington, 40x140.
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$750—Corner, block from 2 car lines, S.W. near Vermont; snap; easy terms, 40x140.
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$1250—Crenshaw blvd., near 16th, east front, snap; easily worth $1500; make offer, 50x160.
$1500—Fourth ave., the wide street, near cars, 50x140.
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$1900—New Hampshire, near 9th Marino; high ground, beautiful view; snap, 50x145.
$2250—Near Western and 6th, east front, half block from cars, 55x130.
$2500—Close in, near Pico, east front, fine for flats or apartments; snap, 50x120.
$9000—Adams st., corner on the hill, near the swellest homes; beautiful view. Inside lot there sold last week at $125 per foot. This will bring $100 per foot within a short time, 150x145.

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204x125.
$18,500—
FACTORY SITE,
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Choice lot on Bonnie Brae, 50 feet front, between 10th and Pico, $3000.
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One-half cash handles it.

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Corner on 45th and Budlong, 55x140, $400 cash.
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FOR SALE—THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY considerably under the market if taken before January.
$2500—Southwest corner, 100x140 on Vermont ave.; two car lines, $1250, deferred.
$2000—Sunset Place lot, highest ground, 55x140, next to Wilshire Place, property held at $125 foot; four car lines, 15 minutes from Broadway, $400 deferred.
Unrestricted ocean front lot at West Naples, at half price of canal lots across street. Address OWNER, D, box 175, Times Office.

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$2500—68x175; note the size, price and location of this fine lot, located on W. 30th, between Figueroa and Hoover; fine home site; a real bargain.

$3500—50x122; located on W. 28th near Hoover, surrounded by handsome homes; this is offered away under real value for the purpose of a quick sale.

$3575—52x122; a fine east front lot on Arapahoe, north of Washington; we sold four lots on this street last week, and we know this is the best now for the price.

$4350—46x128; good lot, on high ground, on Catalina st., east front, near 12th; the second lot south of this one is held at $5,000, while they are asking $2100 for another further south.

$4750—48x142; Figueroa st. near 38th, a splendid lot on a fine thoroughfare; the best lot for the money in this desirable location; go and see it.

$2500—60x178, Wilton Place, near 16th; the street of magnificent homes; note the great depth of this desirable lot, and the price.

$4750—40x146, E. 22d near San Pedro; this is a splendid lot, on a good street, with fine surroundings; terms if desired.

$800—45x135, W. 56th near Moneta; this is a very desirable lot, offered at a low price.

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FOR SALE—
75x111, corner on Arlington, near 22nd st. $3500.
50x147, on 20th st. south front, near Arlington ave., $2600.
50x125, corenr on Cimarron, near Flint st. $1300.
50x142, Corner Moneta and St. Paul, $1400, terms $400 cash.
46x123, east front on Harvard near Pico st., $1450, terms.
50x140, Vermont ave. near Florence, price $325, $320 cash, balance $15 month.
40x140, Hoover st. near Florence, price $725, terms $200 cash, balance $15 month.
50x136, West 36th st. near Normandie, price $3060, half cash.
50x187½, north front on Grant st. near Arlington, $1000, half cash.
40x120, Fairmont ave. near Soto, Boyle Heights, $400, $250 cash.
50x140, Flower street near Temple, price $750, $500 cash.
40x133, Michigan ave. near Mott st., price $1250, half cash.
60x127, Kenwood ave. near 29th st., price $2000; $900 cash.
40x135, Vernon ave. near Flower st., price $1701, half cash.
50x126, Jefferson st. near Arlington ave., no restrictions, price $1500; terms $250 cash.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st.

FOR SALE—
PICO STREET.
SNAP.
$4500—
84x136 on the north side of Pico st., near Jasmine, one of the best streets in this city; the adjoining vacant corner, same size, is held at $10,000; and this is the cheapest inside lot on street. Go out and investigate and you will be convinced this is a snap.
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FINE HOME.
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$2500—55x172. This beautiful lot located on W. 23th st., between Figueroa and Hoover, surrounded by magnificent homes, is offered for the purpose of quick sale, exactly $1000 under market value. If you are seking a choice location, see us at once. This won't last.

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FOR SALE—
MONETA AVE.
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near Figueroa, a snap.
$750—40x135, very easy terms, fine building lot.
$1000, 2 lots N. Seneca, opposite fine residence.
$1000, 40x150, a beauty.
$1250—40x141 to alley, around beautiful homes.
$1250—40x141 to alley, will make you a fine home site.
$1400—45x135, a bargain.
$1350—Several lots on 45th and 46th sts. easy terms.
See us at once.
MONETA AND VERION AVES. REALTY CO., N.W. corner Moneta and Vernon ave.
Phones—29667. South 2838. 9

FOR SALE—CHEAP SUBURBAN LOTS
$65 each—3-25-foot lots, near the Short Line, on City Boundary ave.; Improvements go with $1000.
$125—At Abila, lot 17, block "B," Henrique Villa tract.
$129 each—at Howard Summit; 8 lots, $1600; 50 x140 each, one block west of Vermont ave., opposite Athens on the Hills.
$250 each—2 lots, corner Burr and Hollman ave., Pasadena Villa tract.
$265—60x150; N.W. corner Chestnut st. and Grand ave., Hyde Park.
$275—Lot 50x150, in East Santa Monica.
$400—Lot in New Vernon tract, near Santa Fe ave.
$500—Lot in Sunnyside.
$450 each—2 lots, 4 and 5, block "B," Bell tract.
$750—Lot 81, Rose Hill tract, on Pasadena Short Line.
$1000—One acre in East Santa Monica.
W. H. OBEAR, 409 O. T. Johnson Bldg.
V. P. Gilbert, Mgr. Lot Dept. 9

FOR SALE—
FOUR SNAPS.
$400—40x128 to alley, 62nd, ½ block of 2 car lines.
$375—40x135, 54th st., between Main and Moneta.
$1000—40x118, 48th st., between Main and Moneta.
$1075—40x121, Thorpe st., between Main and Moneta.

Take a week off and call upon a few agents on Moneta ave., and do better if you can.
GEO. A. CORTELYOU,
534-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—FINE HIGH LEVEL LOT, FOREST Heights tract, price $700; commission to agent of buyer. Phone BOYLE 136 9

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AN ELEGANT
HOME SITE,
ONLY
—$4000—

We have an option on this magnificent lot, located on the northeast corner of Wilton Place and Dorchester, in the Nevin tract, and we are going to sell it for $4000. Note the size, 74x178; note the surroundings. A mansion worth at least $50,000, is located on the corner directly opposite; another worth at least $25,000 adjoins this lot on the rear; while the two remaining corners are improved with fine artistic homes, none of which are for sale at any price. $6000 cash was refused for the vacant corner in the block east of this. Go out and see it, then decide act quick, you can't make a mistake. If you don't buy it, we will.

CROAKE & McCANN, Sole agents,
229 Douglas Building,
Home phone A1812. Sunset Main 3430. 9

FOR SALE—
$1300. $1300.

East front lot 50x142½, to a 15-foot alley; 3 nice shade trees in front; nice lawn with rose bushes and flowers; a snap and sure money maker for some one.
T. L. O'BRIEN & CO.,
Both Phones. Jefferson and Main. 14

FOR SALE—
BARGAINS IN
SEARCHLIGHT LOTS.
Searchlight, Nevada, real estate is a gilt-edge investment that we can heartily recommend to our old clients and interested investors. Furthermore, we give a free round-trip ticket with each investment. Come in and see photos of the town and get facts to convince you that money can be made by investing before Railroad Day.
J. W. NICKELL & CO.,
521 Byrne Bldg., cor. Third and Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—
IN THE NEW WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
I can sell you a 80x8 high lot, 55 feet frontage, on an eighty foot boulevard, high class improvements, within sewer limits, building restrictions. Handy to car lines, 18 minutes to business center, only $1800, one-fourth cash. You will make no mistake here.
F. A. RUDROW, 302 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

FOR SALE—
150x170, W. 27th; $7500 cash. Monday, or no sale.
Two good buys, Main near Washington, $20,000 and $21,000.
50 feet on Oak, $2100; nothing else for sale there.
Interesting list of warehouse and industrial sites.
High-grade home building lots.
ORR-SESSIONS REALTY CO.,
9 309-10-11 Henne Bldg. Main 6416, A6416.

FOR SALE—
Lot 9, block A, Huntington Park Annex, 50x135; want to sell quick, and will sell cheap; make easy terms, and help you build. A snap for quick sale.
C. M. DuVERNET,
9 A8748. 216 Fay Bldg. Main 5362.

FOR SALE— IT IS A FACT
That to see Glassell Park is to buy your homesite there or to invest for speculation because
YOU CAN MAKE MONEY
On any lot we offer for sale, and they are within the reach of everybody, $600 to $750, easy terms.
BY CALLING ON US
You can verify these statements.
JUSTICE, MOSS & CO.,
9 414-15 Fay Bldg.

FOR SALE—
BEAUTIFUL 8 ROOM HOUSE, ARRANGEMENT PERFECT.
EVERYTHING MODERN.
LARGE LOT, SHED, FRUIT TREES.
$4600, $3600 CASH.
CANNOT BE DUPLICATED AT PRICE.
H. R. COWAN CO., 124 W. 6TH ST.
GROSSE BLDG. GROUND FLOOR, MAIN CORRIDOR. 9

FOR SALE—
HURRY IF YOU WANT THIS BARGAIN. NEW 10 ROOM HOUSE IN SOUTH WEST, HARDWOOD FLOORS, FLAMIS-E OAK FINISH, FURNACE, BARN, SUMMER HOUSE, LOT 50x162.
$4000 CASH.
H. R. COWAN CO., 124 W. 6TH ST.
GROSSE BLDG. GROUND FLOOR, MAIN CORRIDOR.

FOR SALE—LOTS, ONLY $10 CASH AND $10 a month. We have several 1-4 acre lots in the southwest, Vermont near 90th, on very high ground. $300; now is the time to buy and be quick about it; get in on the ground floor and you make the profit instead of paying it.
MAIN REALTY CO.,
310 Severance Bldg., 6th and Main. Main 137, F8193. 9

FOR SALE—CLOSE-IN LOTS.
FOR HOTELS OR APARTMENTS.
65x150, 4th ave., near W. Sixteenth st.; $10,000—40x147 to alley.
$18,000—80x147 to alley, with house.
Leases will net 10 per cent.
9 OWNER, 207 Copp Bldg. Main 6074.

FOR SALE—A FINE LARGE CORNER ON Lake Shore ave., 200 feet north of Temple, opposite the park; 4 car lines, transfer point; property well worth $150 per front foot, but will have that for a cash sale. The property adjoining is about to be improved, which will increase the value of this corner. There is a little less than 100 feet front and $6000 will take it. Half cash, balance at 6 per cent., 2 years. THOS. J. HAMPTON, 205-6 Mason Operahouse, L.A.R.B. 9

FOR SALE—2 SNAPS.
$700 AND $725.
2 nice level lots, between Main and Moneta ave., $100 cash, $10 a month; 6 per cent. interest.
SPECIAL OFFER.
$50 discount on the above if both lots are taken for cash. J. C. OLIVER, 143 S. Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—
TWO LOTS.
SALT LAKE STATION TRACT.
GLESS STREET, NEAR FIRST.
Can sacrifice for quick sale.
WILLIAM KENNEDY,
519 H. W. Hellman Bldg.
9 Phones, A1194, Main 6224.

FOR SALE—
WASHINGTON BOULEVARD.
FINE CORNER, 100x150 FEET.
Can sell away below market if taken quickly.
WILLIAM KENNEDY,
519 H. W. Hellman Bldg.
9 Phones, A1194, Main 6224.

FOR SALE—
1½ acres between Vermont and Western ave., just north of Wilshire district; very desirable as a home site or speculation; would cut into 30 46-foot lots. $4500.
CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
415 Union Trust Bldg.
Main 3060. F4287. 9

FOR SALE—MODERN 8 ROOM COTTAGE, BEST SECTION IN SOUTHWEST, NEAR PICO. NORTH FRONT, LOT 50x135, LAWN, SHED. A BARGAIN AT $3100, $1200 CASH. BALANCE $20 PER MONTH.
H. R. COWAN CO., 124 W. 6TH ST.
GROSSE BLDG. GROUND FLOOR, MAIN CORRIDOR. 9

FOR SALE—
ELEGANT BUILDING SITE.
100X161. $9000.
East front, Westmoreland Blvd., near Washington; only street on S.W. Heights having $2000 building restriction.
HOME BUILDING CO., Owners,
Cor. Sixteenth and Oxford.
Phones B1245. West 32.

FOR SALE—
IF YOU BUILD
AS INDUCEMENT to have under roof within 6 months 1 or 2 houses will make bargain prices on 1 or 2 lots, 70x150 each; N.E. cor. Budlong and Twenty-seventh sts.; opposite homes and grounds; elegant view.
HOME BUILDING CO., Owners,
Cor. Sixteenth and Oxford.
Phones B1245. West 32. 9

FOR SALE—
50x161. East front. $2500. Westmoreland Blvd., between Sixteenth and Washington; S.W.; high ground. Only the price of lots on inferior streets, whereas Westmoreland Blvd. will be the finest.
HOME BUILDING CO., Owners,
Cor. Sixteenth and Oxford.
Phones B1245. West 32. 9

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—

SOME GOOD BUYS.
THESE WILL MAKE YOU
25 PER CENT. ON YOUR INVESTMENT.

$675—63d st., near Main.
$850—46th near Maple.
$775—53d near Moneta.
$850—55th near Moneta.
$800—56th near Figueroa.
$950—61st near Moneta.
$1650—48th (3 lots) near Moneta.
$1200—Crenshaw Blvd., near Washington.
$1400—Santa Barbara near Olive.
$4500—20th near Grand ave.
$7000—17th near Grand ave.

These prices are $100 to $1000 less than other lots on same street. They are all fine lots in best locations. Very easy terms.

C. E. MOORE.
Real Estate Investments.
Both phones. 210 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
THE W. ADAMS TERRACE TRACT.
CLOSING OUT THE FEW REMAINING LOTS IN THIS BEAUTIFUL HIGH-CLASS TRACT; NOT THE CULLS BUT THE CREAM, AT PRICES THAT WILL ASTONISH YOU. TERMS ARE ONE-THIRD CASH, BALANCE 9 AND 18 MONTS. OFFICE AT END OF THE W. ADAMS-ST. CAR LINE. CONVEYANCE TO SHOW PROPERTY EVERY DAY INCLUDING SUNDAY.
PHONE B1699. EVA M. NOURSE.

FOR SALE—
BARGAINS IN LOTS.
$650—On Court st., near Lake Shore Blvd., 60x322 feet.
$18,000—On Figueroa st., between Third and Fourth sts., 90x165 feet; $6000 will handle this, balance 1 2 years at 6 per cent.
$1050—Illinois, near Edgeware, 50x155 feet.
$1000—Court, near Douglas, 45x140 feet.
$1175—Lot on Moneta ave., with terms; $50x135 to an alley.
$2400—S.W. cor. of Dalton and Twenty-seventh st., 45x150 to alley; with terms.
J. W. NICKELL & CO.,
521 Byrne Bldg., Third and Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—NOTICE TO DAIRYMEN.
Have ten acres adjoining the city, on the southeast, with 6-room house, good barn, 1800 pumping plant, abundance of water, alfalfa, fruit trees, etc., that on account of the nearness to the city will make an ideal dairy ranch.
It is located in a section in which the property is bound to rapidly increase in value. This is the cheapest close-in acreage on the market today. See
I. N. INSKEEP, Sole Agent.
Home A9160. 429 Laughlin Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
Corner lot on Figueroa, 50x150, near Sixtieth. Price $700. Terms to suit. Emil Furth tract.
Also lot 50x140, Figueroa Blvd. Tract, on McKinley st.; $750. Easy terms.
Also lot 46x150, Figueroa Blvd. Tract, on Figueroa, near Van Buren st.; $850.
These are bargains and far below market value.
CHARLES L. SAVAGE.
Phone Broadway 5016. 621 Grosse Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
SANTA BARBARA AVENUE
AND
WESTERN AVENUE TRACT.
New tract in the new southwest section, just opened; get in on the first prices, as they are sure to advance rapidly.
OPENING PRICES $625 UP.
Rest of street improvements now going in. For particulars see
9 A9349. H. J. SCHAFER, 409 Fay Bldg.

FOR SALE—
SEMI-BUSINESS PROPERTY.
Near the new $1,000,000 Catholic Cathedral, an elegant 9-room house, suitable for two families, fronts east on Valencia st. between 9th and 10th; for a few days I can deliver this property for $4000; nothing else in the block to equal this in price or appearance; about ⅓ cash will handle.
W. C. NORMAN.
Home A1238. 519 Fay Bldg.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE SNAPS!
FOR THOSE CONTEMPLATING BUILDING.
Hoover st., south of 3d, east front.
50x160 to 20 ft. alley—$1500.
Commonwealth, south of 3d, 50x160 to 20 ft. alley—$1500.
Juanita near Commonwealth and First.
High, two fronts, unobstructed view.
Old Baldy to ocean.
55x185—$3500.
All easy terms. 3 car lines.
STRONG & DICKINSON, N.W. cor. 2d and Broadway. 9ft

FOR SALE—LOTS
A SNAP.
$775 each—Three lots on 30th st. near Arlington; $15 down, $10 per month. Take Central-ave. car to Hellman Bldg. Take Central-ave. car to Hellman Bldg. No. 4, and walk one block to the left. Or call at office and we will take you out in our automobile. Don't delay, as this is a snap.
W. O. JUSIK,
CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
415 Union Trust (Braly) Bldg.
Main 3060. F4287. 9

FOR SALE—
Fifth ave. near Pico, $1500.
80x140, Eighth ave. near Adams, $1650.
50x170, Arlington near Washington, $2000.
40x120, Vernon near Figueroa, $1000.
50x135, 43rd st. near Figueroa, $1100.
45x135, 50th st. near Figueroa, $1000.
40x135 41st st., 3-room house, $1100.
CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
415 Union Trust Bldg.
Main 3060. F4287. 9

FOR SALE—
DORCHESTER STREET, $1875.
A beautiful high north-front lot on Dorchester st.; all surrounding lots are held at $2000 and up.
"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
229 S. Hill st. Main 3007, Home Ex. 767. 9

FOR SALE—
BARGAINS.
W offer the following bargains in the Clawson Villa Tract—Two lots, 45x130, on 48th and 49th sts., east of Vermont ave., at $700, and two at $725, half cash. If you are looking for bargains, there you are.
"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
229 S. Hill st. Main 3007, Home Ex. 767. 9

FOR SALE—
ARLINGTON HEIGHTS.
Fifth ave. near Pico, for quick sale, price $1250.
"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
229 S. Hill st. Main 3007, Home Ex. 767. 9

FOR SALE—EUCLID PLACE.
This beautiful tract, situated on the corner of Fourth and Euclid ave., is absolutely the finest in Boyle Heights. The best car service in the city, and only 12 minutes to center of city by 3 car lines; large 50-foot lots.
PRICES $1000 AND UP.
W. H. OBEAR, 409 O. T. Johnson Bldg.
P. B. Cross, Mgr. Boyle Heights Property. 9

FOR SALE—
$500—$50 cash, $10 monthly, lot on Compton ave., near 40th; other lots $650 and $750.
$850—Elegant lot near Sunset blvd. and Center st., Hollywood.
$1000—Elegant residence lot on famous Sunset blvd.
$1250—Large corner on Sunset blvd., Hollywood.
T. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE— SNAP. $1850.
Oxford ave., near W. Sixteenth st., near Harvard Military School.
HOME BUILDING CO., Owners,
Cor. Sixteenth and Oxford.
Phones B1245. West 32. 9

FOR SALE—THE SNAP OF SNAPS IN this city; 8-room modern residence, just completed, on corner lot 50x150, one block to car, only $2800, $1300 cash, balance 3 years. This week only. The lumber alone worth the price asked. Owner going East next week.
ARTHUR B. MUNN, 202 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—$1950; MOST BEAUTIFUL LOT on Boyle Heights, on St. Louis st., half block south of Hollenbeck Park, magnificent view. Address E, box 129, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
BURDICK R. ELLS & CO.,
Main 8888. 325-26 Douglas Bldg. Home 4438.
IN BEAUTIFUL HIGHLAND PARK, on Ave. 57, one block from the Pasadena car line, I have a whole acre at less than the price of a city lot. Its high and is surrounded by beautiful residences, an ideal building spot, lies growing on it three beautiful oak trees. Price for a short time only $2250. I will pay you to look this up and will only take a few minutes of your time. See owner, BURDICK R. ELLS, 325-26 Douglas Bldg. Main 8888. Home 4438. 9

FOR SALE—BY J. W. RICE.
WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
$2500—East front on Berendo near West 7th and Wilshire Blvd.
60x150 to alley.

Cheapest lot in this section.

417 HENNE BLDG. 122 W. 3d st. 9

FOR SALE—
I have two lots in Boyle Heights. One on Bonsay ave., which I bought 1 year ago. One was $600, on which I have paid $126, balance due $10 per month. The other, $450, on which I have paid $126, balance due $10 per month. Will take first half of what I have paid. Sickness forces me. See my agent.
HARRIS & JONES,
Broadway 5125. 133 S. Broadway. 10

FOR SALE—TEN LOTS, AT $325 TO $500 per lot, or more, small cash payment, easy terms on balance. Large eighty lots, beautiful location; southwest. Building restrictions insure the finest residence section. All improvements in and pure artesian water piped in front of every lot. For investment or residence the cream of Los Angeles. Will double value within 12 months. J. A. FARNSWORTH, room 314, Frost Bldg., N.W. cor. 2d and Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—
Between Slauson and Florence, near Vermont. The cheapest lots in the southwest; well improved. 50x142
—$450—
$50 DOWN, $10 A MONTH.
GLOSSER, with ROBERT MITCHELL CO., 5th floor Collins Bldg. 312 West Third st. 9

FOR SALE—$3100, OWNER GOING TO SAN Francisco January 1st. Must sell fine corner lot, Vernon ave., near South Park ave. 80x127, with bungalow and furniture, all for $3100. The location is the incentive to buy because it is worth more than price asked.
$2700—Swell residence lot, 50x150, S.W. corner Olive and West 8th st. Zobelin Tract. Owner will sacrifice for $2600. Call quickly. H. QUINN, with U. L. Dike Inv. Co., 630 S. Spring st. 9

FOR SALE—
VERMONT AVE. CORNER.
Must sell my fine Vermont ave. corner, 120x120 feet, on two car lines; price only $1150. Includes finest street work, cement curbs, walks, water, etc.; telephone and electric lights available, will cut into three fine lots; call on Vermont, worth $2000 or more; small cash payment, balance $15 monthly. Owner NORTH, 22d or 41st Lake st. 9

FOR SALE—
FINE CORNER ON MAIN ST., NEW BUSINESS CENTER. MUST SELL EQUITY, $780. BALANCE EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS.
PHONE AFTER 10 A.M. MAYER, HOME 139631. 9

FOR SALE—
$3900. $3900.
Best bargain on Alvarado Terrace. Magnificent high lot at $3900.
The only lot under $4000.
Only $200 cash down.
$625. $625.
Grd and Moneta ave.
ACME REALTY CO.,
427-8 Grosse Bldg., 6th and Spring. 9

FOR SALE—
$1800—Corner on Figueroa, north of 56th; 50x150; best bargain on the street.
$2000 each—3 lots on South Park ave., near Jefferson, 45x120, $500 cash, balance monthly.
$10,000—Corner on Pico, near Vermont ave., 50x140 to alley; 5-room cottage on back of lot.
$15,000—50x116, Ruth ave., near Sixth; apartment house; rents for $100 month; easy terms.
I HAD 3 SHOUTERS, 311 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—GENUINE BARGAIN ON W. ADAMS ST., 70x150; EAST OF BUDLONG AVE., ADJOINING $14,000 RESIDENCE; PRICE ONLY $50 PER FOOT. OTHER LOTS SAME VICINITY ARE HELD AT $75 AND $100 PER FOOT. THIS LOT IS MORTGAGED FOR $2000, SO ONLY $1000 CASH WILL BUY THIS FINE LOT ON BEAUTIFUL WEST ADAMS ST. LOCKHART & SON, SOLE AGENTS, 309 W. FIRST ST. 9

FOR SALE—
$1600—
handles the finest, sightliest and in every way most desirable close-in flat or apartment site in city. Price is $7600. $2000 cash, balance on 200 feet from car, 10 minutes' walk. Paved street, sewer, storm drain. Come early Monday. Remember, only $1600 cash, balance to suit.
ARTHUR W. K

Real Estate Liners

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS.

FOR SALE—BY
JAS. V. BALDWIN,
324-328 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

On Wilshire Boulevard and on the West 6th street car line. This is the coming residence section of Los Angeles; some fine buys either to build or as an investment.

Sixth front on Wilshire near Wilton Place; $250.

Sixth front on Wilshire near Wilton Place; $250; only $250.

Corner of Oxford and Fifth street; 62x150; $$.

Corner of Wilshire and Cahuenga; 75x150, only $$$.

Corner West Fifth and Cahuenga; 62x150; $$.

Lot front on St. Andrews Place, third lot north of Wilshire; 75x130; $375. No other east lot in this block under $4000.

Corner; southwest corner West Sixth and Gramercy Place; 77x160; look at this big corner at $500.

Lot front on Gramercy Place, fourth lot south of Wilshire boulevard, $3000.

Northeast corner of Gramercy Place and Wilshire boulevard; 75x150; at $4000.

Some of the above lots are good buys, and we will give good terms on same.

JAS. V. BALDWIN,
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Transfers to all points.
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Large, splendidly improved lots in this, the proved growing section of the city.

Wide streets, cement walks and curbs, plenty of water. Residences now building.

LARGE LOTS,
EASY TERMS.

Compare our prices with those asked for adjoining property. Then you'll realize how moderate they are.

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SECTION. EIGHTY ACRES OF GENTLY-SLOPING TABLELAND, LYING SOUTH OF WILSHIRE AND EXTENDING FROM NORMANDIE TO HARVARD. INVESTIGATE THE WONDERFUL IMPROVEMENTS BEING MADE. LOOK INTO THE INVESTMENT FEATURE. IF YOU WISH YOU HAD BOUGHT WESTLAKE LOTS FOUR YEARS BACK, REMEMBER THAT AS GOOD OR BETTER OPPORTUNITIES ARE PRESENTED TO YOU NOW. ONE CAR LINE ALMOST READY FOR OPERATION AND ANOTHER OF VITAL IMPORTANCE TO THE WHOLE CITY AND COUNTY TO RUN DIRECTLY THROUGH THE CENTER OF WILSHIRE HARVARD HEIGHTS. FOUR BLOCKS EAST OF US NOW HELD AT DOUBLE OUR PRICES. WE HAVE SOME ELEGANT ELEVATED LOTS AT FROM $1200 UP. CHOICE LOTS AS LOW AS $1100. EASY TERMS, 1-4 DOWN, BALANCE ON TIME. PHONE FOR APPOINTMENT FOR AUTO. AGENT ON TRACT.

E. A. FORRESTER & SONS, INC.,
342-3-4 DOUGLAS BLDG.
PHONE 2246.

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TO THOSE CONTEMPLATING BUILDING WE OFFER

MOST UNUSUAL INDUCEMENTS.

FOR THE FIRST SIX RESIDENTS AT

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The sightly subdivision on Hoover st. Commonwealth ave. and Virgil ave. near Fourth street.

You can save from $500 to $1000.

By quickly investigating our proposition for a home.

in a high class residence district among OLD PALMS, PEPPER AND OTHER TREES,

MAGNIFICENT VIEWS,
BEST STREET IMPROVEMENTS.
Within gas and sewer limits.

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Make an early choice of these beautiful building sites which are offered at

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Main 1273. Home Ex. 908.

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125 LOTS.

1-4 ACRE EACH.

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300 FEET WIDE.

OTHER STREETS 60 FEET.

PRICES $350—$1000.

ONE-QUARTER CASH.

15 MINUTES FROM 4TH AND MAIN.

GO HOME TO LUNCH.

SWELL NEIGHBORHOOD.

BUILDING RESTRICTIONS $1000, $2500.

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HOME PHONE F5224.

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Both phones.

FOR SALE—
YOU SHOULD NOT FAIL TO SEE
COUNTRY CLUB PARK,
CORNER OF WESTERN AVE. AND PICO STREET.
HIGH CLASS RESIDENCE LOTS
AT
EXTREMELY LOW PRICES
FOR THIS MUCH FAVORED SECTION IN THE CENTER OF LOS ANGELES'S GREATEST RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT.
LARGE LOTS. HIGHLY IMPROVED STS. NO LOTS LESS THAN 60 FEET FRONTAGE
MAGNIFICENT VIEW OF MOUNTAINS AND VALLEY.
MANY BEAUTIFUL HOMES SURROUND THIS PROPERTY.
SUBDIVISION NO. 1,
LOCATED ALONG WESTERN AVE. BETWEEN SAN MARINO AND 8TH STS. 60 AND 75 FEET FRONTAGE. $1150 TO $2000.
BUILDING RESTRICTIONS $3000.
JUST THE THING FOR BUNGALOWS. NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO GET IN AT THESE LOW PRICES.
SUBDIVISION NO. 2,
PICO STREET FRONTAGE.
THIS IS SOMETHING ELEGANT. NO BETTER PROPERTY CAN BE FOUND IN LOS ANGELES FOR THE BEST CLASS OF HOMES.
LOTS 70x178, FRONTING ON
80-FOOT BOULEVARDS IMPROVED WITH 8-FOOT CEMENT WALKS; 40-FOOT PARKWAYS, WIDE GUTTERS AND DECOMPOSED GRANITE ROADWAYS.
LOTS $3000 AND UP; BUILDING RESTRICTIONS $6000.
NOT LESS THAN 2 STORIES.
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FOR SALE—

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
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CHEAPEST CORNER NEAR WESTLAKE PARK.

$14,000——132x165——$14,000.

CORER ON ALVARADO ST. THIS FIGURES $110 A FRONT FOOT; SUITABLE TO SUBDIVIDE FOR RESIDENCES, OR, SINCE IT IS UNRESTRICTED, IT IS SPECIALLY FIT FOR APARTMENT HOTEL OR FLATS, AND ITS ELEVATION, OUTLOOK AND THE DESIRABILITY OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD RANK IT HIGHER THAN ANY OTHER CORNER IN THE WESTLAKE DISTRICT. INVESTORS LOOKING FOR A REAL BARGAIN SHOULD INVESTIGATE THIS.

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
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WALNUT LAWN.

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See the palatial homes and artistic bungalows; improvements unique and picturesque, and in keeping with the general character of this beautiful park.

ONLY $10 PER MONTH.

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FREE EXCURSION DAILY.
12 MINUTES RIDE.

Take Long Beach, Santa Ana or San Pedro cars, getting off at Florence ave., thence 500 feet east to office on tract, or call at office of Phones W. P. WHITSETT.
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F2962. Sixth and Main.

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City Lots and Land

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TO INVESTORS AND HOMESEEKERS.
FLINT CAN LOCATE YOU TO YOUR BEST ADVANTAGE.

WEST ADAMS—
$2000—50x135, south front, nr. Vermont.
$2000—50x135, south front, nr. La Salle.
ALVARADO—
$12,500—100x160, CHOICE CORNER.
$3000—82x150, high ground, sightly CORNER.
$4500—50x155, cheapest buy on Alvarado.
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ARAPAHOE—
$2300—50x150; SNAP, nr. 8th st.
ARNOLD—
$11,000—104x150, APARTMENT SITE nr. LUCAS; cottage thrown in.
BENTON BLVD.
$3500—75x124; CORNER; CHOICE.
BIXEL STREET—
$7000—100x100; cheapest CORNER on the hill.
BOND—
$3500—50x120, SNAP, near Pico.
BONNIE BRAE—
$2000—50x112, near Pico.
$10,500—105x150, N.W. corner 11th st.
$2000—50x115, CORNER, near Pico.
$700—50x150, near 6th, easy terms.
BOYLSTON ON THE HILL—
$7500—60x100; another N.W. corner.
CIMARRON—
$4500—100x150, fine CORNER, 22nd st.
COMMONWEALTH—
$2500—50x170; east front, nr. 5th st.
CORONADO—
$3000—50x120; residence corner.
$7500—70x120; hotel site, nr. Seventh st.
ELLENDALE—
$1400—50x130, near 22nd st.
ELEVENTH—
$1000—60x122, near Beacon st.
GRAMMERCY—
$4000—74x172, near 16th st.
GRAND VIEW—
$4000—48x150, east front, nr. 9th.
$4200—55x145, CORNER, nr. 10th.
$16,000—100x128, CORNER, 20th st.
HARVARD BLVD.
$2000—60x141, CORNER, nr. 16th.
HOBART BLVD—
$4000—100x116, CORNER 16th st.
$7000—207x207, SWELL residence lot.
$1800—50x116, near Washington.
LAKE ST.—
$2500—60x110, CORNER Ocean View.
$2000—50x179, near W. Sixth st.
LEOTI—
$3500—76x118, CORNER, 25th st.
MANHATTAN—
$1900—47x135, near Washington st.
$1500—50x178, nr. Washington st. east fr.
NORMANDIE—
$2500—60x125, east front, near Washington.
OCEAN VIEW—
$2500—59x185, near Lake st.
$2200—50x130, CORNER, near Westlake.
ST. ANDREWS—
$2500—74x178, fine lot, near 16th.
WEST 6TH—
$4500—50x168, near Witmer.
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Some of the most beautiful homes in Los Angeles now in course of construction.
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50x125—$2000, W. 20th near Hermosa.
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60x140—$2800, W. 24th, near Hermosa.
75x165—$2000, W. 23rd, near Arlington.
74x178—$4000, Corner on Dorchester, Nevin T.
118x178—$5000, Cor. on Gramercy, S. of 16th st.

WEST ARLINGTON HEIGHTS.
50x150—$1250, Seventh ave., near Washington.
50x150—$1400, E. front, 6th ave., near Wash.
60x140—$1600, E. front, 4th ave., near Wash.
60x140—$1725, Cor. on 5th ave., near Wash.
58x140—$2200, E. front, 4th ave., near Wash.
100x140—$3000, S.W. cor. 4th ave. near Wash.

BUNGALOW LOTS, S. W.
40x140—$650, W. 27th st., near 4th ave.
40x140—$550, W. 27th, near 5th ave., 40x140.
40x140—$575, Mt. Claire, near 6th ave.
40x140—$600, Mt. Claire, facing 4th ave.
50x150—$900, Fifth ave., near Mt. Claire.

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$650—TWO LOTS, 40x240, 200 FEET FROM PASADENA CAR LINE. Can you beat it?

LOT 87x240; ALL IMPROVEMENTS IN; 25 MINUTES FROM FOURTH AND Broadway. Price $800 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months.

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MONETA AVE.—MONETA AVE.
$2200. Corner 52d and Moneta.
$3100. Corner 48th and Moneta.
$1600. 45 ft. next to corner 55th and Moneta.
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$775. On 53d near Moneta.
$800. On 57th near Figueroa.
$650. On 56th near Figueroa.
$650. On 54th near Figueroa.
$950. On 61st near Moneta.
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$1500. $500 cash, balance $15 per month; 6-room house on lot 45x130; nice lawn; near 53d and Central ave.
$1150. $500 cash, 4-room bungalow, near 53d and Figueroa.
$2500. $500 cash, 5 rooms, modern, near 53d and Moneta.
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AN EXCEPTIONALL GOOD BUY.

$3500.

For a few days only at this figure. A close-in east front lot, 50x120. This lot is unrestricted, and is ideal for apartments or flats, and has excellent car service on either Hill or Pico, 1½ block south of Pico and just west of Figueroa. It is the best buy in the entire district, and will make a handsome profit in a short time for the investor. Terms $1000 cash, balance at 6 per cent.

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$5—MONEY MAKERS—$5

$700—Halldale ave., near 47th, a 50-foot lot at a 40-foot price.
$1000—Crenshaw Blvd. near Washington; this is worth $200 more.
$1200—Vermont ave. Square, fine corner lot, near Vermont ave.
$1600—Western ave. near 30th st., east front, fine location.

WE HAVE OTHERS.
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A snap on the high ground near Washington; east of Arlington; 50-foot front, owner needs money.
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THESE ARE CHEAP.

Corner on Moneta, $2000.
50x267 on Figueroa, $700.
Lot on Arlington, $1800.
Corner on Cambridge, $2000.
Lot on West Pico, $4500.
Lot at Sunnyside, $250.
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Lot 99x150, right on W. Adams st.
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Must have money at once and am forced to sell these lots away below value, buy of owner and save agents' commissions, every one of these lots is a big bargain.
CORNER LOT—Third ave. and Grant st., in the swell western district, 40x125, high restrictions, surrounded by beautiful homes, 1 block from 16th st. cars; $1250, worth $1800, $750 down, balance mortgage.
61ST ST.—Lot on car line, third lot from Moneta ave. corner, 40x125 to alley; $710, $10 down, balance $15.50 per month.
ONLY—$400—Boyle Heights, east front lot on Lorena st., beautiful view, near 3 car lines, 12 minutes to business center, 40x125 to alley, $200 down, balance $10 per month, lot directly opposite selling for $825.
BEAUTIFUL new 5-room cottage on south side, near graded school, half block from 2 car lines, oak floors, exceptionally beautiful finish, fine lawn, flowers, palms, ferns, $4250, $1000 down.
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Home A3210. 9

FOR SALE—
$400—For lot 40x125, on Euclid ave., it's a little snap, ½ cash.
$550—Lots 40x125 in Western ave. district with first-class street improvements, buy these for investment; they are as cheap as acreage in this vicinity, terms.

$1200—For 100x340 in our Scenic tract, valley view, across overlooking Glendale, a beautiful home site.

$1250—For 50x150, 7th ave., near Washington, adjoining corner, $1500, 1-3 cash.

$1700—50x125 to alley on Vermont, just north of Vernon; this is a business center; note the frontage; this is $500 under real value, only 1-3 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.
$1300—For 50x150 on W. Adams near Normandie, adjoining lot same price.

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$450 and up; easy terms if desired. That's the price of lots now in Bowen's close in
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On the Long Beach line, inside city limits, (5-cent fare) just north of Slauson ave. Cheapest good lots on the market today. High class improvements, the best that money can buy, now going in. WORK UNDER WAY. Graded, oiled streets, cement curbs and walks.
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piped to all lots. All lots to an alley. Mission gateways; no small lots; values are rapidly rising in this section and a certain profit awaits you here. GO OUT AND SEE these fine lots today—Agents on tract every day including Sunday. Take Slauson Junction car south on Main st., pay 5 cent fare and get off at Slauson Junction. You'll see our signs.
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You will positively double your money; it costs nothing to see and investigate this. The most liberal proposition ever offered to procure a home in this beautiful park among the stately walnut trees, where surroundings are picturesque, refined and beautiful.

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I can deliver 25 feet on E. Fourth st., close in, partly improved, for $450 per foot.
$6000—corner on W. Pico, 51x138, partly improved; will exchange for closer in to $15,000.
$18,000—Improved corner on Central, stores and flat, near Adams.
$25,000—100x118, at Union Square, ripe for stores; will surely double in value.
$6500—100x130, near 24th and Vermont, no restrictions, and is coming right along.
$9000—Vacant business corner on Central, near Vernon, 91x145; will exchange for income property to $15,000.
$20,000—Grand ave. near Pico; double frontage, improved; a good bargain.
$16,000—Corner on Maple, 83x150 to alley, near Pico.
$25,000—Large corner on Central near Washington, partly improved, 100x140; ripe for further improvements.
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Home A3462, Main 2712 9

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FOR FLATS OR APARTMENTS.

GRATTAN ST., CORNERS ON ALLEY.

$7750—East front, lot 50x125, on Grattan, between 10th and 11th. Inside lots in this block cannot be had for less than $4000.

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If you fail to see this lot near Vermont ave. Fine improvements, completed. Everything the best. Two electric lines now and a third nearly ready to start. It will prove a money-maker for the purchaser, as it is 50x169 to big alley and in a most popular section. Terms. Only $375 if taken soon.
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$50 DOWN, $10 A MONTH.
Near Vermont avenue; 2 car lines direct; rapid and frequent service; beautiful location; all street work finished.
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FOR SALE—
Large corner lot on Figueroa st., only $2100; close in.
For sale—2 large lots, 80x227; price $500, $100 cash, balance $10 per month; right near Moneta ave.
Fine corner on Figueroa st., 83x150; east front; $600, $50 cash, $10 per month.
We have several good corners on Moneta ave. for sale cheap.
ALLEN & SCOVILL REALTY CO.,
207 Mercantile Place.
Main 2732. F2042. 9

FOR SALE—
FLORENCE AVENUE ACRE.
WHOLE ACRE $650.
I have a choice acre in the southwest on Florence ave. where the climate is ideal for a villa home or for poultry. Plenty water in large mains. Fine soil for garden and flowers. Two car lines. Terms to please you, but you must apply soon.
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FOR SALE—
$650, 46 feet, Compton, near 40th st.
$650, 46 feet, 58th near Figueroa.
$10,000, 110x150, S. E. cor. Boylston and Mignonette.
$6000, 61x150, N.E. cor. Boylston and Mignonette.
$12,000, 40 feet, Figueroa near 6th st.
$10,000, S.W. cor. W. 21st and Estrella.
$900, Center st. near Sunset, 50x150.
$1000, Sunset near Center, 50x150.
$2500, Cor. Roosevelt, Washington, 60x154 alley.
$1500, 40 feet, Lenox near Washington.
$75, 30-ft. lot on Redondo electric line.
$375, Beautiful lots on Hidalgo ave., Alhambra; very fine.
$1200, 20x150, Mignonette st., close in; very central; fine.
T. WIESENDANGER, real estate and loans, Merchants' Trust Bldg., 207 S. Broadway, suite 312, Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—

BUILDERS, TAKE NOTICE.

I have a group of ten lots on 39th and 40th sts., near Figueroa, including one corner. Lots are 40 and 45 by 132. Street work done, $1500 yesterday's sale.
Worth $900 to $1100 each; $4500 takes the whole ten; one-half cash.

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FOR SALE—
BE A LANDHOLDER.
Put that $10 you can save this month into a ¼-acre lot in Corinth Heights. It may be the means of your future success. It's the first $500 that counts SOME. It will cost you nothing to see a lot. Free tickets at our office. Take a 20-minute ride Sunday. The Tract Manager will show you some beautifully located lots. Gardena-Redondo car line goes direct to Corinth Heights. There is a great future in it.
WINTON & McLEOD COMPANY,
Both Phones. 330 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—

Elegant residence sites.

60x150 to 150x150.

We are selling this kind of property right along.

It is worth your time to see us. We take pains to sell you what you want.

C. P. DETOE. 202 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—
WESTLAKE SNAPS.
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$2075—58-foot frontage on Seventh, east of Wilshire Place.
$2900—50 feet, east front, Vermont, very close to Seventh.
$2700—60 feet, south frontage, on Eighth, near Westmoreland.
$3275—60x135, highest elevation on Seventh, opposite Wilshire Place.

ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
119 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A2242, Main 2233. 9

FOR SALE—CHOICE RESIDENCE LOTS.
WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
W. Seventh st., near Vermont, 71x107, south front. Price $3000.
W. Eighth st., near Westmoreland, 50x138; north front, $2250.
W Eighth st., near Vermont, 50x135, north front, $2500.
West Eighth st., near Vermont, 50x135, south front, $2500.
Corner Gramercy and 16th st., 76x178, can't beat it, $5500.
PARKER REALTY (Sole Agents,)
401 Fay Bldg., corner Third and Hill.
Phones Main 8661. Home A6838. 9

FOR SALE—

AT ONCE: GREATEST BARGAIN ON ALL FIGUEROA, 100x250, northwest corner Figueroa and Marshall.
Price for IMMEDIATE SALE, $4250; about half cash. No other corner on either side Figueroa under $50 a foot, even ½ of a mile south of this. OWNER, 601 Citizens' Bank Bldg. Home 1565. 9

FOR SALE—
VALUES ARE ON THE MOVE
IN ATHEN HEIGHTS.
If you don't buy soon, you'll pay more money. You can make the profits yourself by buying now.
$375
Secures you a fine lot 50x169 on high, level ground with a grand view of mountains and ocean. High-class improvements; delightful situation and terms easy. There is a big profit in these lots right now.
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FOR SALE—
We are part owners and owners' agents for several large tracts just west of city limits, between Pico and Washington sts.; prices of lots are from $1150 and up; terms one-fourth cash. This is the best property in Los Angeles county as it lies directly in the southwest. See CRIBB & SINCLAIR, 306 Wilcox Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
COTTAGE TERRACE TRACT.
We want you to see our Cottage Terrace tract. East side of San Fernando road, at the north city limits, on the new Eagle Rock line. Streets graded and oiled, cement curbs and sidewalks, beautiful view of the valley and mountains. Let us take you out before all the good lots are gone. Easy terms, $25 down, $10 per month.
See W. D. THURSTON, Tract Manager for
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Telephones—Main 1279, Exchange 908.

FOR SALE—MR. BUILDER OR MR. SPECULATOR! We can offer you a block of ten lots, 300 feet from Grand ave. car line, and about two blocks from Figueroa and 48th, on which you can easily make $2500 to $3500 in sixty days. We know what is doing in this section. Come in and let us tell you.

$1100—$150 under value, 50x168 on Baxter (47th) st., near Figueroa.

$1150—CornerCorner, 40x150, with four large walnut trees, on Grand ave. car line.
YOUNG & ADAMS, 354 S. Hill. 9

FOR SALE—FINE CORNER LOT, 87x140 FT., S.W. cor. Holmes ave., 100 ft. wide. Street work all done and 20th st. 60 ft. wide and work all done, $1250, only $250 cash, balance $10 per month. This lot is in beautiful Florencita Park, 5c car fare. This will be the fastest-growing section of the city soon. Long Beach is going to consolidate with Los Angeles soon, then look out for property along Long Beach electric line. We have a few good lots for sale in Florencita Park on easy terms.
ANGELUS REALTY CO.,
218 Delta Bldg., 438 S. Spring. F7810 9

FOR SALE—
MAKE THE EASY MONEY.
It is easy to select your lot where values are steadily rising. The Figueroa section always was and always will be popular and valuable. I will sell you a lot there in the new city limits, with a 50-foot frontage and all improvements, for $500. Terms, $50 down and $10 a month.
EMIL FIRTH,
319 W. FOURTH ST. (Ground Floor.)
Between Broadway and Hill st.
HOME A8105. MAIN 2543.

FOR SALE—
$10,000—2 lots, corner Figueroa and West Adams. Best buy on street.
$1650—New residence, 4-rooms and bath, $300 cash, balance $15 per month, interest included.
$2500—San Pedro lot, snap, also fine acreage from $100 to $500 per acre.
THOMSON REALTY,
Phone A2023. 302 Collins Bldg.,
Main 6426. 313 W. Third. 9

FOR SALE—

$450 to $600.
Full size lots,
50x149.
On Heights, Southwest.
Overlooking
Adjacent country.
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80 FT. ON VERMONT AVE.

ALL IN ONE PIECE.

Cornering on one street, and facing another. There is nothing that appeals to us so strongly as that elegant block of property of 80 feet width lots and running back 175 ft. in depth that is CLOSE UP TO THE SANTA MONICA RAILWAY and the PRESENT BUSINESS CENTER OF VERMONT AVE., the converging point of all the University car lines. And we offer here the cream piece, and the only such piece of property on Vermont,

A 200-FOOT CORNER, $10,000. ONLY $50 PER FOOT.

We feel it necessary to call to your mind the distinguishing points of this property. For any length of time past property has been incessantly advertised around 43d, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th and beyond along VERMONT AVENUE, sales being recorded as high as $8750 for what is 40th, and any number of corners often less in size than 48 ft., selling for all the way from $2000 up, every one of these sales being around $50 per ft. to $75 per ft.

To tell you plainly that the streets so named are one and all BELOW VERNON AVE., 1 FULL MILE to a mile and a quarter south of the SANTA MONICA-VERMONT AVE. BUSINESS CENTER, and then to tell you that this 200 ft. corner we offer for $50 per foot is right up within two blocks of where the business is done today, where the brick buildings are, that dominate and will always hold the main part of the business transacted at least for some years on Vermont.

Also to tell you that residence property on the real or "upper" 49th st., itself a 110-ft. parked boulevard, brings $7000 a lot (40 a foot for residence property only,) and a veritable forest of houses springing up around it.

If any of you have been attracted to those "way-down" properties, where it is "all in the future" IS IT SIMPLY BECAUSE YOU HAVE NOT KNOWN? or is it because "OH, I WISH I HAD ONLY KNOWN?"

WE ARE OFFERING THIS WEEK 200-FT. CORNER ON VERMONT AVE, ONLY—$10,000—ONLY

EARL ALDERSON & CO., Sole Agents. P7309. Broadway 4356. 416 W. Seventh st.

FOR SALE—
$5000—Kinney Heights, do you know a bargain when you see it? For a few days only, we can sell you this beautiful 8-room house one block from car line; lot 50x155, with nice auto barn.

$5400—Southwest. I can show you one of the best 8-room new houses in this city for the price; lot 50x135; this house is complete from the furnace to the mantel; must be seen to consider this long, but come at once; easy terms.

$2900—6 rooms, strictly modern, fine lot, well improved, 50x137; fine street near school, and business center. Can arrange terms; it will pay you well to see this at once.

$2500—Just completed, 2 very nice bungalows, Moneta ave. way, $500 cash, balance $25 per month, cement steps, hardwood floors, fine mantel, water heater, laundry tubs. For a bargain and fine home see us at once.

GEO. A. CORTELYOU, 534-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—

BY GEO. J. COTE.

3 SNAPS ON HIGH GROUND.

$825 EAST FRONT NEAR ADAMS ST. ON A WIDE BOULEVARD. VERY EASY TERMS. BEST LOCATION FOR A BUNGALOW HOME IN THE S.W. 50x140.

$1550. TWENTIETH ST., JUST EAST OF ARLINGTON (NOT A KEY.) GAS, ELECTRICITY, ETC. IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A LOCATION FOR A HOME, INVESTIGATE. LOT 50x126.

$2950. ELEGANT CORNER ON 22D ST., 50x150. EASY TERMS. CHEAPEST CORNER IN KINNEY HEIGHTS.

GEO. J. COTE, 412 HEILMAN BLDG. PHONES, HOME A3301, MAIN 8084.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN! LOT 60 SOUTH FRONT on Fifty-sixth, near Figueroa st.; will sell cheap if taken at once, as parties wish to turn over property before leaving town. See

KING & WALLACE, 215 Cit. Nat. Bank Bldg., Third and Main sts.

FOR SALE—

BUILDERS, ATTENTION.

A good, place to build moderate-priced cottages, bungalows and 2-story houses, from $1500 to $2500, is the McCarthy Company's new Florence Heights tract. Come see the property yourself.

FOR SALE—

JUST TO SHOW THAT THERE IS NO HILL FEELING—come along—jump on one or our free cars and see

THE M'CARTHY COMPANY'S FLORENCE HEIGHTS TRACT.

FOR SALE—

GARVANZA.

A few of the choicest lots in this city; location the most beautiful, 80 cents cash, $10 per month does it; act quickly. GOLDEN RULE REAL ESTATE CO., phones A7645, Broadway 5078.

FOR SALE—
$900—5 cash, will buy ¼-acre lot on a 200-foot boulevard, with electric line in the world. Close enough in to go home to lunch. Want anything better?

GRANADA REALTY CO., 618 Union Trust Bldg.

Home Phone F8324.

FOR SALE—DO YOU OWN A LOT IN THE beautiful Wilshire blvd. district? We have just one of those magnificent corner lots left. Corner Wilshire blvd. and Cahuenga.

LEWIS & SEVERANCE, 75x150—$2250 329 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

Phone A7369.

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Phone A7369.

FOR SALE—
Fine lot, 40x120, on Boyle Heights, worth $1000, but as I have to go East will take $700. $210 cash and balance $10 per month. Ring up BOYLE 1848 and buy from owner and save agent's commission. Sidewalk, curb and street work all done.

FOR SALE—
$750—BONNIE BRAE AND 6TH.
$750—Downey ave., 50x146.
$775—West 36th and Normandie.
$300—Lucile st. near Sunset blvd.

METZLER INVESTMENT CO., 424 STIMSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—GOING SOUTH ON BUSINESS like to sell out, 2 lots, one E 40th st., close to Central ave., $850, $250 cash, balance $15 monthly. One on W. 32d st., close to Main st., double frontage, $950, $250 cash, balance $15 monthly. See owner at 629 S. OLIVE St., room 31, between 8 and 10 a.m. every day. Both phones.

FOR SALE—
Have 2 lots in Winton & McLeod's Figueroa Street tract, which must be sold. They are north fronts, 40x129 to alley. Between Moneta and Figueroa. Price $250 each.

HARRIS & JONES, Broadway 5126. 132 S. Broadway.

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Home phone A3222. Ask for MR. LEWIS.

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ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO., 127 Mer. Trust Bldg. Home A3242. M. 2232.

FOR SALE—$100 — PICO HEIGHTS LOT with small house; $300 down; monthly. YORK & ADAMS, 254 S. Hill.

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Take Stanson Junction car going south on Main st. and get off at 28th st. Mr. Horton, tract agent, is on the ground there and will be delighted to show you the merits of these choice, low priced lots.

$25 CASH, $10 A MONTH.

GET IT NOW.

NEVE... PAY RENT; BUY A LOT; CHEAPEST CLOSE IN LOT IN CITY. Take car to Lot. Look it over. Be sure and leave deposit on a lot before the rises in price takes place.

Bargains in big lots with small houses on rear on easy terms.

House and lot for sale; new 5 room modern cottage, on nice lot, for $1300, snap. Don't delay.

TEL. HOME EX. 998, MAIN 1272.

GUS H. HILL, SALES MANAGER, N.W. corner Second and Broadway. With STRONG & DICKINSON.

FOR SALE—$250.
Gladys ave., north of 8th, 60-foot frontage, less than $50 a foot; this is by far the cheapest lot in the Union depot disrict, in fact, the cheapest lot north of Pico st.

W. H. OBEAR, 409 O. T. Johnson Bldg. V. P. Gilbert, Mgr. Lot Dept.

FOR SALE—$125.
SPECIAL BARGAIN.

Lot 40x129 to alley, 41st near McKinley; owner has reduced price from $500 for this week only; easy terms.

W. H. OBEAR, 409 O. T. Johnson Bldg. V. P. Gilbert, Mgr. Lot Dept.

FOR SALE—$1250.
ROOSEVELT STREET.

This is by far the cheapest lot on Roosevelt ave., size 60x129, a $2000 bungalow on this lot, will readily sell for $4000.

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FOR SALE—BETTER BUY NOW BEFORE this property is taken into the city at the next election, Feb. 20, 1907; I have only a few 50-foot lots left, curbs and sidewalks in, at $300 each, $20 down and $10 per month; 6-cent car line, first-class district, close to foothills, beautiful scenery. Call up HOME PHONE HOLLYWOOD 247.

FOR SALE—$1275—E. FRONT, GRAND AVE. $975—40x135 on 60th near Moneta.
$900—40x150 on 45th near Figueroa.
$1100—50x132 on 46th near Main.
Also Moneta and Figueroa frontage at lowest prices. A. O. KENT, Moneta, between Marshal and Vernon. Sunset South 2269; Home B3265.

FOR SALE—

BY OWNER.

Lot on 45th st., west of Figueroa, 40x150; 4 fine walnut trees; only $975.

SUITE 460, or call 209 W. 46th st.

FOR SALE—

A BARGAIN.
ON WEST 107TH ST.
75 FEET FRONTAGE; FINE LOCATION FOR FLATS OR APARTMENTS.
JOHN A. MACDONALD, 292 WILCOX ANNEX, 212 S. SPRING.

FOR SALE—
A lot one block from the Hollywood High School, on Highland ave., $800. You cannot beat this in Hollywood. See us.

REALTY INVESTMENT CO., Sales Dept., 537 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — 4 ACRES FACING ON THREE good streets, with house, barn, well and mill; will cut up nice; 4 blocks north of Sunset blvd., for quick sales, $7000; ½ cash, balance 6 per cent. Owner, FRED STKES, Ocean Park, Cal.

FOR SALE—$1050.
OLIVE STREET.

Lot 50x130, east side of Olive st., between Thorpe and Malcolmson, 1-3 cash.

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FOR SALE—5 LOTS, JUST OFF VERmont ave. at $375 each; sold separately; fruit, nuts; this is the place to build a home; special inducements to those who build at once; also Vermont frontage. C. C. MARTIN, 49th and Moneta.

FOR SALE—NORTH FRONT LOT 60x140 ON 45th st., between Main and Moneta for $1000; this street has the finest improvements in this section. RISING REALTY CO., corner 41st and Moneta ave. Home B9495, South 2053.

FOR SALE—

W. G. NEVIN TRACT.

The finest lot on Gramercy Place, 74x178, surrounded by elegant homes, for is all fenced, price $3600. GEO. WARD, owner, 1941 Wilton Place. Phone West 2156.

FOR SALE—LARGE LOT, EAST FRONT, near Sunset Park, very cheap, 60x150 on Reno st., high, sightly, $1600; 100x180, near Westlake Park, fine location for apartment house, $6000. J. F. ZARGER, 302 Laughlin, 215 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—SMALL ACREAGE AND LOTS at wholesale, low prices, 20 minutes from business center; chance for investors, speculators and builders; commission to agents. E. S. FIELD, 602 Citizens Bank Bldg. Phones Main 5336, A 5336. 11

FOR SALE—I HAVE 1000 CITY LOTS LOcated in one of the largest cities in Southern California; will sell all or part at bargain; terms satisfactory to purchaser. Can double your money in a year. Cahuenga is a main Street grading free. Address D, box 24, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—60 FT. COMMONWEALTH AVE. 60 feet West 7th st. Exclusive restricted tract. $1600 for few days only. We have the edge on this tract. Half cash only. LOS ANGELES REALTY CO., 618 Union Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—FINE LOTS IN PALM TERrace, Highland Park, Los Angeles, Cal.; most sightly, high-class subdivision; terms within reach of any one desiring a beautiful and sightly home. W. W. SMITH, 527 Citizens National Bank Bldg. Both Phones 6667.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, BARGAIN ON Harvard Blvd.; between Pico and 12th, east front, above grade, cement retaining wall, 46x125, next to 2-story residence; only $1375 cash. MEADE, owner, 1413 Arlington ave.

FOR SALE—
$1500—Westlake District, for apartment, 52x150 feet. Bargain.

YOUNG & ADAMS, A7866. 254 S. Hill. Broadway 2915.

FOR SALE—
A bunch of 5 lots, 2 on corner (150x150), are worth the price asked, and two (100x150) are velvet; eastern corner. CUTLER & COMPTON, 417 Pay Bldg. Main 4306; Home A3256.

FOR SALE—LOT ON 27TH ST. JUST WEST of Arlington; oiled street and cement walks lays high; cheapest lot in southwest; price $700, terms. Another one on 53d and Moneta ave.; this is a bargain at $900; terms. Address F, box 83, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—FOR COLORED PEOPLE. $50 DOWN, $15 A MONTH.
Malabar st., 2 room cottage, near Brooklyn ave. car; price $750. A snap.
402 STIMSON BLDG. Home A6491, Main 2665.

FOR SALE—

BEVERLY

A choice east front lot, a snap at $650; adjoining lots held at $800 and up; don't answer unless you want to buy. Owner, Address C, box 43, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LOTS OF LOTS. FINE LOTS on 60th st., 45x150. Clean corner on South Hill st., 94x184. Beautiful lot, Westmoreland Heights, 50x161. Clean corner, Hobart Boulevard, 100x126. Also many others, extra fine. CALIFORNIA REALTY, 305 Henne Bldg.

FOR SALE—CORNER LOT 50x125, ON VERnon ave., west of Moneta, $1350, ¼ cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months; this is an opportunity to make 100 per cent. in 30 days. J. M. CARTER CO., 410-11 Mason Operahouse.

FOR SALE—
$475—450 cash, $10 per month; in the city, on S. Park ave.

H. L. HARRIS, A5226. 210 Mason Operahouse.

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$2900—Corner near Figueroa and 36th st., 48x165.

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FOR SALE—HAVE TWO VERY GOOD VAcant lots near the new Huntington shops, on Eagle Rock Valley line; call at once.

L.A.R.E. 1149 SAILWAY.

FOR SALE—LOT 30x125, S. BUNKER HILL, with 4-room modern house on property; leased for 2 years. This property lots over 10 per cent. on investment of $11,000, and should appeal to party desiring a safe buy. Address E, box 122, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—VERMONT AVE.
Splendid east front lot (50x155) with good 6-room cottage, close to University Station; ripe for business; a snap at $4200; terms to suit.

BURNS-HUTCHINSON CO., 427 Laughlin Bldg., Home A7129, Main 237.

FOR SALE—
Elegant residence corner (75x165) near 18th and Hoover, for a quick sale at $500 below market value.

BURNS-HUTCHINSON CO., 427 Laughlin Bldg., Home A7129, Main 237.

FOR SALE—WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR a choice corner, 100x150 on Burlington and 8th; also a corner 120x150, fronting on Westlake Park. They are splendid hotel locations, and worth the price. WILCZER, MOORE & CO., 223 S. Hill street.

FOR SALE—$600 VALUE FOR $500.
Extra choice lot, 50x140, with all street improvements, building restrictions; $2000; located in the high class Wilshire-Westgate ave. section. Phone owner today). HOME B2827, or Sunset Hollywood 1251.

FOR SALE—$180 PER ACRE. 5 ACRES level land near Main st., in city, ready for subdivision. 2 avenues will run in place. LEE A. McCONNELL & CO., 3046 Agents, 145 Broadway.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN. FINE LOT 50x 189, near Vermont ave., street work, side walks, water, $9 down, $10 month, price $350. D. H. LINDLE & CO., 6254 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
Consequential popularity.
THE M'CARTHY COMPANY'S FLORENCE HEIGHTS TRACT.
Do you know why? CUM SEE.

FOR SALE—
$55—Buy building lots, $75 down, $10 month. Bound to double in value. Get in now. THE M'CARTHY COMPANY, 205 N. Broadway. Phones Main 4285, Home 5527.

FOR SALE—
STRAWBERRIES IN DECEMBER, growing near
THE M'CARTHY COMPANY'S FLORENCE HEIGHTS TRACT.

FOR SALE—OUR NEW TRACT ON VERmont now open, all lots 50-foot fronts; price $440 and up. Terms, money. Private terms for selling. LOS ANGELES REALTY CO., 206 Delta Bldg., 426 South Spring st.

FOR SALE—WEST 47TH ST., TWO OR one 50-ft. near Budlong. Choice; $400 cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Better see them. LOS ANGELES REALTY CO., 206 Delta Bldg., 426 South Spring. F1830.

FOR SALE—
$6000—Corner near Sixth st., 60x135 feet; high; no restrictions.

YOUNG & ADAMS, Broadway 2915. 254 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—
$2200—Near Pico, near Bonnie Brae, 50x125, bargain.

YOUNG & ADAMS, A7866. 254 S. Hill st. Broadway 2915.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL RESIDENT LOTS on South Pasadena, near Wentworth Hotel, and two short lines. $850; terms 1-3 cash, cheap. Owner, Home A8417. Address STATION A, City.

FOR SALE—TO BE SOLD MONDAY, NORTH front lot on Gail street, No. 203, near Grand Park and 36th st. Only $850, easy terms. OWNER, 729 S. Broadway. Main 277, Home F8473.

FOR SALE—I HAVE 3 LOTS IN FLORENcita Park; must sell; bargains for quick sale. See owner.

ANDREW J. CAMP, 744 E. Grand Ave.

FOR SALE—SMALL HOUSE, FURNITURE and equipment; with lot 50x150 on improved street, close in, $2300 cash, balance $5 per month. Apply 713 S. MAIN ST. Home phone F1365.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x140, EAST FRONT, SIDEwalk and curb, $550 cash, lot 50x150; sidewalk, curb, street work, curb, etc., $1250 cash, must sell at once. Both fine lots. PHONE B4019.

FOR SALE—
HUNCH—If you want to buy real estate where it will increase in value 50 per cent. a year for the next 5 years, address E, box 41, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$700 CASH BUYS A LARGE east front lot, near W. First st.; grand view of valley and mountains. Inquire MISS GREGORY, Temple and Cason sts., N. E. corner.

FOR SALE—FINE LOT IN WESTLAKE district; one of the best buys in that locality; price $2000. See W. T. RIMPAU, with Los Angeles Abstract & Trust Co., corner First and Broadway. Both phones Ex. 24. 9

FOR SALE—TWO HILL LOTS, AVE. 38, 2 blocks Pasadena ave., business section, $500, $50 cash, $5 month each. Look this up. STANDARD REAL ESTATE, 5719 Pasadena ave. 9

FOR SALE—FINEST APARTMENT HOUSE lot in city. See owner E. E. HALL, 229 Douglas Bldg.

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FOR SALE—I HAVE JUST ONE GENUINE bargain left in the southwest, a style [illegible] you can buy [illegible] Address [illegible]

FOR SALE—
$65 cash buys a lot south $300; must have the money. Call, or see W. Adams and Normandie. Address E, box 146, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
$6000—Cor. near Sixth; high, 60x125 feet. Broadway 2915. YOUNG & ADAMS, Home 7866. 254 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—2 LOTS NEAR BROOKLYN ave., on Soto st., high and sightly; 50x165 each to alley; $2500 takes both; terms. LOCKHART & SON, 311 W. First st.

FOR SALE—NORTH FRONT LOT ON GAIL st. near S. Park; lot No. 201, for only $850, terms. HINER & PETERSON, 729 S. Broadway. Main 277, Home F8473.

FOR SALE—AT A TARGAIN, NICE, HIGH lot, near First and Occidental blvd.; fine residence going up on adjoining lot. Apply 218 STIMSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—UNRESTRICTED LOT ON 48TH near Main for $750 cash. This offer only good until Tuesday. No agents. Address F, box 98, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LOT ON 52ND ST. NEAR VERmont, for $675, $125 cash, balance $10 monthly. A snap. Address F, box 98, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$1900, THE BEST BUY ON San Pedro st., a corner, 44x144, a fine business corner and a bargain. GLEASNER CO., 2502 S. Main st.

FOR SALE — $650, ELEGANT LOT ON 35TH near Figueroa, large walnut trees, $15 monthly. T. W. WILSHIRE-ANGELES, 342 Merchants' Trust Co. Bldg.

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE LOTS IN HIGHland Park addition, from $300 up, on easy terms, 17 desired. VANCUN, 304 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—
ROSES IN WINTER growing on
THE M'CARTHY COMPANY'S FLORENCE HEIGHTS TRACT.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, A FINE LOT ON Crenshaw blvd., 50x165, east front, between 36th and Washington sts.; price $1150. HOME PHONE A1867 or 152660.

FOR SALE—A LOT ON FLOWER, CLOSE to Pico; also a large house to exchange for vacant not far out. 1509 MAGNOLIA AVE.

FOR SALE—HIGHLAND PARK, 50x234, BEtween Pasadena ave. and Arroyo, 1 block to car lines; a bargain for cash. S. JACOBY & CO., 232 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST LOT IN ALVArado Terrace, 50x150 to paved alley, $2750 for immediate sale. Mrs. M. J. DUDLEY, owner, 253 S. Grand ave. Home A5578; Main 4905.

FOR SALE—LOOMIS ST. (950 W. SIXTH.) $10,000, lot 40x140; 625 Loomis, hotel site, $18,000. lot 80x140; 621 Loomis, hotel site. OWNER, 207 Copp Bldg. Main 4074.

FOR SALE—AN OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE $500 in sixty days; lot on W. Third near Beaudry. See OWNER, 421 Copp Bldg. Phone Broadway 1887.

FOR SALE—CAMBRIDGE ST., NEAR HARvard. North front 50x140, $1650. South front, 100x140. Can you beat this? WILSON, 419 Mason Operahouse. Phone 2964.

FOR SALE—A LOT IN BEAUTIFUL FLOREncita Park at just what it cost me a year ago; plain and simple; no terms. Address E. BOYD, 557 Cricker st.

FOR SALE—SNAP ON JASMINE ST., NEAR Cambridge, 50x140, east front, $1350 cash; terms. WILSON, 419 MASON OPERAHOUSE Phone 2964.

FOR SALE—EAST FRONT, CORNER DOR chester and Jasmine. Only $1350, 50x140. Easy terms. $500 below the market. Phone OWNER, 2964.

FOR SALE—HARVARD BLVD. NEAR 16TH st., east front, 54x130, $1000; a genuine pickup. WILSON, 419 Mason Operahouse. 'Phone 2964.

FOR SALE—50x135, EAST FRONT, Between Moneta and Main sts. $750, $100 cash, $15 month. OWNER, South 1079.

FOR SALE—FINE RESIDENCE LOT, S.W. corner Third ave. and Garland, Central Arlington Heights; full commission to agents. J. M. METCALF, 316 Grant Bldg. 10

FOR SALE—LOT 60x141, WESTMORELAND tract, east side Alden ave., $1200; half cash. ARTHUR G. MUNN, 202 Mason Bldg.

FOR SALE—FINE HIGH CORNER LOT on Colton st. near Beaudry, worth $2250, have option at $1650, terms. See Monday. ROOM 1220, 122 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—MONETA AVE. Business lot, east front, close in, $1000. $200 cash, $20 month. PHONE OWNER, SOUTH 1079.

FOR SALE—W. 54TH AND 55TH STS. Between Main and Moneta ave., 2 lots, 50x132, $850; 1-4 cash, $15 month. PHONE OWNER, SOUTH 2075.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x130 ON WEST 51ST st., near Western ave. This is a bargain for $950. PALMER & NORTON, 605 Grant Bldg. Phone Main 5746; A5104.

FOR SALE—A SNAP IF SOLD AT ONCE, the choicest building lot in Los Angeles, 59x146 to 16-foot alley. See owner on premises, 1246 W. 27TH ST.

FOR SALE—LOT NEAR HOLLYWOOD CAR line, on Benefit st., a bargain, easy terms. C. R. WERTS & CO., Real Estate, 841 S. Broadway.

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FOR SALE—SPECIAL.
Two lots, Raymond tract, on Fairmount st., only $350 each. J. M. TAYLOR, 424 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

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FOR SALE—ADAMS STREET SNAP, CORner of Normandie, 50x150, must be taken before December 15th, $1500, terms. PHONE SOUTH 2067, Owner.

FOR SALE—LOT ON 46TH ST., $1000, $300 down, balance $15 month; lot on Figueroa, between 47th and 48th, $1200. SALEY LAKE REALTY CO., 418 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—SIERRA MADRE, 2 LOTS, OR will trade for house and lot in Los Angeles. HENCK BROS., 416 Mason Bldg.

FOR SALE—DALTON AVE. CORNER, $2150, 65x125. Splendid corner lot 50x142, E. W. PASCOE, owner. Home B3580 or F7267.

FOR SALE—LOT IN EAST HOLLYWOOD View Tract for sale at a bargain; requires $250 cash, balance on easy terms. By owner, GEO. C. CLARK. Phone Home 2564.

FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS IN THE WESTlake Park district; no mistake in purchasing any of them now. WISLER, MOORE & CO., 223 S. Hill street.

FOR SALE—LOT ON KANE ST., NEAR Alvarado; must be sold at sacrifice, eight minutes from Courthouse. 1013 W. 1ST. MRS. CLARK.

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FOR SALE—5-FOOT LOT, CLOSE TO VERmont and Vernon aves., $600; only $150 cash, a big snap, near 3 car lines. PETERSON, 640 Stimson Bldg. Main 5780. Home A2344.

FOR SALE—FINE LARGE LOT CORNER Bonnie Brae and Montrose. Ideal home site; overlooking Echo Park. $1800 cash. Inquire THE SEWARD, 412 TEMPLE.

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FOR SALE—LOT 61x129, INSIDE CITY limits, near 2 car lines and schoolhouse; $325 if taken this week. Call at 4700 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—2 NICE BUILDING LOTS near Sunset Boulevard, close in, $225 each. See my agents, STROEDER & STROEDER, 208 Delta Bldg. Must be sold.

FOR SALE—NORTHWEST CORNER LOT, 50x140, Trinity, at $300 under value. Phone Main 2370, or see M. S. HILLS, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—2 LOTS 100x150, WORTH $1200. Must sell this week; make offer. MR. PRIEM, 803 South Figueroa. Phone Broadway 5167.

FOR SALE—$25 DOWN, $15 A MONTH, 68TH street, half block from Moneta Ave. carline. Price $450. Owner, E, box 130, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—STREET WORK IS NOW IN progress in Granada Heights. Lots for sale—125 of them.

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FOR SALE—
Lot 50x150, near Vernon, $50 cash. $1450—Corner Vermont and 47th, 100x120, half cash.

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FOR SALE—A CHEAP LOT 50x150, LYING between 2 car lines, close in, fine location, close to Pasadena ave., price only $800; the cheapest close in lot for the money in the city. If interested address D, box 108, TIMES OFFICE, no agents.

FOR SALE—
$4000—Cor. near Sixth; high, 60x125 feet. Broadway 2915. YOUNG & ADAMS, Home 7866. 254 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—2 LOTS NEAR BROOKLYN ave., on Soto st., high and sightly; 50x165 each to alley; $2500 takes both; terms. LOCKHART & SON, 311 W. First st.

FOR SALE—NORTH FRONT LOT ON GAIL st. near S. Park; lot No. 201, for only $850, terms. HINER & PETERSON, 729 S. Broadway. Main 277, Home F8473.

FOR SALE—AT A TARGAIN, NICE, HIGH lot, near First and Occidental blvd.; fine residence going up on adjoining lot. Apply 218 STIMSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—UNRESTRICTED LOT ON 48TH near Main for $750 cash. This offer only good until Tuesday. No agents. Address F, box 98, TIMES OFFICE.

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However, in this case you get the ABSOLUTELY SAFE feature with a rate of income which, if offered on the streets of one of the money centers of the East would create a scramble for it that would push clear off the face of the map any scramble you ever saw—all the way from the mix-up of both teams over a fumbled football up to the scrimmage of the patriots who threw themselves into the breach for immolation upon the altar of their beloved city when she is threatened with the triennial pending vacancies in the various chairs of her "City Hall."

Yes, sirree, and then some. So, if it's a good income you want, coupled with a safety cinch, just anchor your wad to this location, and you'll not get stranded with the driftwood upon the shores of financial failure. Why don't I do it, then? There you go again. There are two kinds of fellows in this village about whom, when they die, might be written the time-worn epitaph:

"Here lies a man who did no good—
And, if he'd lived, he never would:
And where he's gone and how he fares
Nobody knows and nobody cares."

They are the fellows who, when they read the facts laid down in such ads as mine—they do one of two things—either say, "If it's so good and going to grow so fast, why don't you keep it?" or else they compare the price (now $650 per foot) with what I asked for IT TWO OR THREE YEARS AGO; instead of comparing it with what is asked for OTHER LOTS NOW. And say, Bud, let the old man drop a word or two into your eye right here: if you want to get rich on Spring and Fourth street property, don't try to "get funny," but "get busy." I offer you an opportunity. I'm getting to an age now where I don't like to carry debts, but, in answer to your question as to why I don't put up that 16-story building, I'll say this, that I'll be one of five to build it—$150,000 each; if you can pull four of yourselves together and want me to be the other fellow, I'll promise to be the fifth, unless some of you are so pesky ornery I don't think I could get along with you. Anybody can get along with me. So now, if some four, or even eight of you nice fellows, like—like, well, say like "mile-wide smile" Rob Rowan or Busy Boniface Billcke or Happy Hooligan Holman, or Goodfellow Marshmallow Marsh, or a few other choice spirits with whose names I would take liberties except for the fact that I only started in to give "samples," I say if some four or eight of the dozen or two fellows who know a good thing when they can get time to figure on it will take this matter up seriously, I'll go in with you (or let you take five fifths if you prefer,) and we can put up $75,000 each and borrow the balance and have a wonderful tower down there. It would be between the Trust building and Hellman building on the north, and the elegant buildings on the south at Fifth and Spring, and the ones to go up later on Fifth, which, of themselves would surround us with such improvements as would keep us in the "center" long after the "edges," no matter how good their buildings are, realize that you can "shift" a business center from such surroundings as protected First and Spring an awfully lot easier than you can pull tenants from such buildings as the Hellman, the Union Trust, the Rowan-Billcke Syndicate, or the Spring St. Syndicate's sixteen-story.

If you've got $75,000 in cash and $75,000 in nerve, then you call me up and I'll make an appointment to separate you from the cash and put you next to a monthly rent check that will furnish you a mansion "on the shady side of easy street," in the summer with money enough for your winter months to enable you to retain a "floor" of the Alexandria, where you can sit in the California morning sun and watch "that 16-story building" GROW—into a 20-story. For further details come and let's talk it over.

BOAZ DUNCAN.
407 Wilcox Bldg.

P. S.—N. B.—That is to say, read this, too. If you are one of these "subdividing fiends," always on the lookout for "acreage for subdivision," then see about 1200 acres at Rialto; within about 2000 feet of the hotel—the center of town.

And now just remember this; I've been offering it at $35 per acre, or $100,000 for a month or two, but I'm doing it MONDAY ONLY, with fear and trembling. For this reason; I fear that if it IS taken, an electric car line, clear through the center (one mile) will be announced within a few weeks, and I will probably have lost about $65 per acre (making only $150 per acre,) or $78,000 by not having held it a few weeks or months longer. I was on a lot on Spring st. the other day, which I sold for $25,000 (by hard licks and tear-stained ads,) which the tenant says would now easily bring $125,000. I sold another near it for $40,000, which would sell now in an hour for $120,000; another for $95,000, which DID SELL in about four years for $295,000, and would today sell for $480,000; so you see the old man hasn't skinned the "other fellows" so bad that he has to take up collections for 'em when winter comes around. But I'll tell you right now that the prices when I did sell "looked high," as much so as $6500 a foot or $55 an acre does now.

SO IT MAY LOOK HIGH AND STILL MAKE A FORTUNE FOR YOU.

This 1200 acres is as fine a piece of land and lies as beautifully as you ever saw; if you doubt it, lets go and look at it. I believe you'll buy it if you go. If you do you'll have to take the 580-acre water proposition with it, price $10,000. If interested see me on Monday only— that's honest and bona fide. I thought yesterday I'd withdraw it from the market till the electric road is announced, and I think now that I WILL DO SO VERY SOON, and wouldn't blind myself beyond Monday. See me then, or see

S. DUNCAN,
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A LIST OF BARGAINS.

$100,000—60x165 feet, facing Central Park; only $1800 per foot; will soon be worth $2500 a foot; buy it now and reap the profit.

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$25,000—Corner of Boyd and Wall sts., 50x119 feet to an alley, 2 blocks from Main st., best buy east of Main st.

$20,000—Cheapest improved corner on Jefferson st., 65x170 feet, good income, has been held at $22,500; this week only $20,000.

$20,000—411-415 Crocker st., 50x119 feet, an alley corner with 2 good houses; property is clear, we can secure loan of $10,000 at 6 per cent. on it, and accept in part payment city or suburban property up to $7500.

$13,000—New building containing 6 flats, pressed brick front, double floors, fine walls and all the best improvements, situated close in on elevated ground; lot 60x128 feet; mortgage $10,000 cash or good city property for equity of $9000.

$10,000—Central ave. business block, 2 stores and 2 flats, a good investment, $500 cash required.

If you are interested in Main st., we can offer you the cheapest lot north of Adams st., and make the payments easy; Main st. is to be widened to 100 feet, which will advance values all along the line, get in now.

ROBERT MITCHELL CO.,
Sole agents for above.
Fifth floor Collins Bldg., 312 W. 3rd st.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

I will sell a lot 50x150, on a coming business thoroughfare, at $10 per front foot less than surrounding property can be bought for; it is only 8 blocks from Broadway; if sold within 10 days will take $2750. Choice for stores with apartment-house above; there is no commission in this to agent. Address B, box 126, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
I own a lot 6 blocks from Broadway on W. First st., worth $4000 cash; nominal improvements; cost $4000 about 3 years ago, and the income is $620 per annum.

I will make a cheap price to a bona fide purchaser within the next ten days in order to meet another obligation; terms, ¼ cash and 6 per cent. No agents; can be improved to pay 12 per cent. at slight cost. ROOM 208, GRAND BLDG. 3

FOR SALE—FIGUEROA ST., 60x165; NOMINAL improvements; between Fourth and Fifth sts., $350 per foot. H. P. ERNST, room 313 Tajo Bldg., corner First and Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—124 W. PICO, 200 FEET FRONT Main, 99x165, 10-room residence. Snap. BIRNEY HAND, Agent, 201 N. Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS PROPERTY.

$2000—50x150, S. Los Angeles st. near Washington.

$9000—50x150, Maple ave. near Ninth st.; this is a bargain.

$11,500—50x155, S. Flower st. near 23d; small improvements.

$14,500—60x155 to 20-ft. alley, S. Flower st., close to Pico; improved with modern 7-room dwelling, leased $50 month; a chance for a quick profit.

$17,500—50x125, S. Flower, near Ninth st.; a good buy.

$18,000—60 ft. frontage. Grand ave., south of Pico; good improvements.

$28,000—50x150 to alley; Pico st. near Main; improved; good 10-room house; best buy on Pico st.

$30,000—60x165, S. Hope near Ninth st.; fine improvements, paying good income.

$17,000—Large close-in corner on Macy st., over 80 ft. improved with good store and cottage. This is a valuable location for warehouse or manufacturing plant and is a good income producer right now.

IT PAYS TO SEE US.
EDWARDS & WINTERS CO.,
329 S. Hill. Main 9307, Home Ex. 767. 9

FOR SALE—

SOUTH MAIN STREET

N. E. CORNER 23D STREET.

86½x120 FEET.

WE HAVE THE ABSOLUTE CONTROL OF THIS PROPERTY AT $75 PER FOOT LESS THAN ITS ACTUAL VALUE.

PRICE, $825 PER FOOT.

SOUTH MAIN STREET.

75x100 FEET.

100 FEET SOUTH OF 28TH STREET WEST SIDE OF STREET.

PRICE, $300 PER FOOT.

HALF CASH.
BALANCE 6 PER CENT., 3 YEARS.

SOLE AGENTS,

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 WEST THIRD STREET. 9

FOR SALE—
CHEAP.

CLOSE-IN PROPERTY.

—$6500—

W. Second st., between Hope and Flower, 40x120, and improved with a 4-room double house, arranged for two families, and rented for $36 per month. Located on high ground, commanding a fine view of the S. W., and only ten minutes' walk from Third and Spring sts. and of easy access through the Third-st. tunnel.

The vacant property directly across the street is held at $260 per foot; while the vacant property in rear, facing on Hope is being extensively advertised at $230 per foot.

We are only asking at the rate of $162.50 per foot for this property, IMPROVED, or about $100 per foot, vacant.

This is going to be sold. It may be well for you to investigate this; but please DON'T DISTURB THE TENANTS.

CROAKE & McCANN,
229 Douglas Bldg.
Home 'Phone A1812, Sunset Main 3430.
Members Realty Board. 9

FOR SALE—

$40 PER FOOT BELOW MARKET VALUE.

IN THE BEST BLOCK, ON THE BEST STREET EAST OF MAIN.

544-550½ S. SAN PEDRO ST., 100x170 FT., WITH COTTAGES PAYING $124 PER MONTH, OR NEARLY ENOUGH TO COVER THE INTEREST ON A LOAN OF $40,000, WHICH CAN BE PAID ON OR BEFORE 5 YEARS, AT 6 PER CENT. THE BUILDINGS, WHICH ARE CONVENIENT FOR MOVING AT LITTLE EXPENSE, ARE WORTH $8000, AND COST YOU ABSOLUTELY NOTHING, AS THE LAND IS WORTH TODAY $50 PER FRONT FOOT.

THE PRICE of $40,000, AND ONLY $16,000 CASH IS REQUIRED.

DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE WORK OF PAVING NOW IN PROGRESS, IS STARTED IN THIS BLOCK. IF YOU DO, THE PRICE WILL BE HIGHER.

THE DEPTH OF 170 FEET IS OF GREAT VALUE, SITUATED AS THE PROPERTY IS, IN THE HEART OF THE CITY, AND GIVES IT MORE SQUARE FEET THAN ANY OTHER PROPERTY FOR SALE IN THE BLOCKS BETWEEN FIFTH AND SEVENTH STREETS.

SOLE AGENTS,
DEL VALLE & DUNN,
10 L.A.R.B. SUITE 616 GRANT BLDG.

FOR SALE—
EAST NINTH STREET
BARGAIN.

—$7500—

42x150, E. Ninth near San Pedro; nominal improvements; best buy on the coming business thoroughfare; if you want Ninth st. you will buy this; it's a real snap.

LOS ANGELES STREET
BARGAIN.
—$12,500—

42x125, Los Angeles st. near 16th; fine property; improved with good house; good property to buy now.

CROAKE & McCANN, 229 Douglas Bldg.
Home 'Phone A1812, Sunset Main 3430.
Members Realty Board. 9

FOR SALE—
BARGAIN, $16,500; 40x106 ON SAN PEDRO; THIS PROPERTY WILL SELL $30,000 INSIDE OF A YEAR; BEST CLOSE-IN BUY TODAY.

HILL AT 80x145, NEAR PICO, $350 PER FOOT, CHEAPEST PIECE ON HILL; IF THIS IS NEAR PICO, TAKES $70,000 TO HANDLE IT.

E. FIFTH, $23,500; FINE INCOME PROPERTY, RENTED; $150 PER MONTH INCOME.

$45,000—NEAR FIFTH AND SAN JULIAN, 2-STORY ROOMING-HOUSE, $30,000 CASH. INCOMEINCOME $300 PER MONTH.

BEST BUY TODAY.
E. FOURTH ST., BETWEEN WALL AND SAN PEDRO, ONLY $27,000, AND $11,000 CASH, BALANCE 3 YEARS, INCOME $240 PER MONTH. YOU CANNOT POSITIVELY BEAT THIS; IT IS 50x103, WITH A 40-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE ON SAME. YOU KNOW WHAT FIFTH ST. IS AND THIRD ST. IS. NOW WATCH FOURTH ST.

THESE ARE ALL GOOD BUYS. BUY RIGHT.
HOME 6687. J. W. CUNNINGHAM & CO.,
BROADWAY 2497. 215-213 BYRNE BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—
SIXTH ST., WEST OF CENTRAL.

AT $650 FRONT FOOT.

Nominal improvements, paying 8%.
Sixth st. investors will appreciate this.
W. A. VARCOE & CO.,
217 West Second st. 9

FOR SALE—
Two-story, ten-room house, 911 S. Main st.; must be sold at once; make us a price.
ROBT. MARSH & CO.,
H. W. Hellman Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

I SELL THE EARTH.

R. S. BASSETT.

ON EIGHTH ST. AND CENTRAL AVE. NORTHEAST CORNER.

There is a large three-story building; two storerooms below on Central ave.; also one five-room flat on Eighth st., lower floor, and 6 five-room flats above; on lot adjoining on north there is a six-room cottage; there is 90 ft. frontage on Central ave. You can get this corner for $50,000, or 40 ft. on the corner, $18,000. Terms if desired.

N.W. CORNER SECOND AND OLIVE.
107 FT. ON SECOND ST.
120 FT. ON OLIVE ST.
A BEAUTIFUL CORNER.
For storerooms below, apartments above.
PRICE $65,000.
OR $22,120 ON CORNER
FOR $16,000.

AT GLENDALE.
ONLY 25 MINUTES' RIDE
from business center of L. A. We have two of the best business corners for sale.
BANK BUILDING.

N.W. corner Third and Glendale ave.; bank and 3 stores below, hotel above; all under lease; income $190 per month; $2250 per year. Price $15,000.

S.W. corner Fourth and Glendale ave., stores below, rooms above; rents now $165 per month; we can lease 2 years, $150 per month; $1800 per year.

PRICE $15,000.

Valencia st., 50x181, flats, $18,000. Income $1800 per year.

Towne ave., 58x119, apartments, $24,000. Income $2508 per year.

Grand ave., cor., 50x146, flats, $26,000. Income $2832 per year.

W. Third, 40x120, stores, $19,000. Income $1020 per year.

Main st., 77x140, brick block, $225,000. Income $14,700 per year.

Grand ave. cor., 50x100, vacant, $36,000.

Flower st., 40x165, apartments, $23,000. Income $3000 per year.

I HAVE MANY MORE. COME IN AND SEE.

R. S. BASSETT, 204 A.R.B.,
203½ S. Broadway.
Rooms 207-8. 9

FOR SALE—
WAREHOUSE AND FACTORY PROPERTY

MESQUIT ST., BETWEEN JESSE AND 7TH STREETS. 220x180. PRICE $7200.

PORTER STREET, EAST OF SANTA FE AVE. 300x140. ALLEY, REAR AND SIDE SALT LAKE AND S. P. SPUR TRACK —PRICE $21,000. HALF CASH. 9 HOUSES ON THIS, RENT ABOUT $90 PER MONTH.

PORTER STREET, EAST OF SANTA FE AVE., EXTENDING FROM SALT LAKE SPUR TRACK TO SANTA FE RAILWAY ON EAST. 740x140, WITH 40-FOOT LOT OPENING ON 9TH STREET. PRICE FOR ENTIRE PROPERTY, $46,000; ONE-HALF CASH. HOUSES ON THIS RENTING FOR $1200 PER YEAR.

ELEVENTH STREET, EAST OF SANTA FE AVE., ADJOINING SANTA FE RAILWAY. 478x140. PRICE $15,000.

ROBERT H. GIVEN, SOLE AGENT, with J. W. VAUGHN & CO., 209 GROSSE BLDG., 6TH AND SPRING STREETS. 9

FOR SALE—BY
BROWN, SON & CO., 2305 Hoover st.
PIONEER REAL ESTATE CO.
'Phones West 306. Home B2323.
Things are booming at Union Square.
THE PLACE TO BUY PROPERTY.
$85,000—The best-paying business block in the southwest; this is gilt-edge and one of the best, if not the best, buys in Los Angeles. See this.

$17,500—Fine business property on Union ave., adjoining the West Side Bank on the north frontage, on Hoover and Union; a good investment and renting for $70 per month.

$6500—If taken before the 17th, as price advances then; 92x128, and only vacant property east of Union on W. 24th st.; fine for flats.

$18,000—The southwest corner 23d and Hoover; rentals $135 per month; this is double clean corner; a good buy.

We will gladly give you any information desired regarding values in residential or business property in this section.

BROWN, SON & CO.,
2305 Hoover.

FOR SALE—

Act Quick.
Option Expires Monday, December 10th.

Close-in Snap.
Warehouse Site.

90 feet frontage
$8500.
Only $106.25 per foot.
Worth $12,000, or $150 per foot.

Do not delay. Can only deliver at this price on Monday, December 10th, after that owner will double the price.
VAN VRANKEN-HUNTER REALTY CO.,
404 Chamber of Commerce. 10

FOR SALE—

SYNDICATE BUYERS.
ATTENTION.

HILL STREET
$192 PER FOOT.

All sold but a one-fourth interest which can be had for $2000. Act quick. Every syndicate on Hill street has made big money on the investment. Hill street is in its infancy, but is growing with rapid strides. You can double your money every year on Hill street. Every one knows it. This property is a large corner and is below its actual market value, and if you will use your own judgment you will certainly get this interest if you can. For full particulars see VAN VRANKEN-HUNTER REALTY CO.,
404 Chamber of Commerce. 10

FOR SALE—A FEW GOOD ONES.

$3000—COR., 90x110, ON N. FIGUEROA ST., FRONTING 130 FT. ON CAR LINE.

$7000—COR., 49x140, ON E. NINTH ST., WITH STORE AND FLATS. THIS CAN BE MADE TO PAY BIG.

$10,000—CORNER 46TH AND MONETA, 120x140.

$4000—S.W. COR. MALCOLMSON AND MONETA.

$22,500—59x146, ON S. HILL, NEXT TO CORNER PICO; THIS IS $100 PER FT. BELOW THE MARKET.

$21,000—FINE 50-FT. LOT ON E. FOURTH ST., IMPROVED WITH A 40-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE; GOOD INCOME; SNAP IT UP AT ONCE.
MAIN 8624. T. J. M'GONIGLE,
HOME B7276. 404 GRANT BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—
GOODWIN'S BEST BARGAINS.
ONLY $2000.
FOUR MODERN FLATS, 1217-1219 WINFIELD ST. ALL RENTED TO EXCELLENT TENANTS. WILL RENT FOR $70 MONTH YEAR ROUND. SOLD THIS PLACE SOME TIME AGO TO OWNER FOR $2500 CASH, BUT HE IS GOING TO THE MINES AND WILL SELL $1000 LESS THAN FLATS ARE WORTH.
$8500.
LOT 58x175 ON 18TH ST., BETWEEN HILL AND MAIN, $75, WORTH $200 FT.
OWNER NON-RESIDENT. BIG SNAP.
$9000.
GRAND AVE. BARGAIN.
HOUSE AND BARN, LOT 60x175, CLOSE IN, WALKING DISTANCE. FINE LOT FOR APARTMENT HOUSE.
CHAS. O. GOODWIN, 209 W. FIRST ST. 9

FOR SALE—
$15,000—4 flats on high ground, east front, modern; rented $104; close Figueroa and 6th; 50x167.

$700 per front foot, lot on E. 6th; cheapest lot on Hope north of 8th.

E. S. HALL,
729 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
Corner Third and Figueroa, $200 a foot. Corner Second and Beaudry, 85 feet, $10,000. Corner on Hyed, 77 feet, $100 a foot. 48 feet on West Tenth, fronts two sts., $4500. 60 feet South Bonnie Brae st., $3000.
H. L. HARRIS,
210 Mason Opera House. Home A8236.

FOR SALE—$7750, 50x128, 4 MODERN FLATS near 12th and Georgia, rent $340. MAIN 1462.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—
CHRISTMAS OFFER.

Flower st., between 11th and 12th, 50x155 to 20-foot alley, only $250 front foot; this is positively the cheapest piece of property in the neighborhood; offer good for 5 days only; owner lives out of city and you had better put up a deposit before he omits the turn.

San Julian st., between 8th and 9th, Nos. 332 to 346, 84x155 for $300 front foot; you can't find a frontage like this at the price anywhere around it; fine for laundry, warehouse or manufacturing; also close to Huntington Bldg.; we have an option on this; regular commission to agents.

First st. near Spring, 50-foot frontage at $1200 foot; nothing to beat it, very easy terms.

See us for improved or unimproved city property.

TEACY, COMPTON & HOUGH, 210-11 Copp Bldg., 334 S. Broadway. Both phones. 9

FOR SALE—$15,500.

TWENTY-FOURTH AND MAIN.

STOP! THIS IS JUST WHAT YOU ARE looking for. An investment with a future. Only $15,500. 150x172. 24th st. just west of Main st. South side of street. Three good 6-room houses that will pay a fair rate of interest on purchase price. Unlike most other purchases, there is plenty of room on the rear for the present improvements, leaving all the frontage open for flats or apartments. This figures less than $100 per foot for the ground. With the widening of Main st., which is now assured and the prospect of Hill st. being put through, figure for yourself what this property will be worth 3 years from today. See us at once as our option is short.

HOLMES-WALTON CO.,
504 GRANT BLDG., 4TH AND BROADWAY. 9

FOR SALE—
CHEAPEST CORNER ON VERMONT.

It's just south of Washington, where corners are $200 a foot.
At JEFFERSON and Vermont corners are $250 a foot.
At 23d and Vermont corners are $200 a foot. This is an EAST FRONT corner and the price is

ONE HUNDRED
AND TEN
DOLLARS
A
FOOT.

You can't beat that PRICE in an EAST FRONT CORNER on VERMONT AVENUE if you go 60 miles in Santa Monica ave., and you can't equal the QUALITY for 20 per cent. more than I quote.

RALPH SULLIVAN,
601 Citizens' Bank Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
BY SAMUEL JACOBY & CO.,
233 Pacific Electric Bldg.

MAIN ST. NEAR THIRD.
MAIN ST. NEAR THIRD.

We can deliver a choice piece of business property on Main st. between 2nd and 4th sts., with nominal improvements earning (4) six per cent.

28x180
or
76x160

This is $500 a foot under anything on the block.

SAMUEL JACOBY & CO.,
233 Pacific Electric Bldg.
Home F6326. 9

FOR SALE—

A GREAT SNAP
IN
FLATS

ON 11TH ST.
NEAR FIGUEROA.

4 YEARS' LEASE SECURED BY FIRST MORTGAGE ON CONTENTS.

$20,000

ONE-THIRD CASH.

E. L. HOOPER & SON (OWNERS.)
404 LAUGHLIN BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—

$42,500—THE CHEAPEST CORNER ON LOS ANGELES STREET NORTH OF 6TH. 50 FT. FRONTAGE. INSIDE LOTS ARE HELD AT $1000 PER FOOT. THIS IS A SPLENDID INVESTMENT AND CAN ONLY BE SOLD AT THIS PRICE FOR A FEW DAYS. $22,500 CASH, BALANCE MORTGAGE 6 PER CENT.

$63,000—THE BEST BUY ON SAN PEDRO ST. A CORNER NORTH OF 7TH ST. WITH 105 FT. FRONTAGE ON SAN PEDRO. $30,000 CASH WILL SWING THIS, BALANCE MORTGAGE AT 5 PER CENT.

PIONEER INVESTMENT & TRUST CO.
707-8-9-10 GRANT BLDG., 6TH & B'DWAY. 9

FOR SALE—

$500—PRICES REDUCED—$500

AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY.

11TH ST. AT GEORGIA.

$4500 takes the 4 2-room apartment house on 11th st. at Georgia; pays better than 7 per cent. net, always rented; must

Realty Liners

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—BY

HERRON REALTY COMPANY,
201 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

$7250—MAIN ST., CORNER NORTH OF 54TH ST., size 98x150; $1200 cash, balance 1 and 2 years.

$4500—PICO ST. SYNDICATE OPPORTUNITY. For $4000 cash we can sell a quarter interest in the property at 117-119 West Pico st., size 60x135 feet, and situated just 150 feet west of Main street. The total price is $24,000; terms, $16,000 cash, balance on or before 3 years at 6 per cent net. This figures a fraction less than $467 per foot, and it is the cheapest property on Pico street between Main and Hill. The corner of Pico and Main recently sold for $1250 per foot, and the purchasers of the property we are offering are going to make a handsome profit. See us at once.

$5000—JEFFERSON ST. NEAR McLINTOCK, 60 feet frontage, improved with 9-room house; half cash.

$6500—FIGUEROA STREET CORNER, UNRESTRICTED; 125 feet frontage, and situated north of Vernon.

$6250—GRAND AVE., NORTH OF JEFFERSON st., size 50x180; best small buy on Grand ave.

$7000—BEACON ST. BETWEEN NINTH AND 11th; an east-front lot, 75x155 to alley; choice location for high-class improvement.

$9250—FLOWER ST., AN EAST-FRONT LOT near 16th; size 54x165; the cheapest lot on Flower, north of Washington.

$15,000—HOPE ST., BETWEEN 11TH AND 12th sts.; lot 50x150 to alley; cheapest lot on Hope st., north of Pico.

$16,000—GRAND AVE. CORNER, 70x150, IMproved with large dwelling; cheapest corner on Grand ave., north of Adams.

$25,000—HOPE ST., NEAR NINTH; SIZE 50x 170 to alley.

HERRON REALTY COMPANY,
201 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

FIGUEROA
60x165
$400 PER FOOT.
BETWEEN 9TH AND 11TH.

WEST SEVENTH.

S. E. CORNER VALENCIA.
105x125
$35,000—
THIS IS UNDER $300 A FOOT.

ALVARADO.

S.E. CORNER OCEAN VIEW.
132x155
$14,000—
FINEST FOR APARTMENTS
IN LOS ANGELES.
WILL SELL IN 1907 AT $150 FOOT.

INGRAHAM ST.
1 BLOCK FROM 7TH,
—AND—
2 BLOCKS FROM FIGUEROA.
$12,000—60x139—$12,000.
FRONTS ON 2 STREETS.

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—

A. E. HALSEY,
712 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

A LARGE CORNER,
ON HILL ST., CLOSE IN.

140 S. HILL ST.
AT ONLY $1175 PER FOOT
60x257 FEET.

BETWEEN 10TH AND 11TH STS.
AT ONLY $1250 PER FOOT.

11THWEST CORNER OF PICO AND HILL
AT $1575 PER FOOT.
60x155 FEET.

NORTHWEST CORNER OF 16TH
AND HILL ST., 60x139 FT.,
AT $600 PER FOOT.

A. E. HALSEY,
712 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—Or exchange, store building, a corner, with three 5-room flats above and 8-room cottage in rear; all rented for $75 per month.
PRICE $10,000.
$30,000 difference.
E. F. BACON,
312 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—BARGAINS EVERYWHERE.
$175—Observation Heights, $5 payments.
$250—Near Stephenson ave.; easy terms.
$650—Orme st., handsome corner front.
$750—Stephenson ave.; 50x164.
$775—Elysian Heights; very sightly.
$1200—Bonnie Brae; near Sunset Blvd.
$3000—Cheapest corner, W. First; 50x145.
A. B. NOLTON & CO., 204 Frost Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

CLOSE-IN WEST NINTH ST. BARGAIN.
—$21,500—
WEST NINTH ST. IS ONE OF THE BEST CROSS TOWN STREETS AND IS BEING IMPROVED, WIDENED AND PAVED. THIS PROPERTY CAN BE SOLD INSIDE OF SIX MONTHS AT $500 PER FOOT, WITHOUT A DOLLAR'S WORTH OF IMPROVEMENTS, THUS NETTING THE INVESTOR $4500. IF IMPROVED WITH STORES AND APARTMENTS WILL NET 10 PER CENT. IN THE INVESTMENT. PROPERTY IS SITUATED CLOSE IN—NEAR TO FIGUEROA ST.—72x LOW—AND IS BEING OFFERED AT THE PRICE OF $300 PER FOOT. CONSIDER HOW RAPIDLY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT IS GOING ON IN THIS SECTION AND YOU WILL REALIZE HOW GREAT A VALUE THIS OFFERING IS.

SPLENDID BUY IN INCOME PROPERTY.
—$78,500—
HERE'S AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE A HIGH, WELL LOCATED PROPERTY, IMPROVED AND BRINGING A GOOD MONTHLY INCOME OF $542.50. LOT 75x155 FT. ON NORTHWEST CORNER BIXEL AND SION-STYLE FLATS WHICH ARE ALWAYS FULL. SPLENDID LOCATION—EXCELLENT NEIGHBORHOOD. PROPERTY IS WORTH $500 PER FRONT FOOT, OR $37,500, AND THE BUILDINGS COST $15,000. YOU CAN FIGURE OUT YOURSELF THE GREAT BARGAIN WE ARE OFFERING. BUILDINGS COULD NOT BE BUILT TODAY FOR LESS THAN $18,000. FOR A FEW DAYS WILL LET THIS PROPERTY GO FOR $15,000 CASH AND BALANCE ON TERMS AT 6 PER CENT. INTEREST. OF THE PURCHASE PRICE IS 5% IN REAL ESTATE ALREADY IMPROVED, AND DERIVE THE BENEFIT OF THIS INCOME IMMEDIATELY.

UNEQUALED VALUE IN BOYD ST. BUSINESS LOT.
—$12,500—
THIS LOT IS 30x150 FT. TO ALLEY, AND IS SITUATED ON BOYD ST., NEAR LOS ANGELES. THE WAREHOUSE AND FACTORY SECTION OF THIS CITY IS LIMITED AND THIS LOT IS RIGHT IN THE CENTER AND ONLY 2 BLOCKS FROM MAIN AND FOURTH, WHICH MAKES IT AN IDEAL INVESTMENT. IT WOULD MAKE A FINE SITE FOR A RETAIL MERCHANTS' WAREHOUSE. CAN BE BOUGHT FOR A SHORT TIME AT ABOUT ONE-HALF CASH. PROPERTY OF ANY OTHER PROPERTY OF LIKE SIZE IN THE VICINITY. INVESTIGATE THIS IMMEDIATELY.

EXCELLENT BUY ON WASHINGTON ST.
—$19,800—
THIS IS A LARGE CORNER LOT, 82½x126 FT., SITUATED NEAR FIGUEROA IN RESTRICTED. THIS PROPERTY IS RIGHT IN THE PATH OF THE RAPIDLY GROWING BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT OF WASHINGTON ST., AND IF IMPROVED CAN EASILY SHOW AN INCOME OF 15 PER CENT. THIS CAN BE HANDLED FOR ABOUT HALF CASH. POSITIVELY FOR BEST BUY ON THIS STREET TODAY. WE ARE WILLING TO IMPROVE AND LEASE TO RESPONSIBLE PARTY. IF INTERESTED, SEE US TOMORROW. IF INTERESTED, SEE US TOMORROW.

ALTHOUSE BROS.
Members L. A. Realty Board.
MAIN 267. 224 LAUGHLIN BLDG. HOME 82X 262.

FOR SALE—BY

F. M. PHELPS & CO.,

BARGAINS FOR QUICK BUYERS.

$3250—E. 8TH ST., NEAR SAN PEDRO ST.; an extra good small buy.

$4000—ALBANY ST., AT 9TH, 44x170 TO ALley, with cottage; worth $5000.

$4000—INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY, CORNER, 200x145 to alley, on Santa Fe R.R. near 18th; Salt Lake R.R. right at hand.

$5000 W. 4TH ST., NEAR FLOWER, 43 feet frontage, with cottage.

$5000—6TH ST., NEAR BIXEL, VERY choice; 50x150; bargain.

$7000—W. 15TH ST., RIGHT CLOSE IN, $2 x150, with 8-room house.

$8000—6TH ST., NEAR BIXEL, 60x140, WITH fine new, modern 8-room house.

$10,000—FIGUEROA ST., RIGHT AT PICO, 80x160, with large 2-story house; a pick-up.

$10,500—INGRAHAM ST., ONE BLOCK from 7th and Figueroa, 54x120 to alley; 12-room house; fine for apartments.

$10,750—FLOWER ST., JUST SOUTH OF PICO ST., 50x155 to alley, improved with new 7-room modern house.

$12,500—W. 11TH AND FIGUEROA, 6x140; improved with large modern apartment house, paying good income.

$13,500—FLOWER ST., BETWEEN NINTH AND 10TH; a decided bargain.

$18,500—LOS ANGELES ST., NEAR PICO, 47½x146, improved. A bargain and should be worth double within a year, when street is widened and paved.

$16,000—SANTEE ST., LARGE CORNER, between 9th and Pico.

$17,500—W. SEVENTH ST., 4 BLOCKS FROM FIGUEROA, 55x120 to alley; with large 14-room house; only $5000 cash required to handle this.

$20,000—WEST 7TH ST., ONLY 2 BLOCKS FROM FIGUEROA, 60x165 to alley; large house; rent $50; owner non-resident.

$133 PER FOOT—W. NINTH ST., CORNER BETWEEN FIGUEROA AND UNION.

F. M. PHELPS & CO.,
228-229-230 Douglas Bldg.
Home 'Phone 4609, Sunset Main 2496.

FOR SALE—

SYNDICATE.

WE ARE FORMING A LIMITED SYNDICATE TO PURCHASE A CLOSE IN, COMING BUSINESS PROPERTY IMPROVED AT PRESENT WITH FOUR GOOD HOUSES, WELL RENTED. IF YOU HAVE $5000 OR MORE, COME IN AND WE WILL EXPLAIN THE PROPOSITION FULLY. EVERY SYNDICATE FORMED BY US IN THE EAST HAS PAID SUBSCRIBERS FROM 50 TO 150 PER CENT. PROFIT. WE PREDICT THIS WILL PAY 70 PER CENT. OR MORE WITHIN ONE YEAR.

ALTHOUSE BROS.
Members L. A. Realty Board.
234 Laughlin Bldg.
Main 262—Home Ex. 262.

FOR SALE—
WEST SEVENTH STREET CORNER.
BEST BUY IN LOS ANGELES.
—120x150—
CLOSE TO WESTLAKE PARK.
BEST—CHEAPEST—FINEST
CORNER IN LOS ANGELES
FOR THE MONEY.
LOOK THIS UP. YOU CAN'T DO BETTER.
ANOTHER 1 BLOCK FURTHER.
105x140x56x120.
IRREGULAR SHAPE.
$16,000.
EVERY ONE A PROFIT MAKER.
DON'T FORGET WEST SEVENTH ST.
OVER $4,000,000 SOLD
ON THIS STREET IN NOVEMBER.

H. G. COTTON & CO.,
221-222 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—A SNAP. 2 FLATS, 6 ROOMS each, and 7-room house in rear; all modern; lot 50x150; fine location; all rented for $64.50 per month; owner going away and wants part cash; price $7,000.

W. P. BACON,
313 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING DESIRABLE PROPERTIES:

$22,000—167x136—$22,000.
CORNER,
WEST SIXTH STREET.
CHEAPEST CORNER ON W. SIXTH ST. GET W. SIXTH FRONTAGE BEFORE THIS THOROUGHFARE IS PAVED. WILL SELL ALL OR THE 90-FOOT CORNER ALONE. FOR $12,000.

$12,000—CORNER—$12,000.
CORNER ON UNION AVE., 120x134, WITH 10-ROOM HOUSE; THIS CORNER IS ESPECIALLY ADAPTED FOR IMPROVEMENT AS INCOME PROPERTY, FOR FLATS OR APARTMENTS.

$6000—92x216—$6000.
A VERY CHOICE LOT ON W. 20TH ST., FACING DOWN ONE OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE BOULEVARDS IN TH ECITY.

$8000—$8000.
IF SOLD IN A BUNCH, 10 LOTS, EACH 40x132, ON 49TH AND 51ST STS., NEAR FIGUEROA ST. LOTS ARE WORTH $850 AND $900 EACH. WATER; BUILDING RESTRICTIONS $1500; $3000 CASH.

$3600—CORNER—$3600.
50x112.
BONNIE BRAE AND GIRARD ST. ONLY 200 FEET NORTH OF PICO ST. GOOD FOR BOTH RESIDENCE OR INCOME.

$7600—100x150—$7600.
CHOICE RESIDENCE LOT ON ALVARADO TERRACE, CHEAPEST THERE.

$3300—75x118—$3300.
REMARKABLY CHEAP 75-FOOT CORNER OF W. 28TH ST. AND LEOTI, SOUTH FRONT. GET THIS.

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—BY

A. B. CHITTENDEN,
315-16-17 UNION TRUST BLDG.,
4th and Spring sts.

INDUSTRIAL ACREAGE
ON
LONG BEACH AVE. AND SANTA FE AVE. SOME PROPERTIES WORTH INVESTIGATING.
FROM ONE ACRE TO NINE ACRES IN A TRACT.
THE PRICES WILL INTEREST YOU.

WHOLESALE PROPERTY
ON
THIRD ST. THIRD ST.
$120 100-FT. FRONT. FRONT FOOT.
CHEAPER THAN ADJOINING PROPERTY.

Third st. in the vicinity of San Pedro st. and Central ave. affords one of the best opportunities for safe and profitable investment. It has and will have more substantial business houses than East Fifth st. The specific property that I am now offering is about 300 feet west of Central ave. and thus most favorably situated in one of the most active business centers in Los Angeles. Active business facilities. Large business street car road. Any property there is cheap at $600 a foot, and I can sell 100 feet at $470 a foot—or only $47,000.

and $12,000 cash will handle it. Beat it if you can for present value, safety and profit.

INVESTIGATE.

CENTRAL AVENUE,
N.½ cor. Fifteenth Street,
50x149.
BUILDINGS THAT PAY AN INCOME.
A CHOICE BUY AT
$150,000.

A. B. CHITTENDEN.
315-16-17 Union Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—

THINK A MINUTE.

IS THERE
ANY BETTER INVESTMENT
THAN HILL ST. PROPERTY.
THAN HILL ST. PROPERTY.

I HAVE A BARGAIN.
ONLY REQUIRING $20,000 CASH.
AND SEVERAL MOST DESIRABLE
SYNDICATE PROPERTIES.

SEE ME AT ONCE.
THEY WILL MAKE YOU MONEY.

A. E. HALSEY,
712 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—$32,500.
SIXTH-ST. CORNER.
TWO BLOCKS EAST OF
HUNTINGTON BUILDING.
81x132.
S. W. WALL STREET.
IMPROVEMENTS—
FRAME BUILDING,
STORE AND ROOMS.
RENTED $27.

P. J. McGARRY & CO.,
SOLE AGENTS. 201 BRYSON BLDG.

EAST FOURTH ST., $18,000.
90x169 TO ALLEY.
NEAR ALAMEDA STREET
WITH SWITCH FACILITY.

EAST FOURTH ST. REFEREES ARE NOW IN SESSION AS TO OPENING THIS STREET INTO THIRD AND ALAMEDA. BOYLE HEIGHTS. THIS WORK WILL BE DONE IN THE COMING YEAR, AND THE PROPERTY WILL THEN BE WORTH $200 PER FOOT AND UPWARD.

P. J. McGARRY & CO.,
SOLE AGENTS.

DOWNEY AVE. $20,000.
N.E. ALTA.
IDEAL HOTEL SITE.

P. J. McGARRY & CO.,
SOLE AGENTS. 201 BRYSON BLOCK.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, AT A BARGAIN, that splendid large corner on E. 9th and Lemon sts., 142 feet fronting on 9th, with 15-foot alley on east side; ideal site for business, warehouse, storage, hay and grain or manufacturing. Nothing like it to be had on that business thoroughfare, and must be sold soon. Terms. Phone West 1169.
Also 82 feet on Kohler st. near E. 7th, old cottages bringing $54 per month; this is close from business center; ripe for apartments; I must let go for less than any like property can be bought for.
Also a 90-foot lot on W. Washington st. near Normandie, for 90 per cent. less than adjoining or near-by property can be bought. PHONE WEST 109 and let me convince you.

FOR SALE—FINE BUY ON MAPLE AVE., close in; also factory site, near S. P. Depot. Call M. E. HOOVER, room 204, 312 W. Third. M. 3611, F 2040.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st.
Business Property Department.

West side Hill st., near Tenth, $1200 per ft. Olive st., near Eight st., only $1200 per ft.

The southwest corner of Main and 28th sts., 120x165. Improvements consist of a good cottage and two flats that can be utilized for stores. Price $40,000; terms, $15,000 cash, balance on time. This is without question the best buy on Main street.

Vermont ave., 30x120, a corner, and the best one between Jefferson st. and Santa Monica ave. Improvements a residence that would cost to duplicate $6000. This house could be moved at small expense to a residence lot close by and leave the corner clear for business. Price $12,000. Terms, $6000 cash, balance time.

Flower st. near Eleventh st. 35x155 to alley. Improvements would cost $6000. Price only $16,000, terms easy.

Near Ninth and Figueroa sts. One of the finest sites for an apartment house in the city. About 18,000 square feet, double frontage, reached by cars of both the Los Angeles Railway and the Inter-Urban lines. Price $30,000.

Another beautiful apartment house site, fronting on three streets, that can be leased for 20 years or more. Owner will not sell.

Sixteenth st. near Vermont. Corner lot, 65x135. Good 6-room house. This will be a business corner. $8500.

West Seventh st., a corner east of Alvarado, 150x140. This can be bought today for $350 per foot.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st.
Business Property Department. 9
FOR SALE—

$40 PER FOOT BELOW MARKET VALUE.

IN THE BEST BLOCK, ON THE BEST STREET EAST OF MAIN.

544-550½ S. SAN PEDRO ST., 100x170 FT., WITH COTTAGES PAYING $124 PER MONTH, OR NEARLY ENOUGH TO COVER THE INTEREST ON A LOAN OF $30,000, WHICH CAN BE PAID ON OR BEFORE 5 YEARS, AT 6 PER CENT. THE BUILDINGS, WHICH ARE CONVENIENT FOR MOVING AT LITTLE EXPENSE, ARE WORTH $8000, AND COST YOU ABSOLUTELY NOTHING, AS THE LAND IS WORTH TODAY $500 PER FRONT FOOT.
THE PRICE IS $46,000, AND ONLY $15,000 CASH IS REQUIRED.
DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE WORK OF PAVING, NOW IN PROGRESS, IS STARTED IN THIS BLOCK. IF YOU DO, THE PRICE WILL BE HIGHER.
THE DEPTH OF IN THE IS OF GREAT VALUE. SITUATED AS THE PROPERTY IS, IN THE HEART OF THE CITY, IT GIVES IT MORE THAN TWICE AS MANY FEET ANY OTHER PROPERTY FOR SALE IN THE BLOCKS BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH STS.

SOLE AGENTS.
L.A.R.B. DEL VALLE & DUNN,
SUITE 816, GRANT BLDG.

FOR SALE—

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
SOLE AGENT.
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

CHEAPEST BUY ON FIGUEROA, EAST SIDE, BETWEEN 9TH AND 10TH. VACANT AND A MONEY MAKER WITHIN THE NEXT YEAR.
$4400 A FRONT FOOT.
60x148.
LIBERAL TERMS. GET THIS QUICK.

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG. 16

FOR SALE—MONROVIA.

THIRTY ACRES.

IN THIS BEAUTIFUL CITY.

ONE BLOCK FROM CARS, 5 BLOCKS FROM SCHOOLS, CHURCHES AND BANK. 18 ACRES IN FULL-BEARING ORANGES; 2 ACRES IN FULL-BEARING OLIVES; 15 PER CENT. NETTED THIS YEAR, 1906. ADJOINING ACREAGE HELD AT $1200 TO $2000 PER ACRE. OUR PRICE FAR BELOW THIS. YOU CAN DOUBLE YOUR DOLLARS IN SUBDIVIDING THIS MONROVIA IS A CITY WITH ALL MODERN CONVENIENCES.

SEE JERNEGAN, WITH
WILLIAM M. LANE CO.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.
HOME A3917, BROADWAY 4619. 9

FOR SALE—

TWO GREAT BUYS.

$20,000—½ cash, 275 feet, on E. Fifth, improved and paying good income; this is only a trifle over $700 per foot, and it is worth $1000, and will sell for that in 60 days.

$27,000—$10,000 cash, 34½ feet, on E. Fifth st., with 2-story brick block; good income; these are absolutely the best buys in city today; this will sell for $34,500 in 60 days. We are sole agents on above.

W. H. NEISWENDER & CO.,
212 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—

WEST NINTH STREET.
WEST NINTH STREET
ONLY $10,000.00
LOT 50x145 TO AN ALLEY.

This property is situated close to Figueroa st., on the south side of Ninth st., toward town from the million dollar cathedral soon to be erected on the opposite side of the street. Also note the big department store to be erected at Ninth and Figueroa. This property is cheap at the price, and will sell for several thousand dollars advance as soon as the purchase is finished. The above figure for a short time only.

B. F. LEWIS & CO., 221 W. First st.

FOR SALE—

VERMONT AVENUE
VERMONT AVENUE
THE BEST BUY ON VERMONT
S. W. CORNER OF 67TH ST.
50x159 TO ALLEY
Investigate and you will buy.

CONWAY & KESSLER,
405-07 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—

BUY THIS!
JUST REDUCED $200
S. W. CORNER MILES AND WALL
$4000
100x142½ TO 12-FOOT ALLEY.
UNRESTRICTED
ON MAPLE AVE. CAR LINE.

Sole Agents, CONWAY & KESSLER,
405-07 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—
CHEAPEST CORNER ON MONETA.
—$3000—
50x135 TO ALLEY.
NORTH OF 53D.
A SNAP.
CONWAY & KESSLER,
405-07 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—UNTIL JAN. 1, 50x90, SPOsato-foot paved street; north front; in fine business district; $250 front foot; a vac chee stool on London bridge and cried "come buy by galeus was sold, and yet his sack was full of galeus sold. J. E. McCALL, Ouro, Wis.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

CUTLER & COMPTON,
417 Pay Building.

$22,000—Corner on Main st. near Adams st., nominal improvements, 80x140.
$15,000—Inside lot, same locality, 50x140. Lot.
$7000—Maple, near 9th, improved, 42x150.
$25,000—Corner on San Pedro, near Washington, improvements bring $5 a month; 150x150.
$75,000—Corner on best part of Washington, 120x165 to alley.
$30,000—Hope, near 9th, 100x162.
$16,000—Central ave., north of Washington, 52x120 to 16-foot alley.
$30,000—Store and flats, east of Central, income over 8 per cent.
$15,000—120 feet frontage on 10th near Figueroa, and 16-foot alley.
$14,000—Trackage, 120 feet on spur, frontage on 2 streets, near Eighth; 25,769 square feet; convenient to car line.
$2,000—6 acres, adjoining city limits, 284 feet on track, 797 feet on good street.
$16,000—Corner near Westlake, 132x150.
$16,500—Close in corner on W. First st., 78x140.
The last 2 good hotel sites.
Also, good acreage for subdivision.
Home A3250. CUTLER & COMPTON.
Main 4205. 417 Pay Bldg.

FOR SALE—
West Second st.
2 stores, 40-room lodging-house,
Corner of Hill;
nt rentals $2500.
e expires August, 1907.
New leases can now be made showing over 8 per cent. net on $40,000.
We secured contract before sale of corner Second and Hill, which brought $1265 per front foot.
This frontage easily worth $800 per foot, the building cannot be duplicated for less than $16,000.
THE PRICE IS $12,500.
Our option is a short one.
This is an extremely safe investment, and has a $7500 margin on a speculative basis.
SEE US TOMORROW.
ROBERT MARSH & CO.,
Main corridor Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—
"FORTUNES IN
LOS ANGELES REALTY."
MAIN STREET BETWEEN
7TH AND 8TH STREETS.
EAST FRONT.
ONLY—$1850—ONLY.
PER FOOT.
VERY EASY TERMS.
80x120.
WE CAN TELL YOU OF BIG THINGS STARTED IN THIS SECTION THAT WILL ENHANCE THE VALUE OF THIS LOT MATERIALLY IN A VERY SHORT TIME.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,
SOLE AGENTS.
319-22 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—$27,500.
We have option on the fine piece of property located on the northwest corner of Third and Hewett streets. This property is
81 feet on 3rd st.,
86 feet on Hewett st.,
151 feet on Stephenson ave.,
180 feet across rear of property.
This property at present time has 7 houses renting for $56.50 per month. This is suitable for a large store and lodging-house, which can be readily rented at good prices.
We can absolutely deliver at $27,500, one-half cash, balance on mortgage at 6 per cent. net.
Look this up then come and see us.
$27,500.
E. B. VAN HORNE & CO.,
508-509 Grant Bldg.
Both Phones Sunset Main 802; Home A9185.

FOR SALE—
I HAVE AN OPTION
at a ridiculous low price on 900 ft. of business property between Sixth and Seventh sts. I will split this in half for two purchasers. Has a railroad switch the entire length. Board of Public Works has approved of a new concrete bridge over the river on E. Seventh st., and Huntington's new car line will be in operation in a few months, bringing this site within 5 minutes of Broadway. When these improvements are in you can make from 75 to 100 per cent. in the next 12 months at the price I can turn this option over to you. Have only a short time on this option at this price, so you will have to hurry. I can assure you this is a snap.
312 Douglas Bldg., Third and Spring.

FOR SALE—
BY ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
BUSINESS PROPERTY BARGAINS.
Grand ave. near 7th, $750 per foot.
50x125—Pico between Figueroa and Constance sts. Cottage.
Figueroa, east front, between 6th and 9th; income $65 a month; $50 a foot, greatest snap on this coming business street; grab it, as there is $10,000 sure profit in this within one year.
$8500—Now, listen! 50x155, Flower street, 9 room house, oak floors, furnace, etc. North of Washington. This is what you have been looking for. Now, act quick, as it will be sold Monday. See Mr. Smith, with
ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
319 Mer. Trust Bldg. Home A3242. M. 3233. 9
FOR SALE—

NORTHWEST
CORNER
FIFTH
AND
GRAND AVE.
50
X
100.
$26,000
LEVEL, SUNNY,
CLOSE IN.
GARDEN CUTBLOCK
ESPECIALLY EXCELLENT
FOR
HOTEL
OR
CLUB.
REGULAR COMMISSION.
STEWART. 253½ S. HOPE ST.

FOR SALE—
$10,000—Elegant corner, 110x170.
S. E. corner Boylston and Mignonette; high location; fine view; elegant for apartment in. This is the cheapest close-in corner in Los Angeles.
$6000—N. E. corner, 61 feet on Mignonette, 150 ft. on Boylston st.
$10,000—S. W. corner W. 21st and Estrella; 65 ft. on 21st; unrestricted; in finest neighborhood; 125 ft. on W. 21st; good for hotel, stores or a fine residence.
$12,000—40 feet on east side Figueroa, 90 feet north of corner of 6th st.; will bring double in a year.

T. WIESENDANGER,
Room 312, 207 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—

INVESTOR—TAKE NOTICE.
DO YOU KNOW A GOOD THING WHEN YOU SEE IT? HERE IS A FINE CORNER ON W. PICO ST., CLOSE IN. 33x144, WITH BEAUTIFUL AND EXCEPTIONALLY WELL BUILT FLAT BUILDINGS ON IT THAT ARE RENTED FOR $175 PER MONTH. I CAN SELL YOU THIS PROPERTY VERY CHEAP IF SOLD BEFORE JANUARY 1ST, AS THE OWNER WILL NEED SOME MONEY BY THAT TIME. CALL AT OUR OFFICE AND WILL EXPLAIN FULLY.

HOLMES-WALTON CO.,
504-6 GRANT BLDG., 4TH & BROADWAY. 9

FOR SALE—

INDUSTRIAL SITE.
BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH STREETS.
ONE OF THE FINEST MANUFACTURING SITES IN THIS CITY, being the northeast corner of Bay and Mateo streets. Bay st. adjoins this property on the north. This piece comprises about 53,000 square feet, and I can make a price on this of $87,500, or for $17,000. This property also adjoins the Southern Pacific R.R. Full commission to agts. Main 952. 219-21 Douglas Bldg.
Home A5174. 34 and spring sts. 11
FOR SALE—

A NATURAL BUSINESS CENTER.
Corner Vernon and Vermont.
Corner Vernon and Vegnont.
$6750.
81x135 to alley.
Only $2000 cash, bal. 6 per cent.
First time offered.

Sole Agents, CONWAY & KESSLER,
405-07 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

INVESTMENT
INVESTMENT
INVESTMENT
NEAR WESTLAKE PARK.

WE CONTROL FOR A SHORT TIME THIS SPLENDID CORNER, CLOSE TO 7TH ST. IT IS A FLAT-IRON IN SHAPE, UNRESTRICTED, AND WOULD BE AN IDEAL LOCATION FOR APARTMENTS WITH SMALL BUSINESS BELOW. IT WOULD BE RENTED ALL THE TIME. AT PRESENT THE PROPERTY IS IMPROVED WITH A LARGE 9-ROOM HOUSE, WHICH MIGHT BE EASILY MOVED, OR RENTED FOR $6 IF DESIRED. THIS CORNER IS 82x189 FEET, AND THE LAST BEING THE EASTERLY FRONTAGE. BUY IT AND IMPROVE AT BIG RETURNS; OR HOLD IT ONE YEAR AND RESELL AT A HANDSOME PROFIT. ITS FUTURE IS WITHOUT QUESTION.
—$10,500—
INGRAM & BRIGGS,
501-2 UNION TRUST BLDG.
S.E. CORNER 4TH AND SPRING.
PHONES F2593; MAIN 39. 9

FOR SALE—

VERMONT AVE. CORNERS.
$1900—N.W. corner of 84th and Vermont; only $620 cash.
$2000—S.W. corner of 83rd and Vermont, 40x130 to alley.
$2300—S.W. corner of 51st and Vermont, 46x138 to alley; only $950 cash.
$2600—S.W. corner of 50th and Vermont, 46x135 to alley.
$2600—S.W. corner of 47th and Vermont, right near where the Grand-ave. line crosses Vermont.

CORNER ON VERNON.
$1650—50x150, clean side of Vernon and Wesley, inside lots are worth $1500 in this same locality.

CORNER ON SAN PEDRO.
$7500—100x175; note the size, corner of 42nd and San Pedro.

CORNER ON MONETA AVE.
$3000—80x140 to alley, and only 210 feet north of VERNON.
$3000—45x135; double clean corner of 55th and MONETA.

STOCKWELL REALTY CO.,
53 Parmalee-Dohrman Bldg., 414 S. Broadway.
Home 370646. Main 6124. 9
FOR SALE—

INVESTMENT EXTRAORDINARY!
RENTALS OVER $300 MONTHLY.
PRESSED-BRICK BUSINESS BUILDING.
$18,000
Takes it, if I can sell at once; terms if desired; this is a new, modern 2-story store at least $25,000 to duplicate today. Don't ask me to "have a little" if you can't see that I am actually giving you $7000, don't consider my proposition. No agents, no commission. Deal with owner at once.
P. O., Hollywood. Home 121, Sunset 921.

FOR SALE—

CAN DELIVER AN EXCEPTIONALLY CHOICE INDUSTRIAL SITE AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF ALAMEDA AND 16TH, FRONTING 274 FEET ON ALAMEDA BY 165 FEET IN DEPTH.
$11,000—$11,000—$11,000
ALSO A BLOCK OF GROUND OF EQUAL SIZE, ADJOINING ON THE EAST FOR
$8500—$8500—$8500
SOUTHERN PACIFIC SPUR TRACK COMPLETED.

GEO. M. SoRELLE,
701 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—

SAN PEDRO STREET.
SAN PEDRO STREET.
THE BARGAIN OF SAN PEDRO ST.
LARGE CORNER NEAR WASHINGTON
—$19,000—
50-FOOT ALLEY.
FAIR IMPROVEMENTS.
You can investigate every corner from Ninth to Adams and you will find this to be away under market, and a decided bargain.

CONWAY & KESSLER,
405-07 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—100 FT. ON W. WASHINGTON st. near Magnolia, improved with 6-room modern cottage and 2 large barns and corrals; also small stone house in rear. This is first class property on the market and is a bargain at $11,500. 50 ft. on W. Washington near Vermont, improved with 7-room 2-story modern house. This is a fine buy at $10,000.

Warehouse site, between 1st and 2d on Geary st., $5000.
Also another at 9th and Alameda, $4000. Both have spur in front of property.

CHAS. L. SAVAGE, 621 Grosse Bldg. Phone Broadway 5016.

FOR SALE—

OUR CHOICEST OFFERINGS.
Intersection of two main thoroughfares.
Worth two ordinary corners.
Real business centers.
$20,000—San Pedro and Washington; 128x144.
$7000—Moneta and Slauson; 135x110.
$8500—South Park and Vernon; 90x140; alley.
$3750—Vermont and Vernon; 97x125; alley.
CONWAY & KESSLER,
405-07 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—

FIGUEROA ST. IS MOVING.
We have the best properties on it, and know the ground thoroughly; here is the OPPORTUNITY.
50x150 to alley.
Good cottage.
ONLY—$14,000—ONLY
And it is north of Washington st.

WILLIAM M. LANE CO.,
205 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.
HOME A3917. BROADWAY 4619. 9

FOR SALE — FINE BUSINESS LOT ON WEST SIDE OF MAIN, BETWEEN SECOND AND FOURTH STS. OPPORTUNITY TO SPECULATE. SPLENDID COME, OR TO HOLD FOR BIG INPRESENT NOMINAL IMPROVEMENTS PAY 8 PER CENT. NICE. SEE THE OWNER'S SOLE REPRESENTATIVE.
BAUGH & DAY, 2. F. RIDENSUNSET MAIN 4762. HOME A6292.

FOR SALE—$4250—80x140, WILLOW ST., near Mateo. Cheapest piece on street by $1750. Look at this bargain.
$4250—40x170, Santa Fe ave., running through to Mesquit.
$600
$3000—40x140, Mimosa st., near 6th.
$1950—40x120, alley, Sacramento st., near Mateo. Cheapest by $780.
This is just a few bargains we have in industrial section.
E. B. VAN HORNE & CO.,
508-509 Grant Bldg.
Both Phones Sunset Main 952. Home A9252.

FOR SALE—

A business lot
Third and Flower.
Look This Up.
Other desirable income
property.

C. P. DEYOE, 202 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—

MAIN STREET.

I have an option on a lot 50x[illegible] st. for only $650 per foot for 8 days. It will be quick or you will regret it.
MAIN 8430.

FOR SALE—FIGUEROA STREET.
A SPLENDID SOUTHWEST CORNER ON THIS THOROUGHFARE. NORTH OF 8TH ST., AND WELL IMPROVED.
LOT 60x300.
PRICE $30,000, ½ CASH.
SEE COOPER, ROBT. MARSH & CO.
H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—

Industrial property on switch, 100 or 200 feet by 117 feet to alley; also rear, one-half block from same, which is to be 100 feet wide; will have electric line right away.
D. DICKINSON, with Strobel & Wells, northwest corner Broadway and Alameda.

FOR SALE—
$10,750. FLOWER ST., NEAR PICO. 50x155 to alley, with 6-room house, nearly new; a corner either for residence or apartments; sell for $12,000, inside of 6 months.
F. M. PHELPS & CO.,
228-229-230 Douglas Bldg.
Both Phones.

FOR SALE—
Three-story brick apartment house, $200 month, on Ruth ave., near 6th; also a
Lot 50x150, cottage rented $30 per month, on Ruth ave., near 6th. $1,000.
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CHEAPEST CORNER ON MATEO.
Southeast corner Mateo and Santa Fe ave.; only $6000. This is only 60 feet from Main, inside property is held at $8000. There is $2500 in this for some live agent.
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$14,500—1241 W. First st., 12 apartments, income $1440.
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$42,000—812 W. Fourth st., 42 apartments, income $4200.
$10,000—218 N. Fremont ave., 16 apartments, income $1620.
$12,000—227 N. Fremont ave., 12 apartments, income $1200.
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Corners this side of the bridge are selling inside property $400; we can make a few days a lot one-half block east at $325 per front foot. HAVE HEARD ABOUT THE BIG FREIGHT HOUSE GOING UP IN THIS SECTION? A sure big advance in a short time. See
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SAN PEDRO STREET.
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Have short time option on lot North of Ninth street, for about $3000 less than any lot offered for sale in that section of

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$125 to alley. EAST FRONT. Lot 6, Vermont Ave. square. PRICE $125 to alley. EAST FRONT. Lot 4, block 9, Vermont Ave. Square. Both lots, ¼ cash on both the above, or INSTRUCTIONS are to raise price Monday, the 11th.
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FOUR-FLAT BUILDING, PAYS 8 PER CENT. NET.
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EAST NINTH STREET,
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$600 FRONT FOOT.
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SPLENDID SOUTHWEST COR
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LOT 60x200.
PRICE $30,000. CASH.
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Industrial property on switch, 1
feet by 132 feet to railroad
one-half block from Vernon
is to be sold at once. Has
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FOR SALE—$50,000—FLOWER ST., RIGHT
$30,000—100x165 to alley; with house, 6 rooms, practically new; a snap for residence or speculation; will trade for $12,000, inside 6 months.
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$30,000—INGRAHAM ST., 60 feet at 44x135 to alley, with (almost) fine apartment house site. Block from Seventh and Figueroa; cheap at $25,000. We have it.
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FOR SALE—
Two-story brick apartment building, 8 month, on Ruth ave., near 5th a

$14,000, cottage rented $22.50 ave., near 4th. $11,000.
Great for office use.
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Flats, cost $4000, rent
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Business property on Spring
ft. on Spring st., corner, 50
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FOR SALE—WE OFFER BELOW ABSOLUTELY AND UNQUESTIONABLY THE GREATEST BUY ON VERMONT AVE.

$1500. 50x175 to alley. $1800.

It faces a 110-foot boulevard where residence property is selling for $3000 a lot; is within 2 blocks of Santa Monica, S. P. R. R. city center, and the converging point of all University car lines, where the business center of Vermont avenue is today, and will remain.

A 50-FOOT UNRESTRICTED VERMONT AVE. BUSINESS LOT, at a price of $1800; what residence property on the cross streets is held for.

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LARGE CORNER ON EAST NINTH STREET.

Absolutely the best buy on the street; near Central ave.; 66x165; improved and cleared ready to go in; $9000 cash will handle this property; this is a proposition you don't find every day. Call and see us; it may interest you.

DOLTON & AUSTIN, 216 WILCOX BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—

VERMONT AVENUE. VERMONT AVENUE.

Corner 62x130 to 14 foot alley, only $2500, easy payments.

This is the bargain of Vermont avenue.

H. G. COOPER & CO., 624 Cit. Nat. Bank Bldg. Main 122. Home 2688. 9

FOR SALE—

GRAND AVENUE.

The best buy on the street, near Washington, $50 per foot less, besides it pays good interest on the investment. 50x120. See us if you want it.

GEO. A. CORTELYOU CO., 534-5 Bradbury Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—

WASHINGTON STREET. $3700—

Fine large business lot on Washington st., east of Main, 50x165 to alley; this is a great bargain; and can deliver at this price for a few days only. For flats, it can't be beat; don't pass this up; it's a money maker.

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FOR SALE—$8250.

—SNAP BUY—

The cheapest piece of property within 2 blocks of 8th and Figueroa. Rents $35 per month. Can't be beat for apartment house. Look this up; it's cheap.

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AN EXCELLENT BUY ON LOS ANGELES ST. ON CORNER SOUTH OF 12TH ST. BARGAIN. SMURR & HARRISON, 236 Byrne Bldg., 3rd and Broadway. Phone A8642. 9

FOR SALE—

LOS ANGELES STREET.

In the heart of the wholesale district, corner 66x150 with 2-story brick block, leased for term of years to good tenants; price $60,000, part cash, might consider nice home in Los Angeles as part payment.

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The southwest corner of Compton and Slauson ave., 97x126, very prominent corner and ripe for a store now, no other near, and plenty of people to support one. The party who buys this corner will reap a handsome reward in the near future.

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CENTRAL AVENUE.

Between 7th and 8th sts., lot 40x110 with 18-room apartment, well rented; price $15,000, terms $5000 cash; this is the cheapest close in property on Central; if interested see me at once.

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ALMOST 12 PER CENT. INCOME.

$6000—Income $576, and always rented, a neat little flat on a 50-foot lot close in on Flower st. The lot alone is worth the money.

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$17,500—Corner on Figueroa st., near Washington st. Lot 60x180 to 20-foot alley, with present improvements it brings in 6 per cent. on price asked. This corner is now taking on a little boom; get wise in time.

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2½ ACRES.

Northwest corner of W. 16th and Concord sts., where lots are selling for $1600 and up; ½ cash. Sole Agent.

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FOR SALE—

WASHINGTON STREET. NEAR GRAND AVENUE. $270 PER FOOT.

70 feet frontage with buildings. This will be on market for a few days only at this figure.

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FOR SALE—

FLOWER STREET. NEAR PICO STREET. WITH IMPROVEMENTS. $10,750.

Lot 50x 155 to alley, with modern 8 room house and barn, cement walks, etc., rent $40.

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FOR SALE—

WEST SIXTEENTH STREET. WEST SIXTEENTH STREET. WEST SIXTEENTH STREET.

Fine modern two-story house, close in, for only $7250. Take advantage of present activity on WEST 16TH ST.? "Nuff sed."

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FOR SALE—AN EXTRA FINE INCOME orange home ranch, Covina; large first-class house and out-buildings, everything up to date, acres, corn & Azusa avenue; will put this ranch and $20,000 to $40,000 cash in business property in Los Angeles. See J. ALLEN TAYLOR, 424 Hellman Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—WAREHOUSE OR FACTORY site, 400 feet frontage on East 9th and Porter streets, with Santa Fe and Salt Lake switches. This is one of the very largest close-in sites on the market today, and very good value at the price, $3,000, half cash. Can secure 100,000 square feet adjoining if desired. YOUNG & ADAMS, Owners, 254 S. Hill street. 9

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I want you to make me an offer on the N.E. corner 41st and Moneta.

13x16□.

MONETA AND VERNON AVES. REALTY CO., N.W. corner Moneta and Vernon, sole agents, 29057. Phone, South 1281. 9

FOR SALE—BUSINESS PROPERTY. HILL street, between 1st and 2nd; 60x165; $1250 per front foot; property adjoining held at $1500 and across the street at $2500; is way under value. January 1st it goes to $1500 per foot. It extends back to Clay street. Watch Hill grow. ARTHUR G. MUNN, 202 Mason Bldg.

FOR SALE—CHOICE BUSINESS PROPERTY, new and modern, stores below, flats and offices above, Vermont and Jefferson; rents $150 per month; only $15,000; ½ cash.

R. W. RICHARDSON, CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO., Main 3000; F4257. 415 Union Trust Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—FIGUEROA ST., BETWEEN FOURTH AND SIXTH. LOT 60x165. OLD COTTAGE $250. A FRONT STREET. THIS PRICE IS MADE FOR QUICK SALE AND ALL CASH TO CLOSE ESTATE BY DECEMBER 21. E. J. FRIEDRICH, 825 DELIVE AGENT, 218 S. BROADWAY, ROOM 327. 9

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Business Property.

FOR SALE—

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Right in the Heights, in the center of business; 60x140 to alley, a two-story pressed brick building, terms only $5000 cash. This is a bargain; $22,000 to suit purchaser.

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FOR SALE—BRICK BLOCK OCCUPIED BY owner; cement basement; second story, hall and lodge-room bringing in good rent; furniture and fixtures go with building. Main business street; $12,500.

For Sale—Two-story brick, leased to good tenants, will bear investigation; main business street. Price $15,000.

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FOR SALE—

PICO HEIGHTS BARGAIN.

50x140; improved with 2 flat buildings; income $1440 year. Price $21,500; only $9500 cash, balance to suit.

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$20,000

Hill st, near Third st., improved, $17,000 cash, balance easy, cheapest property on the whole street.

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FOR SALE—A BIG SNAP.

Less than $200 a front foot, close to 10th and Figueroa, lot 42x200; alley at side; ideal for swell apartment house; exclusive agents.

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FOR SALE—

San Julian between 7th and 9th. Two or three special bargains. Santa Fe ave., between 7th and 12th. 4 pieces for industrial purposes. At less than ruling prices.

9 G. C. EDWARDS, 220 W. First St.

FOR SALE—$4000 WILL PURCHASE FINE business in country store in growing community in small railroad town, only 45 miles from Los Angeles; will bear closest investigation; I seldom advertise a business for sale, and only when I can personally recommend it. R. W. PO...DEXTER CO., 409 Wilcox Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—32x126, 12TH ST., NEAR CENTRAL avenue, soon to be business property; income $18 monthly; price $2000. E. D. LIST, 400 Hellman Bldg., Fourth and Main. NOT Fourth and Spring. Phone 7462.

FOR SALE—INDUSTRIAL INVESTMENT. Santa Fe ave., near Ninth, lot 40x140, to the Salt Lake switch; good 4-room cottage, 2 years old; will guarantee 10 per cent. on this property at the price I can deliver it. Something doing along Santa Fe ave. JOS. E. DAVIS, 718 Pay Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN CLOSE IN property; No. 124 South Flower street; lot 40x160; with six room house; this is a fine location for apartment house, and is a bargain at this price. R. W. POINDEXTER CO., 409 Wilcox Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—HILL ST. BARGAIN, ONLY $5,500; fine 5-room cottage, corner Hill and First; when work is begun on the tunnel, this lot should easily bring $900 per front foot. For particulars see R. W. POINDEXTER CO., 409 Wilcox Bldg.

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FOR SALE—N.W. CORNER WASHINGTON and Hoover, 75 feet on Washington at $250 per foot, $50 less than inside property. See STANLEY, 1321 New England. Phone West 1311. 9

FOR SALE—$9,000; BUSINESS CORNER ON Broadway, 50x100; 4-story brick building; best buy in city, investigate this. LAND SAND AND SEER INVESTMENT CO., 627 Chamber of Commerce. Phone 6625. 9

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58 feet frontage on Ruth ave., near 7th, with two good cottages; rent-business prospect.

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FOR SALE—COMFORTABLE, RENTABLE, modern, furnished house, 7 rooms, reception hall, bath, porches, automobile shed, trees, near cars, stores, schools, neighborhood boarding; improvements worth $2500; lot $1500; furniture $200; all for $3800. 222 E. 28TH. 9

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FOR SALE—$8500; NEW APARTMENT HOUSE AND COTTAGE ON 30TH ST., NEAR CENTRAL AVE.; INCOME $140 PER MONTH; TERMS. HERRON REALTY CO., 201 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. 9

HAVE YOU $2000? MAKE APPOINTMENT to see this property. Modern improvements, paying 16 per cent. on $2000. Safe as any first mortgage and far more profitable. HOME 'PHONE E3054. 9

FOR SALE—2 FINE CORNERS, ONE AT 9th and San Pedro, other at Pico and Fedora, also vacant lot Arlington Heights. E. WILCUT, 507 S. Johnson. Phone East 901. 9

FOR SALE—LOOMIS ST. 260 W. SIXTH. $10,000—60x140, 625 Loomis, hotel site lot. $18,000—80x140, 625 Loomis, apartment lot. OWNER, 207 Copp Bldg. Main 4674. 9

FOR SALE—BUSINESS INCOME CORNER, $10,000; income $1080 now; get this now. Phone A1005, OWNER. 9

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Income Property.

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FOR SALE—DOUBLE APARTMENT HOUSE, 6 rooms one side, 5 on the other; new and modern, lot 50x150 to alley. Fine street; specially adapted for home and income; price $6250; terms.

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FOR SALE—$10,000. LOT 33x245. HAS DOUBLE FRONT RUNNING THROUGH FROM 16TH TO 11TH STS. BETWEEN MAIN AND CENTRAL AVE. FINE NEW 16-ROOM APARTMENT, AND 3 COTTAGES; PRESENT INCOME $160 PER MONTH, WHICH IS LOW. TERMS. HERRON REALTY CO., 201 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. 9

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FOR SALE — 4 FLATS, $25,000; PAYING more than 6 per cent.; always rented; close in, on Hill st.; 56 large sunshine rooms; easy terms. Address E. box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 9

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FOR SALE—FURNISHED FLAT OF SIX rooms, $75; or would rent to responsible parties at $65 per month; adults only. Flat V, 815 W. NINTH. 9

FOR SALE—6-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, LOT 50x172. For particulars see OWNER, 2621 Michigan ave. 9

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Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE ABOUT EVERY first-class hotel and rooming house in the city at the very best prices and can suit you as to location. See JACKSON, with PRATT, 334 Mason Bldg., 4th and Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—ROOMING HOUSES, ONE OF 24 rooms, $2000; one 27 rooms, close in, $3000; one of 16 rooms, all light rooms, $1000. I have many others. See JACKSON, with PRATT, 334 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—$900 WILL HANDLE ROOMING house of 16 rooms, clearing over $100 per month; first-class location, full year round, long lease. PHONE A8630 or address E. box 179, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE, 12 ROOMS; good location; reasonable rent; net monthly income $67; must sell next week; will sacrifice. 817 S. OLIVE.

FOR SALE—LODGING-HOUSE—20 ROOMS, rent $55, $850; 20 rooms, transient, clearing $200, $5000; 50 rooms, income $500; will take good trade. HARTLEY, 401 Bullard Block. Phone 1102. 9

FOR SALE—21 ROOMS, 27H AND BROADway, yours this week for $1400, money maker; look at this. 302 PAY BLDG. 9

FOR SALE—$1000 CASH WILL PLACE YOU in possession of a 200-room modern apartment house. PHONE A1683. 10

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FOR SALE—WELL FURNISHED 18-ROOM lodging-house, rooms full, pays $45 above rent with 2 rooms for self, rent $45, lease 7½ S. FLOWER. 9

FOR SALE—A 24-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE, rooms all filled, a snap. 419 CROCKER. 9

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE 13 ROOMS, all furnished, good location, cheap rent. 772 CERRES AVE. 10

FOR SALE—THE BEST DOWNTOWN rooming-house, long liberal lease, cash; price right. Address Box 261, Station C.

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FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 2 FLATS, 5 and 6 rooms, separate or together, 841½ S. GRAND. 9

FOR SALE—SEE THIS 26-ROOM HOUSE. Terms. Party going to Arizona. See owner, 534 S. Hill. 9

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—

8 rooms, Fourth and Hill streets; get highest prices; $350.

10 rooms, Figueroa and Eighth streets, very nice, $600.

12 rooms, fine place on the hill, $650.

16 rooms, new building, elegant furniture, $750.

18 rooms on one floor, all outside, $800.

19 rooms on Broadway, rent $75, transient, $1200.

22 rooms on the hill, paying well, $1250.

34 rooms, S. Spring, transient, long lease, $2000.

26 rooms, Hill street, between Third and Fourth, $1200, a snap.

41 rooms, Pasadena, men's house, clears over $100, close to business center, $1200.

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72 rooms, Westlake district, elegantly appointed. Income about $500, for $7500; will take realty.

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37 rooms, Main street corner, good permanent and transient house, $2700.

38 rooms, one of the best houses on Main street; large rooms, all light, $4200.

45 rooms, men's house and transient, present owner has made a fortune in it and wishes to retire; only $3000.

48 rooms, newly furnished, filled with permanent roomers, paying over $200 clear, a sacrifice at $2750; good terms.

46 rooms, facing Central Park, will trade for realty, $5000.

52 rooms, Hill street, every room occupied, will take realty, $2500, and cash $1000.

60 rooms, 2 blocks from City Hall, very low rent; good lease, always full; will take smaller house in exchange.

60-room new building and furniture of highest class; 5 years' lease; no dark rooms; as good in summer as winter; clears $240 per month actual figures; a snap at $3500.

52 rooms, 5 years' ease at $3 a room; great transient house, making big money; will sell for $4000.

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ROOMING-HOUSES.

FURNISHED FLATS.

Handsomely furnished flats from $390 to $700.

8 rooms; rent $27.50; price $250; W. 4th st.; clears $30 a month.

12 rooms, price $900; rent $55; lease; house-keeping apartments; income over $100; S. Bunker Hill.

33 rooms; rent $150; price $1750; $500 cash and balance easy; apartment house and every room sunny; all separate entrances; five in one apartment and net $100; 5-year lease to responsible party. South Hope st.

49 rooms; rent $160; price $2000; terms; lease; clears $150; rooms full year round; E. Fourth st.

42 rooms; rent $125; price $2500; terms; good lease; housekeeping apartments and rooms; clears $125; Maple ave.

52 rooms; rent $312; apartments and rooms; this is one of the most elegant places on the hill, on Grand ave.; all outside rooms and no danger of being shut off; this palace coins money the year round; if you see it, you'll buy.

65-room apartment house; rent $425; lease, 4 years; price $6500; all light rooms; Stearns beds; 21 elegant bathrooms; largest clothes closets in the world; sun parlor and many other unique attractions, $4500 will start you here; averages year round $900 income; this is the offering of the year; on the hill.

90 rooms, near Central Park; 29 apartments; nets $6000 a year; absolutely modern; this is one of the city's show places.

OF THE SMALLER ESTABLISHMENTS, WE HAVE THE PICK OF THE BEST.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. Rooming-house Department. 9

FOR SALE—$15,000.

"Hotel Hollyrood,

Riverside's most popular hostelry.

Splendidly located. Modern in every respect. Doing a first-class business. Contains 75 rooms. Modern furnishings throughout.

For further particulars apply to M'KENZIE & PEDLEY, Arlington Place, Riverside, Cal.

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34 rooms, a fine corner, new building, elegant furniture, modern house, close in, best location, long lease, clearing $290 per month, year around. This can be bought cheap. Owner leaving city.

40 rooms, Spring st., low rent, lease, only $700 cash to handle this.

20 rooms, Hill st., $1100.

37 rooms, lease 4 years, $2300.

56 rooms, near 6th and Olive, long lease, fine furniture, $4000.

HEBER & COOPER, 9 311 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—LOOKING FOR A ROOMING-house, large or small? See our list. Four years in business. List yours.

Beautiful modern 7-room flat, close in on hill, only $425.

Broadway, 26 rooms, rent $100, lease three years, good and clean, $2000.

Main, 24 rooms, rent $120; lease 2 years, all right, $2400.

Beautiful 36-room apartments, rent $125; lease 3 years, $3200. Many others.

MRS. McFATRIDGE, 319 S. Spring. Home A7235. 9

FOR SALE—

If you are looking for one of the best paying apartment and rooming-houses in the city, centrally located, containing 32 newly furnished rooms, all of the halls and stairways thoroughly carpeted, numerous on the first and second floors, general washroom in basement, linen room and other conveniences, together with a lease for three years; rooms all occupied with permanent roomers; owners leaving the city; $100 will handle this property; will extend liberal terms for balance; you must be dealing with owners. Address D, box 22, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—

Hotels, rooming houses and apartment houses on terms to suit purchaser; big, little, old and young, any size and at most any price; new houses to lease unfurnished; city and country hotels sold and exchanged, money loaned to purchasers on any place we sell; established in Los Angeles June, 1894. No other business. J. R. RICHARDS HOTEL BROKERS CO., 321 Laughlin Building.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—

42-room apartment and rooming-house, two years' LEASE, one block from TIMES OFFICE; owner unable to give it personal attention, hence would consider small ranch or city property. Price $3000.

W. A. VARCOE & CO., 9 317 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—I HAVE THE SOLE AGENCY for 2 exceptionally good rooming-houses at exceptionally low prices; both have good furniture and carpets; full of roomers the year around; location of both houses is the very best, on outside rooms, rent less than $5 per room; one has 20 rooms, the other 26 rooms; price cheap for $2000; one of these places sold a short time ago for $3000. J. C. FLOYD, Sole Agent, 203 Mason Opera house.

FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSES PAY large incomes in Los Angeles; we have about every class of good-paying and well-furnished rooming-house on our list that now can be had in Los Angeles listed at this office, from $200 to $94,700. Don't buy until you see PHOENIX REALTY CO., 202 and 204 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE — OVER 50 OUTSIDE SUNNY rooms, always rented, corner, center of business district; clearing about $300 net per month; long lease; reasonable rent; can be handled for $3500; would consider clear lots or walnut grove and some cash; will bear investigation; no agents. Address F, box 70, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—CHOICE HOTEL AND LODGing-house, 84 rooms, close to business section of city; paying 15 per cent. net on investment. Come and talk it over with us. PURCELL & KERN, 330 H. W. Hellman. 9

FOR SALE—$2900, 44 ROOMS, LEASE, —clears $200 month; $4100, 18 rooms, lease, clears $125 month; $1100, 14 rooms, lease, clears $100 month; $1400, 16 rooms, lease, clears $120 month; $1600, 26 rooms, lease, clears $140 month; $2350, 30 rooms, lease, clears $250 month; $1800, 24 rooms, lease, clears $200 month. WATSON, 649 Huntington Bldg. Main 4554, F7769. 9

FOR SALE—BEST PAYING LITTLE rooming-house in city; 10 rooms, well furnished; 7 year, 3 months' lease, rent $60, price $1200. This is centrally located and commands good prices, and is always full; pays about $100 net per month. ANGELUS REALTY CO., 218 Delta Bldg., 628 S. Spring. F7600. 9

FOR SALE — $3600; ROOMING-HOUSE, 41 rooms, nearly new; 2 years' lease; rent $135 a month. Inquire 519 Temple st. 9

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—

COME TO HEADQUARTERS.

54 rooms, modern, Broadway, receipts $700 per month; price of furniture and lease $2500; terms.

60 rooms, very central corner, modern, rent $320; earns $375 month; furniture and lease, $7500.

APARTMENT-HOUSES.

90 rooms Grand ave., close in, modern, averages $375 a month profit; good lease; price of furniture, $10,000; terms.

65 rooms, close in, every apartment with bath and steam heat, rent $325; price of furniture and lease, $10,000.

120-room apartment-house, on the hill, gross receipts, $2000 a month; rent $670; long lease; can handle furniture and lease with $10,000.

A.-P. HOTELS.

53-room country hotel and bar, doing $2100 a month; rent $235 on 5-year lease; price $4500.

85-room country hotel and bar, doing $3000 a month without bar; fine equipment; price $14,000; 1-3 cash.

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Two hotels in Southern California to lease furnished.

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FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSES. A FEW OF OUR BARGAINS.

24 rooms, beautifully furnished, swell location. A bargain at $2250. Consider good trade.

I WILL C. PRATHER.

A bargain, 22 rooms, newly furnished, for only $2000. Will trade for good real estate.

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Swell hotel, best location, steam heat, elegant dining-room, seats 200, netting about $1000 per month. Rare bargain. Would consider real estate.

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A seven room flat, elegantly furnished, close in and desirable, if you are particular, and want something above the average, see us.

12 rooms, Westlake way, particularly adapted to keeping boarders, Owner will become a permanent tenant.

14 rooms, $1250, Central ave., a good money maker.

25 rooms, $2000; $100 net per month.

55 rooms, will take $2500 in cash or trade for the equity.

50 rooms, $2000.

All of these properties are worthy of investigation for they are making money.

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OPPORTUNITY,

It won't chase you forever. Get wise and use your own judgment. We have a lodging and housekeeping apartment house, of thirty furnished rooms. It has made owner independent, and on account of age he wants to quit. Will sell for 3-4 present value, $6000 cash, balance terms, or clear property, at Santa Monica prefered. If you have the money down you will also have the property after close investigation, but you will have to act promptly. Location increasing in value. 1019-1025 SIXTH STREET, Santa Monica Realty Co., 205-10-11 Henne Bldg., Main 6416, A6416, or Hotel Atlanta, Santa Monica. 9

FOR SALE—12 ROOMS, $750; NICE PLACE on W. Ninth st.

16 large rooms on S. Figueroa; fine furniture; furnace; a splendid place; $1450; terms.

60 rooms, very close in; only $240 rent; good lease; splendid money maker summer and winter; only $4500, on terms.

The swellest 60-room house in the city; elegantly furnished; steam heat in every room; pays big money, and can be bought at a sacrifice, on account ill health; don't miss this if you want something fine.

L. C. MILES & CO., 336 Citizens' Bank Bldg. Home 8337. Main 6449. 9

FOR SALE—IT HAS GOT TO GO. 24-room house on S. Hill st., near Seventh st., old established place, clean and well furnished; price should be $3500, but owing to circumstance owner must sacrifice for $2000; mortgage $550; $1000 cash, would take lot for balance, $450; here is a chance for some one to make money.

For Sale—

WE HAVE A FINE LIST OF APARTMENT AND ROOMING HOUSES, any size, any price, we have 5 or 6 to exchange for real estate; if you are looking for anything in this line WE HAVE IT. SEE

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22 ROOMS, ALL NEW AND MODERN, I OWN THE BUILDING AND FURNITURE. I WANT TO SELL THE FURNITURE AND GIVE LEASE ON BUILDING. WILL TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY TO THE RIGHT PARTY I WILL GIVE TERMS THAT WILL SUIT HIM SOME MONEY. RICHMOND PLANT, 720 OTTAWA ST. (BETWEEN 10TH AND 11TH, OFF FIGUEROA.) HOME 'PHONE E7524. 9

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TO LET—A REALLY SUMPTUOUSLY FURnished, very large 9 or 10-room, beautifully located, close-in residence, with every modern convenience and in fine condition; upright piano, many thousands of dollars worth ornaments, paintings and oriental goods imported from abroad; will rent all as it stands for $65.00 monthly. Large lawn, palm trees and banana trees, beautiful lawn, suitable for swell residential home, or you could make it into rooming house; best location in town. 1035 S. Hope st., and see PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—A BONA FIDE BARGAIN. New 10-room, newly furnished; fully occupied; 28 rooms, on car line, only 5 minutes' walk from Angels' Flight.

Price $2900; will take part in good vacant lots.

Owner just fallen heir to some property in east and cannot leave at once; 3 years' lease at $150 per month.

THIS IS REALLY A RARE FIND.

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26 rooms, rent $90, price $2500.

Also 22 rooms, well furnished, rent $5.50 per room, price $2500.

Another, 20-room house, rent $90, good income.

Have many other good-paying propositions too numerous to mention. All close in, from $475 to $12,000.

C. F. SCOTT, 9 205½ S. Broadway, room 26. Phone A7258.

FOR SALE—LODGING-HOUSES.

$1400—20 rooms, rent $45; long lease; snap.

$1500—23 rooms, rent $90; long lease.

$1600—28 rooms; rent $100; 3 years' lease; close in; good furniture.

$4000—58 rooms, cheap rent; Main st., close in; part cash; finely furnished houses of all sizes and prices in all parts of the city. WUERZ & BRUBAKER, 1344½ N. Spring. 9

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$6300—Best paying hotel in the city, lease five years, near my office.

$2750—48 sunny rooms, well furnished, three blocks away.

$1050—26 rooms, close in, sunny.

$2200—32 furnished rooms in business center. See me before you buy anything.

HEATH, 321½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSES—BARGAINS

6 rooms—E. Eleventh st., good home; $300.

6 rooms—E. Seventh st., cheap for $275.

8 rooms—S. Figueroa st., with piano; $650.

16 rooms—W. Eleventh st., O.K.; $450.

11 rooms—Olive st., new furniture; $850.

11 rooms—Wall st., income $40 month; $750.

14 rooms—S. Grand ave.,

FOR SALE—Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—
BIG MONEY MAKERS.
20 rooms; rent $200; lease 4 years; new brick building; close in.
42 rooms; new, modern, brick; low rent; long lease; clears $250 to $300.
26 rooms of excellent furniture; rent $50; good lease; clears $125.
14 rooms; long lease; low rent; good income. E. First st.

FOR SALE—Country Property.

FOR SALE—BY
SERVICE BROS.,
202 Frost Bldg.

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WALNUT LAND.

2000 ACRES.

In subdivisions 5, 10, 20-acre lots up, $175 to $350 per acre; ¼ cash, in the famous San Gabriel Valley, the garden spot of Los Angeles county; admittedly the finest walnut and alfalfa section in Southern California; the most abundant water supply; the deepest and richest soil; get in on the ground floor; this is positively our last subdivision of Lucky Baldwin's famous rancho, La Puente, and the last chance to get choice acreage at first cost direct from the owner. During the past 12 months we have sold about $1,000,000 worth of land for Mr. Baldwin in this district, and in nearly every case to practical farmers. And while alfalfa and walnut growing continues to be the chief attraction, this soil is equally adapted to the growing of potatoes, corn, berries, and all other kinds of garden truck; 1600 inches of water have been developed on this great ranch during the past year, and the growing crops of alfalfa, the beautiful young orchards, attest to the richness and fertility of the soil. This tract is close to Los Angeles, traversed by the Southern Pacific, close to the salt Lake, and convenient to the Los Angeles-Covina branch of the Pacific Electric. Are you aware that Mr. H. E. Huntington has purchased 1000 acres in this district recently. That means quick development and speedy doubling of values. Reader, this is your opportunity. Come into our office and see maps and get further particulars. Remember, the terms, only

ONE-FOURTH CASH,
BALANCE IN 3 YEARS.

5-acre lots adjoining El Monte, $300 per acre, ¼ cash.

18-acre walnut orchard at El Monte; trees 10 years old; 7-room house, pumping plant, 1 inch water; a nice little place; price $12,000; like residence up to $25,000.

15 acres full-bearing walnut orchard near El Monte; first-class in every way; $9000 taken it this week; think of it, ¼ cash.

118-acre walnut orchard at El Monte, trees 12 years old, only $250 per acre; snap.

40½ acres 3 blocks from Covina electric line in lots of 10 acres and up, $175 per acre, with 160 inches of water only $225 per acre, ¼ cash.

80-acre walnut orchard, trees 11 years old, a splendid orchard in every respect; 10 miles to city, 2 miles to El Monte, $450 per acre.

$8400—28 acres at El Monte, planted to walnuts last spring; 20 horse-power pumping plant; fine location. This is a decided bargain at $300 per acre; ¼ cash.

35-acre walnut orchard in El Monte; town on main street, suitable for subdivision; trees one-half 4 years old, balance 3 years old; modern buildings; price $18,000, clear; take half in good city residence.

40 acres near El Monte, 15 acres in alfalfa, all choice walnut land, new pumping plant, 150 inches water, modern 8-room house, $15,000; ½ cash.

10 acres full-bearing walnut orchard, trees in perfect condition, soil second to none; abundance of water; 1-4 mile from new car line; price $7000, 1-3 cash.

50-acre walnut orchard at El Monte; trees planted over 4 years; every tree perfect; fine stand alfalfa between trees; 300 inches water; modern buildings; 12 miles to city; ¾ mile electric line; this is a gem; price $25,000. Take part in city residence or business.

24 acres adjoining town El Monte, all in walnuts, 7 acres bearing, balance young trees, good 5-story 7-room house, gasoline plant, 100 inches water, 2 blocks to electric line, 12 miles Los Angeles; price $16,000; easy terms.

Building lots in El Monte, $300 each; easy terms.

5-acre lots, ¼ mile from car line at El Monte, choice soil, $3 miles from city, only $1500, ¼ cash.

FOR SALE—Country Property.

$100 PER ACRE.

640 ACRE RANCH HIGHLY IMPROVED AND ALL UNDER CULTIVATION. This price includes 8 head of good horses, 20 cattle, farming implements, wagons, etc. This is one of the best ranches in San Luis Obispo county, and will not better than 8 per cent. on the above price. 70 acres in fruit and walnuts, flowing springs of good water on the place. This price will not last long. See me at once.
THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, Sole Agent.
Main 922. 319-21 Douglas Bldg.,
Home A3974. 3d and Spring sts. 11

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, 20 ACRES, all in lemons; income last year $2500; price $16,000. Want city; will pay $10,000 to $15,000 difference.
B. F. BACON,
212 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—Alfalfa ranch, 40 acres, pumping plant, fine house and barn, 20 cows, 10 head young stock, 500 chickens, 2 horses, wagons and all farming tools; price $9000.
B. F. BACON,
212 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—RANCH, 42 acres, all in alfalfa, good stand, pumping plant, plenty of water, house and barn, outbuildings; near Santa Ana electric car, 6 miles south of city limits; price $300 per acre.
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212 W. Second st.

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Ground floor, main entrance,
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG.
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Los Angeles, Cal.
Main 1785.

FOR SALE — WE HAVE 2 VERY FINE general purpose ranches for sale; one of 1200 acres, only $15 per acre, including cattle, horses, wagons and all farming implements; one of 1950 acres, $12.50 per acre, including team, cow, chickens, farming implements; 240 acres seeded to barley; these are both fine places; it will pay you to come in and see about these; no better buys in State; must consider about $2000 exchange on each one. L. R. TAYLOR REALTY CO., 135 Stimson Bldg. Main 1052, 7276.

FOR SALE—

ABOUT 23 ACRES—$22,000.

Douillard Tract, one-half mile from present city limits on right of Los Angeles Railway, Eagle Rock division; just south Division street, fine location, plenty water; one-third down. Call for further information at 403 CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BLDG., 3rd and Main sts., or SMITH, Home Phone 6006.

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630 acres of the best land in Kern county; soil is a decomposed granite and not a trace of alkali; 250 inches of water; land is level with just enough slope for irrigating; price $45 per acre; very easy terms; adjacent lands selling at $75 to $100 per acre. We believe this is the best ranch buy in California.
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474-5-6 Pacific Electric Bldg.
"We are authority on irrigated lands."

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, SOME NICE 5 and 10 acre tracts to suit the purchaser, at from $250 up to $500 per acre, and they are close in and handy to schools, both grammar and high school, and close to town, and a water right with all except that in grapes now. When you want some fine homes in the best climate on the earth and the cheapest prices, just come in and see F. A. J. SHAFFER, THE HUSTLER, or real estate agents, Norwalk and Artesia, Cal.

FOR SALE—
SAN LUIS OBISPO.
On the coast line of the Southern Pacific Railroad, between San Francisco and Los Angeles. Perfect climate. Stock, grain and orchard lands for sale at low prices. No irrigation required. Ideal conditions for small farms. Rich in minerals. For complete information and illustrated matter, address CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, San Luis Obispo, Cal.

FOR SALE—
One of the best small ranches in California. Has made a fortune for its owners and will pay for itself every three years. Fifteen acres in peaches, apricots, grapes, oranges, lemons figs, etc. Good buildings, windmill and other improvements. 40 acres in all. Price, $7000. Small amount down, long time for balance. Situate 2½ miles from Bakersfield, near old fields.
SWEET BROS.,
R. F. D. 1, Bakersfield, Cal.

FOR SALE—
40 acres at Lemon Station, $12,000. 7-room house, large barn, chicken houses and corrals, 14 horsepower pumping plant, 8 acres budded walnuts 6 years, 5 acres 2-year and 3 acres 1-year, 5-Small family orchard, 20 acres in alfalfa, fenced with hog tight fence, 20 minutes' walk to good school, store, post-office and depot. $3500 cash, balance to suit at 7 per cent.
SERVICE BROS., 202 Frost Bldg., L. A.

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—

A FEW WORDS ABOUT GRAPE CULTURE IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.

Any one looking for a profitable home will do well to consider the wine industry in Northern California, which is only in its infancy at the present time and offers opportunities for investment that are not equaled in any other branch of agriculture in this or any other State.

A good vineyard yields a larger and more certain income in proportion to the amount of capital invested than anything else we know of. Northern California is particularly well adapted to the growing of wine grapes and is already fast becoming one of the great wine-producing countries in the world.

We have made a special study of vineyard lands and we have on our list some splendid properties, both improved and unimproved.

For those who wish to start from the bottom and work up we can offer first-class unimproved land near railroad and good town, for from $40 to $50 per acre. We have one tract of 200 acres that we can sell for $50 per acre, that is all grape land. Another of 600 acres for $18.50 per acre, that is only 3 miles from railroad and county seat of one of the most prosperous of the northern counties. Then we have small improved ranches with some vineyard already started and lots of land still to be planted; for example, we have 50 acres of hill and valley land, 3 miles from railroad station, that has 7 acres of bearing vines, 2 acres of orchard, 6-room house, barn and outbuildings, that we can sell for only $300. This is a good start for a small investment. For $5000 we have a splendid property of 159 acres, 2½ miles from railroad, 20 acres in vines, house, barn, etc., together with 4 head of stock and complete farm implements, there are beautiful shade trees around the house and fine water; this is a good start and can soon be made worth twice the amount. For $7000 we have a 20-acre ranch, with 22 acres in bearing vines, 80 acres farm, 8-room house, barn, etc., all fenced, has some fine redwood trees and living springs of water. If you want a smaller home and one that is all improved we have 15 acres in full-bearing vines that we can sell for $12,000; a fine 7-room house, a stone wine cellar (150,000 gallons' capacity,) wine press, wagon, horse, farming tools, etc., close to town and railroad station.

For the man that can afford to purchase a first-class improved vineyard, we have a beautiful place on which all the hard work of getting started is already done and is producing a fine income. We have an ideal country home, consisting of 194 acres, near the railroad, within 100 miles of San Francisco; it has 43 acres of full-bearing choice wine grapes and nearly all the balance is good grape land, has a modern 13-room Eastlake residence with 2 bathrooms, beautifully furnished and decorated, situated on a wooded knoll, surrounded by lawns, shrubberies and ornamental trees, and has 2 beautiful fish ponds. The house commands a grand view of the surrounding mountains and valley; there are 2 large barns, a nice farmer's cottage of 3 rooms and bath, some dairy houses, cellars, etc., water piped to all the buildings from mountain springs. The price $35,000, and it is really a beautiful home and will pay a large interest on the money invested from the start. We have many other properties, both large and small, and we should like to show them to any one interested in purchasing a home in Northern California. For further information about these lands write or call on

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San Francisco, Cal.

FOR SALE—
The compliments of the season to you, and, say! Did you attend the Parade of Products at Santa Ana in Orange county on the 4th inst? Wasn't that a stunner? For an all-round, honest, straight up and down common sense display of practical, money-making, what-you-need-every-day products of the richest soil and most glorious climate of this world or any other. Orange county took first prize. From oranges, walnuts, oil wells, celery, all the way down through the fruit and vegetable kingdoms to eggs and peanuts, Orange county is in it, with both feet. The parade was indeed a revelation to many strangers who were not familiar with the unbounded possibilities and great diversities of Orange county's products. But what I want to say at this time is, I have been in the real estate business in Orange—the garden spot of this banner county, for twenty years. I have all the best bargains on the market and can give intending buyers several practical pointers as to where and what to buy as an investment. Orange, walut, apricot and mixed ranches, all sizes and prices. Also some very desirable chicken ranches from $700 to $1500, good buildings, easy terms. 20 acres good rich soil, water stocked at $125 per acre. Then in town property I can sell you a nice, modern, 8 or 6-room cottage and large lot, which would cost you $4000 in Los Angeles, for $1500 to $1800. At the top of the heap I am offering a 41-acre orange grove of young Valencia and Navel trees. Income past season $4000. Fine building, only $425 per acre. On terms. A description and picture of this last named bargain will be sent you on application. For further information write me.

S. M. CRADDICK,
Orange, Cal.

FOR SALE—THINK OF THIS.
15 acres of deep, rich soil, southwest of the city on car line for
$300 PER ACRE.
10 acres between the city and the ocean, few minutes from the city, in the artesian water belt.
$250 PER ACRE.
8 acres on San Pedro car line, near McKinley Home, with water.
$500 PER ACRE.
5, 10 or 20 acres, east of the city, 15 minutes from the city, 10c car fare, $250 to $350 per acre, ¼ cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years at 6 per cent.
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Deep, rich soil with water, near Greater Los Angeles.
EASY TERMS.
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$2500. Best snap in Los Angeles county; 16 acres good land, 4 acres fruit, 2 acres vineyard, 6-room modern house, 3 flowing wells, store building and small stock groceries; large mill with fine machinery (bringing income of $1000 a year,) close to schools, railroad depot; terms.
$9000. 20 acres fine land, 8-room two-story hard finished house, barn, etc., 16 acres alfalfa, fine well and pumping plant, 10 cows, wagons, buggies, all implements, chickens, hay and corn; owner has made a fortune from this place and wishes to retire; terms.
Have some nice chicken ranches which I would be glad to show you.
If you are looking for a farm or home in the country, write me what you want and I can get it for you.
E. CALDICOTT, Norwalk, Cal.

FOR SALE—
$25 an acre, for level alfalfa land, 5 miles from rapidly-growing city of 5000; excellent shipping facilities and local market; well adapted for alfalfa, grapes or sugar beets. Water practically free for 500 acres, easily developed for remainder. Farmers and fruit growers are making fortunes in this locality on similar land. This is the lowest-priced property in the neighborhood, and we can resell it in small parcels at double or treble the price if purchaser desires; 1000 acres, over 200 now in alfalfa; act quickly; option expires soon.
THE FARM LAND CO.,
721 Merchants' Trust Bldg., 207 S. B'way.
Member L.A.R.B. and State Realty Federation, which assures "a square deal."

FOR SALE—
G. H. UMBSEN & CO., 20 Montgomery st.,
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If you are looking for a good investment buy 5, 10, 20 or 40 acres in our New Colony Tract.
Located in the Sacramento Valley in the first Government Irrigation District formed in this State. Railroad station on place; price $30 per acre; 10 per cent. purchase price cash, the balance installments to suit purchaser. No interest, no taxes; immediate possession if desired.
Write for particulars.
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Manager Country Department.

FOR SALE—
Ten acres first class land for $2000 in a community where similar land is selling for $3500 and $4000 per acre. This 10 acres is 660 feet square, lies about 2000 feet from two electric car lines, is on a good street and abundantly supplied with water flumed to land from a plant pumping over 400 miner's inches, 25 minutes from Second and Spring streets.
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El Mirador Orange Cove. The earliest orange, vine and wheat district in America; orange harvest commenced October 25; nine large packing-houses now running full blast; foothill location, absolutely free from frost; breakwaterlike windbreak; ideal climate. Oranges pay from $200 to $1000 per acre; winter vegetables, $250, and table grapes, $200 per acre.
These lands sell $50 to $200 per acre.
Sold in 10-acre tracts or larger, on easy terms, $7.50 per month buys 5 acres.
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"GO TO GARDENA."
In direct line of city's growth; towards the harbor at San Pedro; the garden spot of Los Angeles county; a berry, vegetable, alfalfa, dairy and poultry section.
For Sale—$450; 5 acres, arranged for dairy and poultry; 5-room house, large barn, corrals, chicken houses and runs, laying hens; thoroughbred Rhode Island Reds, 1 horse, 12 milch cows, 3 brood sows and pigs; surrey, farming tools; income about $180 a month; owner not able to see after ranch.
$7000—5 acres, owing to sickness and inability to longer see after it, one of the best improved close-in ranches is now offered for sale; good 6-room house, large shade trees, roses, flowers, lawn, cement walks, variety of fruits, orange, lemons, etc.; 2 barns; deep well and pumping plant, costing over $1400; horse and buggy; chickens, etc.; good time on deferred payments.
$3500—2 1-4 acres, in alfalfa, modern 6-room cottage, 1 block from car line, in Gardena.
$3500—5 acres, 4-room plastered house; ½ mile from car line.
$3500—10 acres; if you are looking for a home close to electric line, within 5 minutes' walk of stores, school and churches; look at this before buying; 4-room house, barn, fruit trees, berries and alfalfa; water for irrigating and domestic use; sandy loam soil.
$2500—5 acres; house and barn, variety fruit, roses, shade trees; ½ mile from car line.
$4200—8 acres, 2 in bearing walnuts; 4 in alfalfa, interest in large pumping plant; house, sheds and corrals.
$20,000—58 acres for subdivision; a sandy loam soil; the new electric line surveys crosses it.
$7000—14 acres, loam soil, now in stubble; ½ mile from school; fine to divide into acre lots.
Some good exchanges to offer both in city and country.
Phone 172. W. M. GRAY, Gardena, Cal.

FOR SALE—
57 acres on main line, 1½ miles from railroad division town; splendid land for earliest crops in Southern California; grapes, melons, figs or alfalfa; produces more and product brings higher prices than any other district.
This adjoins the "show place" of the neighborhood, and the soil is identical. The price is far below that of adjoining property. A fortune can be made by cultivating it, and it is future trackage and business property. Option expires soon; act quickly.
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FOR SALE—ONE-ACRE RANCH, 2-ROOM cottage, fine well, windmill, tank, water piped on place, all under fence, 4½ miles from city; will sell to colored parties; price $1400. Address D, box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

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CLEMINSON & KAUFFMAN.
EL MONTE.
We are agents for a large amount of acreage along the line of the new Covina electric line, that we can sell from $175 to $300 per acre; this land lies under the La Puente Water Company's plant, which has a capacity of 1000 miner's inches; this soil is adapted for most all farming purposes, especially berries; Imeahauethie wine grapes; ideal climate. Oranges pay from $200 to $1000 per acre; winter vegetables, $250, and table grapes, $200 per acre.
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FOR SALE—DOWNEY.
RICH DOWNEY ACRES.
MOST FERTILE DISTRICT IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.
Here is an extra fine proposition in a 42-acre ranch, now set to walnuts, peaches and berries, which could be cut up for chicken ranches; only 250 yards from Workman station, Salt Lake R.R., 2 miles from First st., Los Angeles, 1 mile north of Santa Ana branch Pacific Electric; $15,000, 1-3 cash; land immediately north sold at $400 an acre, sandy loam, free from alkali, 25 acres in walnuts, 10 acres bearing, balance 2 years old, 3 acres in eucalyptus, cut 160 cords wood 2 years ago; small house and barn, well for domestic purposes, a few peaches, apples, figs and berries; water for irrigation from pumping station on north or east; to investigate is to buy.

$2900—10-ACRE HOME—$3000
Limited time offer, good 5-room house, part of household furniture, barn, horse, wagon and buggy, good cow, 172 chickens, 3 acres bearing walnuts, apples, plums, peaches, berries; this offer lasts 30 days from today, within 2 miles of flourishing Downey.

FORTY-ACRE DAIRY RANCH.
Will be sold at sacrifice for quick sale, all well set to alfalfa, 40 acres water, 15 Jersey milk cows, horses, wagon, farm machinery, near Downey.

BIG PROFIT-PAYING RANCH.
No Better immediate-paying proposition in fertile Southern California than this well-preserved ranch, 25 acres full-bearing soft-shell walnuts, 15 to 18 years old, 20 acres healthy apples, peaches and young walnuts, 4 acres corn, 15,000 black walnut trees, nursery stock, for budding purposes, etc.; over $2000 realized this year from corn, tomatoes, potatoes, etc., adequate water supply, country home, barn, windmill and tank, 1½ miles from progressive city of Downey; churches accessible, fine schools, good train service, absurdly low at $500 an acre, terms 1-3 down, balance in 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. net.
These propositions are among the best that could be found in the State. Downey is flourishing and the surrounding country is rich agriculturally; you can't do better than to see or write
DOWNEY RANCH CO.,
E. A. BRUNSON, MGR.,
Downey, Cal.

FOR SALE—

DAIRYMEN WANTED.
IMPROVED LANDS UNSURPASSED FOR RAISING ALFALFA TO RENT AND SELL TO PRACTICAL DAIRYMEN.
LIBERAL TERMS ON PLACES TO RENT.
WILL SELL TO A FEW DAIRYMEN WHO WILL BECOME ACTUAL SETTLERS.
RICH ALFALFA LANDS AT $25 TO $30 PER ACRE.
ONE OF THE FINEST CREAMERIES IN THE STATE WILL BE OPENED THIS MONTH AT CORCORAN, BUILT OF ARTIFICIAL STONE. GEO. A. SMITH, THE WELL KNOWN CREAMERY MAN OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, OWNER AND OPERATOR.
SPECIAL EXCURSION NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT. TEN DAY TICKETS ABOUT HALF FARE. CALL EARLY AND GET TICKETS.
SECURITY LAND AND LOAN COMPANY,
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357 SOUTH SPRING ST.
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15,000 ACRES
FOR COLONIZATION.
BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS.
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VERY RICH LAND.
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BETWEEN TWO TRANS-CONTINENTAL RAILWAYS.
SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY.
ONLY $22.50 AN ACRE.
EASY TERMS.
WILL RETAIL FOR
$90 TO $65 AN ACRE
IN SMALL FARMS.
THIS IS A MONEY MAKER.
SEE
ALBERT RUBENSTEIN & CO.,
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FOR SALE—
THE GREAT CATHERINE DUNNE RANCH.
We have this large tract of land, known as the CATHERINE DUNNE RANCH, subdivided into 5, 10 and 20-acre lots, located in the FAMOUS SANTA CLARA VALLEY, for sale in small tracts, where you can raise anything that grows without irrigation. The small farmer can MAKE BIG MONEY on 10 acres. The fine property is located only 30 miles south of San Jose, on the Coast line of the S. P. R.R. and adjoining the thriving little town of Morgan Hill. Read the government report on soils of 1904—
"In the way of natural attractions and possibilities in intensive horticultural and agricultural pursuits the San Jose area offers excellent advantages to the homeseeker of moderate means and industrious habit, while those of little or no means may readily obtain labor of their more fortunate neighbors, and by careful investment themselves become independent. The fertile soil, favorable climate and fortunate location in regard to markets and facilities for transportation have rendered this section one of the most important horticultural and agricultural districts of the Pacific Coast."
Then come in and talk to us about the wonderful possibilities of this section; also get our prices and terms.
SILLOWAY & VREELAND,
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FOR SALE—
22 ACRES ALFALFA LAND.
Fine sandy loam, close to electric car line, good house, large barn, windmill and pumping plant.
GOOD BUY
at $3000; will take part in city or Chino.
—ALSO—
160 acres fine fruit and hog ranch IN VENTURA COUNTY.
Fine improvements and a money maker.
CHEAP AT $8000.
Will pay 20 per cent. on the investment.
WILL CONSIDER POMONA
orange grove if good up to full value.
JOHNSTON & TAYLOR,
206½ S. Broadway.
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FOR SALE—
FOOTHILL HOME.
5 acres of beautiful Valencia orchard,
12 ACRES OR MORE.
Fine location and elevation; $2000 worth of costly shrubbery; plenty of free water.
50,000-GALLON RESERVOIR.
With water under pressure conveniently arranged; elegant hunting and lovely building site, only 2 miles from R.R. station and one mile from proposed electric line extension.
20 MILES FROM LOS ANGELES.
Is actually worth $20,000, but will take $10,000 if sold this week. See owner at
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FOR SALE—$11,500; ½ CASH, BALANCE long time, for 20 acres fine land East San Gabriel, 9 in alfalfa, 4 in orchards and peaches, 7 for berries and garden, good house with cellar, barn 24x30; stable, shed, windmill and 2 tanks, 2 horses, 2 mules, 2 wagons, 2 cows, 1 heifer, 300 chickens, barn full of hay; or ½ of same for $5500. 2 blocks from electric cars.
COOPER & CUDDEBACK,
218 S. Broadway, room 237.
Phone A6684.

FOR SALE—$900; ½ CASH; ONE ACRE, corner, at East San Gabriel, 3 blocks from car line; small house.
$2400; ½ cash, for 2 acres, corner, 2 blocks from car line, East San Gabriel; good 4-room house.
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FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE, 30 acres, excellent soil, ideal location, 17 miles S.E. of city, on Santa Fe; 9 acres English walnuts, 5 alfalfa, 20 vegetables, balance under cultivation, fine house and outbuildings, two artesian wells and pumping plants; will sacrifice if sold this week. Apply OWNER, 441 Chamber of Commerce.

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CHICKEN RANCH.
5 acres, California house, well and windmill, splendid location, adjoining foothills, 1 mile from the railroad, $800.
BERRY AND VEGETABLE RANCH.
4 acres south of city near Redondo electric line; fine water piped to land, $1200, $700 cash, $500 at 6 per cent. This is a snap.
ORANGE GROVE.
15 acres, 20 miles from the city on electric line; 5 acres in full bearing navels; good 3 room bungalow, barn and chicken house, splendid free water right; the net income off the 5 acres last year was $500. This is snap, $4500, half cash.
ALFALFA AND CHICKEN RANCH.
20 acres of fine level land, splendid well and water; small house, chicken houses, 75 chickens, horse and wagon, $1200; owner going east, must sell.
FOOTHILL RANCH.
160 acres, 80 acres is being put into levy now; splendid well of water, all under good fence, splendid location, 1½ miles from railroad, town and schools, 1300 elevation, $15 per acre. Terms to suit purchaser.
ALFALFA AND GRAIN RANCH.
175 acres, all under cultivation, level, splendid soil, all sown to wheat and barley; close to railroad, 1½ mile from town and market, unlimited supply of water, 25 feet from the surface, $4000 if sold this week. This is the best buy in Southern California. Time will pay your fare to the ranch and return. If you want a bargain look this up.
640 acres, 6 miles from the railroad, 1-4 mile from school, all under cultivation and in crop, wheat and barley, all fenced with good fence, 4 acre family orchard, splendid soil, fine alkali, 3 cottages, 2 large barns, blacksmith shop, bunkhouse, 3 wells, windmill, tank and tankhouse. Only 10 feet to surface water. Alfalfa can be grown without irrigation, $35 an acre. Terms to suit.
STOCK RANCH.
160 acres, foothill ranch, 24 miles from Los Angeles, 12 miles from Santa Monica, 2 miles from railroad, 60 acres under cultivation all fenced and cross fenced, 5 room house, good barn, 4 flowing springs, 25 tons of hay, 17 head of cattle, clear of incumbrance, $4750. Will take cottage as part pay

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2000 acres, near Angiola, $35 per acre.
1200 acres near Waukena, $25 per acre.
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For the balance of our large land holdings we expect to get a large advance as we believe that the fertility of the soil, abundant water supply, coupled without extensive and substantial improvements, will bring this about in a short time.

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Over $1,500,000 invested in this enterprise at and adjacent to Corcoran.

Success follows the farmer at Corcoran. Several instances of purchases of our lands last year practically paying for their property from the first year's crops.

Many say they would not take three times what they paid a year ago.

Liberal terms. Special inducements to actual settlers.

Special excursion to Corcoran next Tuesday night. Ten-day tickets about half fare. Call early and get tickets.

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10 acres, 6 set to navels, 9 years old, 4 set to Valencias, 7 years old, an extra fine crop now on trees, estimated income better than 20 per cent. net this year. California house, 6 rooms, nominal valley barn, 3 chickens, water stock; this is a fine grove in Placentia. Fine looking and good, healthy growth; price $30,000, with crop; $8000 without.

15 acres, 2 set to all kinds of fruit in bearing; good 7-room house and furniture, value $2000; good barn, windmills, tank, 3 shares water stock, 2 good horses and harness, good new wagon, buggy, plows, harrows, cultivators, all small tools; quantity of alfalfa, about 100 chickens, incubator, brooders, chicken-house, fine ranch, close in and close to school; cheap at $5000; half cash. 9

75 acres, 36 set to walnuts, 8 set to oranges, all in full bearing and a fine property; 8-horse-power pumping plant; abundance of water; team, harness, wagon, all tools go, house 7 rooms, good barn; this is close in, and will exchange for good city or beach property, $23,000.

20 acres good soil, good location, 5 shares water stock, 1½ miles from Anaheim, $1700; this is a snap.

10 acres, close in, clean side of street, and a bargain, $1100; ¼ cash, terms.

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40 acres, all good soil, and level, suitable for berries, potatoes, fruits or alfalfa, 2 large new barns fitted with all modern appliances, grain rooms, derrick forks, etc.; good 5-room house, plenty fruits and berries, about 40 cords wood, close to good car to stores, R. R. station, etc.; no better ranch in this part of the county. Investigate, you will find it O.K. Price $6000; any reasonable terms to suit. JOHN A. MACDONALD, 292 Wilcox Annex, 212 S. Spring. 9

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20 acres at Santa Ana, 19 acres in bearing walnuts, family orchard, 6-room house, large barn, wells, tank, chicken corrals, 3-H.P. pumping plant, 40 inches water, cost 10c per hour, surrounding lands held at $500 per acre; our price on this piece is $290 per acre, terms.

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160 acres, fenced, good buildings, 5½ miles from railroad, 65 from Los Angeles; will exchange for city property.

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Poultry Ranches.

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Office business requires my undivided attention and must sell my poultry business. White Minorcas, White Wyandottes, Barred Rocks, Indian Runner ducks, all thoroughbreds, nearly 300 fine young birds.....$750
4 good houses, painted..... 250
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4 Jubilee brooders (new), 4 sections..... 50

Value $1225
Will include 10 acres very rich land, if wanted $1000

Total $2225

This property is actually worth $2500 by invoice. Situated in richest section of California. Will consider Los Angeles city property, vacant or improved, and assume 2d inc. Will be in city few days. Don't let this pass. OWNER, S. box 186, Times Office.

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Three acres, good location; brooder-house, incubator, 125 chickens, stock, 5-room house, wired poultry yards and houses. Will sacrifice at the low figure of $1300 will handle this.

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Chicken ranch, 1 acre; accommodations for 100 chickens; cement floors; close in. Positively a snap at $1250; easy terms.

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SMALL PAYMENTS, EASY TERMS.
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Small payments, easy terms. East Hollywood. See E. R. HALL,
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FOR SALE—½-ACRE CHICKEN RANCH, San Pedro car, via University, to Slauson. First house west of Vermont. MOUNTAIN VIEW POULTRY RANCH, route 4. Tel. South 3717.

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EASY TERMS.

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Home Phone 2243. Sunset Main 1015.

FOR SALE—

$12,500.

2½ ACRES.

Northwest corner of W. 16th and Concord sts., where lots are selling for $1000 and up; ½ cash. Sole agent.

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FOR SALE—

The best sanatorium site in Southern California, 2 miles from Pasadena, 15 acres, including one house, 8 rooms and bath, 5-room and seven tent houses; good barn, splendid carriage house; plenty of water. Liberal terms. Call at once.

GRANITE SECURITIES CO., 407 Bradbury Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
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5-acre lots on widest boulevard so far laid out in Southern California, only 15 minutes from business center; all city conveniences; $200 building restrictions.

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FOR SALE—

Near Alhambra, ten acres in full-bearing lemon trees, no buildings, fenced; $2000 under value; one-fourth cash, balance electric line; subdividing across the road; would consider exchange for city property.

HASSON BROS.,
619-20 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL 10-ACRE HOME. 2½ miles from city limits, will positively be sold before the first of the year, away under value; price $6500, including improvements, house, barn, windmill, etc., all new; improvements alone cost $2500, $700 an acre refused for bare lands adjoining, richest soil, abundance water; owner wants to sell. N. B. JOHNSTON, 400 Fay Bldg. 9

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$6 per acre for 880 acres of foothill and mountain land, 10 miles from Los Angeles; some water, and 40 to 80 acres of land that can be cultivated.

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$575—¼ cash. The Nahobs live on Orange Grove ave., Pasadena. Its extension south goes through Granada Place. They will live here, too.

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AT THE PALMS.
ALL CLASSES OF PROPERTY.
See JAMES P. WARD,
4th and Cypress streets,
20 Palms. Phone Main 3530.

FOR SALE—

6 room house, 1½ story, 1 acre good land, lawn, flowers, nice young fruit trees and shade trees, barn, chicken corral, 35 minutes' ride from Sixth and Main. Price $2500.

L. S. BAKER REALTY CO.,
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FOR SALE—LOT 45x150 FEET, WITH NICE new 3-room bungalow and large screen porch; 4 blocks from street car line; building just finished and occupied. $800 cash. Owner, BLYTHE & BEAMAN, 8254½ S. Myrtle ave., Monrovia, Cal. 11

FOR SALE—4 ACRE WALNUT GROVE ON THE VENICE SHORT LINE, VERY close to Clarkdale. Price $4000.

THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, Sole Agent.
Main 932.

FOR SALE—
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FOR SALE—A GROUP OF ... are arranging to purchase a ... subdivide among themselves, a ... a trolley line near the city. ... fourth opening by this ... stereopticon lecture every evening at ... o'clock.
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Ground floor, main entrance,
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$1700 only for modern new 4-room cottage.
$1800 only for modern new 5-room cottage.
$1950 only for modern new 6-room cottage.
$2000 only for modern new 7-room cottage.
Lot 50x165 to 16-ft. alley. Every house has a fine large lot, 100x165 to 165 ft. deep.
We furnish plans and specifications for all classes of residences and build them. See us, call and see ...
WESTERN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.,
434 S. Hill st. F9614; Broadway 2470. 9

FOR SALE—
GARDENA.
The coming section. 5 acres, best ... mill, water piped over place, all ... $3800, worth $5000. ...

5 acres, nearly new house, barn, ... 50 chickens, 2½ acres alfalfa, all ... fruits and berries grown, in full-bearing; this is a fine home, buy here at same ... pay for a 50-foot lot in city and ... increase in value and a living ... place; price $3500. W. H. CHANDLER, Citizens' Bank Bldg., 3rd and Main ...

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FOR SALE—AT "THE PALMS" ... $13,000—17.07 acres close to "The Palms," ocean front Lease, only 2 miles of city limits, contains the most ... prominence between Los Angeles and ... only $700 per acre. A close buy. ... higher soon. ...
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FOR SALE—17-ACRE RANCH ... house. Orange trees and berries, ... growing wells. South between ... Beach, on Salt Lake railway. JOHN ... LING, Hyperion, Cal. ...

FOR SALE—A SNAP; 2-1-8 ACRES ... small house, plenty of water, some ... just the place for chickens, situated ... California Furbinmars, apply at 131 ... AVE., Los Angeles. ...

FOR SALE—THE BEST AND CHEAPEST ... 160 acres on market for subdivision ... Vermont ave. Fine quick car service. Address D, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. ...

FOR SALE—$2500, DOLGEVILLE ... modern, 4-room bungalow; large lot, ... one block; balance monthly payments, ... easy. J. E. DAVIS, TIMES OFFICE. ...

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FOR SALE—2 ACRES, FINE, OLD ... Heights, near two car lines, ... owner, F, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. ...

FOR SALE—OR TRADE, 3 CORNER ... lots each four blocks from ... Hollywood. Box 198, TIMES OFFICE. ...

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE, ... trade, pays to see O. H. ... Spring, room 206. Will take ... for lot. 206 Broadway. ...

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES IMPROVED ... on South Ave. between the lines, ... ERSON BLK. Snap. ...

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FOR SALE—
EAGLE ROCK ACREAGE
FACING ON ELECTRIC LINE.
$1200—5½ acres, with good ... fruit, ... outbuildings. A beautiful building ... cheap. ...
$1000—2 acres nice level land, ... house, barn, etc. Terms one-half ... and two years. ...
$4250—4 acres, with 16 shares ... planted on land. Large ... and 6-room house; ... half cash. ...
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$7200—11½ acres, a nice piece of ... J. R. PARNHAM, ... Property Agent, 13o Cahuenga ave., ... Hollywood. ...
$24,000—35 acres, good 7-room ... 25 shares water stock, ... nice place, 2½ acres orange ... Situated on electric line ... mended across this place and ... $1000 per acre. Terms are very ... hard cash. ...
FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 10 ACRES ... the best subdivisions ... desirable location, north of Prospect ... Avenue; all improvements made. ... $2250. Douglas Bldg. ...
EDWARDS & WINTERS CO., ... "IT PAYS TO SEE US" ... 229 S. Hill st. Main 9307; Home ...

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FOR SALE—A BIG SACRIFICE; THE ... ... for price in Hollywood; ... to pay all the bills; ... hardwood floors, built-in ... is the good; now got to sell ... the bills. Address F, box 166. ...

FOR SALE—
A SWELL HOME.
... hand decorated; very con- ... throughout. Lot 50x165, one ... just an ideal place to step ... 205 W. DAVIS. ...

FOR SALE—
... ACREAGE.
... 20 per cent. profit, ... among beautiful homes; easy ...
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HOLLYWOOD.
... in the heart of Holly- ... st., $2500. ...
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ALTADENA AND NORTH ... lots and acre- ... all kinds; I make a ... and am posted. A. ... H. Fair Oaks ave., Pasa- ...

FOR SALE—
HOLLYWOOD LOT, RO- ... 66x210; will sell at ... or trade for land. ... This is a snap. J. ... SCHAPER, 9

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HOLLYWOOD.
... 7-room house, one of the best on Myrtle ... 66x207; price $5750. ...
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FOR SALE—
THE HOME PLACE
of Los Angeles county is Alhambra, and all you need to prove this to your own satisfaction is to come out and see what Alhambra means. We are having a steady growth in our population, because the beauty of our location in the famous San Gabriel Valley, combined with the advantages of fast electric transportation and 85-cent gas and electric lights, and all other things which make life worth living in an up-to-date community are here.
We have some choice locations for homes, one at $2100, near the car line and 176-foot lot to an alley, frontage of 105 feet. We consider this one of the choicest opportunities in Alhambra, and would be a fine place for the location of a department-house, of which we are very much in need. Every house is rented as fast as it can be finished, and a continual demand for more.
A choice corner on First street, which street would be a credit to any community, can be had for $2000, if taken right off. First street is closely built up, and very little property is for sale, and a purchase here would be one of the best investments.
$2500—For choice of two modern 5-room cottages, with all modern improvements; cement work done, lawns, right close to the car line, and in the best rental section of the city.
From $2000 to $5000 we have several choice bargains in new and modern houses, with all up-to-date improvements, in very fine localities. If you will spend a few hours with us looking the ground over, it will be worth your while.
GET A FOUNDATION
for that home of yours, by buying a lot at Alhambra, where lots are the most reasonable in price, considering advantages offered, of any one in the county.
We can offer you lots near the car line, with all street work in (and street work here means the very best that can be made), at prices from $500 to $700. Lots of full size, 50x165 and deeper. A number of locations, all of them very attractive, and from almost all of them you can have the most beautiful view of the mountains, for which the valley is so famed.
If you want to build, we will build a house for you with a very moderate payment down, and afterward you can pay for it as easily as you can pay rent.
DON'T FORGET ALHAMBRA ACRES.
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You will miss one of the most beautiful sights in the county if you do not see the Palm Drive section of this fine subdivision, which has been attracting a great deal of attention, and is now completed with the street work, and ready for inspection and sale.
Come out today and see
ALHAMBRA REALTY CO.,
Northrop & Peck,
Succeeding
S. E. Main st., Alhambra.

FOR SALE—
The active market of the last few days has unfortunately driven off a great deal of the WISE INVESTOR. The GATEWAY OF THE SAN GABRIEL VALLEY has been the scene of great activity for the last week. ALHAMBRA THE GATEWAY is the logical place for a home and investment. The beauty of the scenery, the car service, the educational advantages and the social conditions are such as to recommend ALHAMBRA.
We have some good buys which we offer for the coming week at prices which should speak for themselves:
$400 for a good 50-foot lot near the cars and schools. This is a low price today, and won't last long; half cash.
$1150—A good corner of 100-foot frontage with an east front and with sewer connections. This is a GOOD ONE, and would be a good buy.
$1150—Here is a good one; a 5-room house plastered, near the car line, close to schools and surrounded by good neighbors. This won't last long, so get busy. Easy terms.
$1650—Here is a newly finished 5-room house on a good street; extra deep lot and with excellent view of mountains.
$2250—For an eight (8) room house, new and modern; all conveniences, and on the whole a fine home for some one. The terms are good, and it is one that should sell quickly.
$2500—A nice, cozy, 6-room bungalow, each 150 feet deep. An excellent home for a little money. The place cannot be duplicated for the money in California. It will grow in value and should be investigated.
The lots on the C. & M. Tract are of the BEST. The mountain view is superb. The street work is all done. The lots are covered with fine, healthy orange trees. They will make good home sites. Terms to suit all.
LITTLE FARMS. THE HUBBARD RANCH TRACT. Some 5-acre pieces of acreage for truck farming. This is the place for berries and vegetables. Near to car line and on good road. Terms are easy and inducements to homeseekers.
AN EXCELLENT VILLA SITE; 150 feet by 300 feet, with large OAK TREE, near to car line and well located. This is near to South Pasadena and on the Pacific Electric.
BUTTERBAUGH REALTY CO.,
First and Main Sts., Alhambra.
Los Angeles Office,
327 Grosse Bldg., 6th and Main Sts. 9

FOR SALE—
IN DIXIE TRACT NO. 1, IN THE CITY OF ALHAMBRA, HOMESEEKERS AND BUYERS OF LOTS, AND BUILDERS WILL FIND THE BEST THAT CAN BE HAD FOR THEIR MONEY, IN A SUBDIVISION WHERE ALL THE IMPROVEMENTS ARE COMPDETED, AND WHERE NEW BUILDING OF PRETTY HOMES IS NOW UNDER WAY.
ALHAMBRA is an incorporated city where over 300 houses were built in less than 12 months, and there is room for one to be had at any price. In the above tract one can find lots at prices to suit, on easy terms.
These lots are high, level, and of large dimensions, commanding beautiful view of mountain and valley, right in the line of the elaborate development and improvements of OAK KNOLL.
PRICES FROM $500 UP.
1-4 CASH, BALANCE 6, 12 AND 18 MONTHS. BUY BEFORE PRICES ADVANCE.
TO A FEW MORE BUILDERS WE WILL GIVE 23 1-3 PER CENT. OFF ABOVE PRICES.
These prices include wide oiled and graveled streets, 5-foot cement walks, 2-foot gutters and curbs, with pure spring water piped to each lot. Take a look at it before the lots you prefer are gone.
Our Agent on the tract will show you where new houses are building and others contracted for, and wise buyers will do well to invest right alongside at once for sure profit.
Alhambra is growing fast, has a large population now, and adjoins South Pasadena; beautiful homes surround the whole place, and all classes of property are advancing steadily. An investor takes no risk when here.
This company is the largest individual owner here, and can sell you property at any price.
Get free car tickets at our office.
DIXIE LAND CO.,
207-8 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
207 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
ALHAMBRA LAND CO. ALHAMBRA LAND CO.
LOTS.
50x151; good street. Terms.....$400
50x150; a fine east front.....$425
50x150; cement work in and paid for.....$500
50x150; east front; improved.....$650
HOMES.
4-room Cal. house; lot 60x140; east front; $15 per month, like rent.....$1050
5-room fair house, nice corner, close in; trees and flowers; cash.....$2000
5-room Cal. house, every convenience, gas, bath, fruit, etc.; 100x150; this is a snap at $25 per month.....$1375
5-room house with 4 lots; this is a decided bargain and won't keep long; $500, balance $25 per month.....$2750
6 rooms, modern, up to date, on a fine street, close in, east front, $500 cash will handle it.....$2500
5 rooms, modern; the cream of the city; 100x150; half cash.....$3500
GROVES
9 rooms, modern; outbuildings; everything up to date; about 3 acres; the finest site in the San Gabriel Valley; this is the best.....$12,000
6 rooms, all modern, with 4 acres under high cultivation.....$8300
ALHAMBRA LAND CO., B. COHEN, Mgr.
Hotel Bldg. Both phones 101.

FOR SALE—
LARGE LOTS IN
THE KINGSLEY TERRACE TRACT,
ON THE MAIN STREET
ELECTRIC CAR LINE
IN ALHAMBRA
(GET OFF CARS AT HIDALGO AVE.)
THE PRETTIEST SUBDIVISION
IN THE CITY.
COMPRISES ONLY 34 LARGE LOTS, ALL IMPROVEMENTS COMPLETED, ORANGE TREES, OTHER FRUITS AND SHRUBBERY ON ALL LOTS.
THIS IS AN IDEAL SPOT WITH A NUMBER OF HOMES SURROUNDING IT, RIGHT ON THE MAIN ST. CAR LINE.
HIGH-CLASS PROPERTY AT LOW PRICES; WILL BE WORTH DOUBLE NEXT YEAR. CAN BE BOUGHT ON REASONABLE TERMS.
SEE OWNER OR AGENT ON THE TRACT EVERY DAY IN THE WEEK. 9

FOR SALE—
ALHAMBRA.
TWO NEW AND ATTRACTIVE BUNGALOWS in the city of Alhambra, substantially built, large rooms, and first-class plumbing; lots 50x150 each, close to business, 5 minutes' walk to either high or grammar school; convenient to all churches.
GEO. W. STIMSON,
205 L. A. Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—MOST BEAUTIFUL HOME site in San Gabriel Valley, near Oak Knoll, 4 acres in oranges, highly improved, new strictly modern 8 room house, east front, facing mountains; beautiful neighborhood; $12,000 yearly income; price $12,000.
WESTERVELT, 225 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
A5213. 9

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

GLENDALE.

FOR SALE—
We make a specialty of Glendale property. Tracts, lots and improved property. In point of location and climate, Glendale cannot be excelled. Situated just at the foothills of beautiful range of mountains. Many fine residences now under construction. In a few months she will double her present population.
Buy now, while property is yet very reasonable; 25 minutes' ride from the city. Call at office and we will be glad to go with you.
L. S. BAKER REALTY CO.,
614 Fay Bldg.,
Cor. Third and Hill, Los Angeles. 9

FOR SALE—
OUT THEY GO.
OUT THEY GO
TO GLENDALE.
Choice acreage, large and small; choice lots for homes or investments.
Let us take you out to see them.
STERNBERG BROS. & HOWE,
101 West Sixth Street. 9

FOR SALE—GLENDALE.
LOOK HERE. NO INTEREST. NO TAXES. LOTS $225 and up as high as $1200; fine location, high ground; all street work done; streets oiled. Only two blocks from car line. One-fourth cash, balance easy terms. NO INTEREST. We also have acreage in Glendale any size to suit.
WESTERN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.,
434 S. Hill st. F9614; Broadway 2470. 10

FOR SALE—I HAVE THE SOLE AGENCY for 20 acres of as fine land and as admirably situated for immediate subdivision as any in this valley; only 5 minutes to car line, close to Lomita Park, where lots sell for $1000; if sold soon I can deliver this for $1200 per acre; could divide it and sell 10 or 5 acres; think of the price named, and come out or phone me at once.
E. S. COMSTOCK, Glendale.
Phones—Home 333; Sunset 307.

FOR SALE—
IT WILL NOT COST YOU A CENT
to call up HOME A4452, and
it will not cost us anything
to tell you about three acres
in Glendale, corner Seventh
and Glendale ave. All ready to cut up
and way below market.
E. W. TRUE, 318-20 GRANT BLDG. 9

FOR SALE — FINEST LOTS ON BRAND Boulevard with all street improvements. Easy terms. Get off Damasco station, look at property directly opposite 9th st., walk one block east and see owner, E. A. BRUGHAM, Southeast corner 9th, Glendale. Box 77, R. R. No. 5. Don't fail to see these lots before buying.

FOR SALE—FINE LOTS IN THE NEW Livingston Tract, beautiful large oak trees; this is without doubt the finest tract in Glendale. Sold by TOHM, BLACKBURN & STANLEY, Sole Agents. Lots $600 and up. Ask conductor for transfer at Fourth st. 9

FOR SALE—2 FINE LOTS TOGETHER, IN beautiful Glendale, 50x134 each; owner will sell one or both reasonable, as he is leaving city; home Sundays or evenings, after 5 o'clock. C. T. BINKLEY, 233 N. Fanning st. 9

FOR SALE—5 ACRES, FOOTHILLS, NORTH Glendale, $1000 per acre. This is the cheapest buy in Glendale. Has to be seen to be appreciated. Address D, box 189, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—GLENDALE 18 UNSURPASSED for profit. Let us show it to you "right." Call ROOM 309, Severance Bldg., 103 Sixth st. for full information and tickets. 13

FOR SALE—FINE 3½-ACRE RANCH NORTH Glendale, near electric cars. See owner, P. S. McNUTT, 517 Grosse Bldg. 9

FOR SALE — 2 ACRES, ORANGES AND lemons; terms to suit. 106 BELLEVUE AVE. 9

FOR SALE—LOT 50x155, ON ORANGE BEtween Second and Third sts. Faces west. R. H. GREER, 230 S. Los Angeles st. 9

ALTADENA.

FOR SALE — WE HAVE AT ALTADENA some excellent one-fourth acre lots. These lots are at an elevation of 1350 feet, have the purest mountain water piped to each lot; graded, oiled streets; each lot a small farm in itself; fine soil. For people looking for high altitude this location is ideal, near the new Lincoln ave. car line; we sell these lots $300 on easy terms. It will pay you to look them up.
BURDICK R. ELLS & CO., 225-26 Douglas Bldg. Phones Main 8688; Home 4438. 9

FOR SALE—FINE FOR SUBDIVISION.
80 ACRES.
Beautifully located, only $300 per acre.
20 ACRES.
On Lincoln ave., only $450 per acre.
B. W. BARTSIL8, room 236, Mason Bldg. 9

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—
5-acre lemon grove at Upland, good water right, cement ditch, fine soil, trees 11 years old and in elegant condition; this place paid $2500 last year; a bargain at the price here quoted; price $5000.
2½ acres, Ontario, fine 8-room modern house, good barn, full water right, cement ditches, ½ block from Euclid ave.; this is a lovely home place and the grove is just coming into full-bearing; price $5000.
Here is beautiful place 2½ acres on Euclid ave., Ontario, electric cars pass the door; fine modern 8-room house; good barn, full water right, cement ditches, cement curbs and walks; the grove is one of the finest in Ontario; income last year from this place over $1200; if you want a nice home with an income get this; price $8000.
IMPERIAL INVESTMENT CO.,
215 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—7-ACRE LEMON ORCHARD, 1800 large bearing trees, plenty water; 12-room house; large barn; 2 miles to railway station; no better investment; extra profits every monthly picking; special inducements to cash buyer.
S. V. LANDT, Room 120, Stimson Bldg.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN; A FINE ORange grove about two miles from Corona. Owner is a non-resident and says to sell 20 acres, mostly navels, in full bearing. Prospects for a fine crop this year. New flumes. Only 3 miles from electric road. Price $1000, and insuring an abundant supply, goes with the place. Two-acre building site across the road from the grove. If taken within a short time can sell for $6000.
ENRIGHT & TWOMBLY, 106 S. Broadway. Phone 3272. 9

FOR SALE—
20 ACRES IN WASHINGTON NAVELS.
ON HUNTINGTON'S ELECTRIC LINE TO RIVERSIDE.
WILL MAKE A SNAP PRICE, IF TAKEN AT ONCE.
PHONES—HOME 3580; SUNSET M. 6480. 9

FOR SALE — 5 ACRES VALENCIAS, 14 years old; a magnificent property; will easily produce $2500 yearly; price $7000; will give $2000 now for crop on trees. For particulars 'PHONE F9946. 9

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE FINEST 5-acre orange groves on Euclid ave., Uplands. This is good and a fine investment; good water right. E. A. MILLER, 206½ S. Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—ORANGE GROVE.
9-acre orange grove, city limits of Colton, good crop maturing, navels, sweets, Valencias, excellent soil, fine location for subdivision in town lots, graded streets, 2 sides, $4000, ½ cash, would trade for Los Angeles city property. Owner, S. W. ALEXANDER, 121 W. 3rd st. Phone Main 205.

FOR SALE—WASHINGTON NAVEL GROVE in full bearing; frostless location; A-1 water right; price for a few days only, $750 per acre. STANLEY ROGERS REAL ESTATE, ARLINGTON PLACE, RIVERSIDE, CAL. Home 'Phone 1896. 15

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES NAVEL ORANGES, COVINA. NEAR ELECTRIC CARS; FINE SOIL AND LOCATION; PLENTY WATER; POSITIVELY FROSTLESS; PRICE $7500; WILL GIVE $1000 FOR CROP. OWNER, 903 S. BROADWAY, ROOM 1. 9

FOR SALE — 5 ACRES FULL-BEARING navels, 15 acres 2-year Valencia buds on 12-year trees, would sell 10 acres orchard in first-class condition; owner goes north soon; will sell cheap. RILES, 307 S. Bunker Hill. Phone morning Broadway 2543. 9

FOR SALE—AT COVINA, 10 ACRES ORange grove, 2-3 Washington navels, 7 years old, 1-3 Valencias, good water

Realty Liners

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—
HORACE G. HAMILTON COMPANY,
306-301-302 Fay Building.

READ CAREFULLY.
IT WILL PAY YOU.

LOTS—LOTS.

$4500—Equity $2500; 7 lots, 60x232 each, with small improvements; Ivanhoe Station; want rooming-house.

$5000—Clear, lot 156x136, on Prospect Blvd., Hollywood; want Los Angeles residence; will assume.

$8000—Equity $5000; lot 65x175; W. Washington st., close in; want income property; will assume.

$10,500—Clear, lot 90x120, E. 9th st., near Alameda; want income property; will assume.

$15,000—Clear, 15 lots, 50x200 each; street work and water work completed; northwest part of Los Angeles; want walnut or alfalfa ranch equal value or less.

BEAUTIFUL HOMES.

$1300—Equity $2000, 8 rooms, W. 20th st.; modern; want real estate in Canada.

$4200—Clear; beautiful 6-room bungalow; new and modern; lot 50x150; want vacant lot up to $2000.

$5000—Equity $3000, 7-room modern bungalow, Hollywood; lot 52x300; want Los Angeles, will assume.

$6000—Equity $3000, 8 rooms, very pretty home, corner Hoover st., near Wash.; want income property.

$6500—Clear, 7-room residence, W. Jefferson st.; lot 80x140; want walnut ranch up to $10,000.

$6500—Clear, 7 rooms; new, modern; artistic; Angeleno Heights; want walnut ranch, Fullerton or Anaheim district.

$7000—Equity $4000, 7-room modern, artistic residence, Hollywood; completely furnished; large lot; near car line; want ranch up to $10,000.

$8000—Equity, $6000, 7-room and 4-room residences, new, very artistic; large lots; want ranch up to $10,000.

$12,000—Clear, 7-room bungalow, just completed; hardwood floors, beamed ceilings; lot 50x177; fruits, lawn, large barn; at Pasadena; want orange grove.

$15,000—Clear, beautiful 10-room residence, Rampart st.; want income property; will assume.

$17,500—Equity, $10,500, 12-room, modern, very beautiful, W. Adams st., close in; large lot, completely furnished; good piano, rugs, etc.; want orange grove or alfalfa ranch equal value or less.

$22,000—Clear, 16 rooms, Hollywood; hardwood floors, handsome buffet, furnace; lot 85x200; fruits, flowers; want orange grove.

$23,000—Equity $7000, 8-room, new and modern, Kenwood ave.; and 4-room house, new and modern, Everett st.; want income property, lots or rooming-house.

$24,000—Clear, 12 rooms, W. Adams st., lot 60x150; not a handsomer home in Los Angeles; want good income property; will assume.

$27,500—Equity, $10,500, 12-room residence; lot 80x165, E. Adams st., close in; large lot, completely furnished; good piano, rugs, etc.; hardwood floors, furnace, etc.; worth every dollar. Want ranch up to equity.

$28,000—Equity $20,000, lot 85x175; W. Washington st., close in; want income property; will assume.

$29,000—Clear, lot 200x150, W. 16th st., improved with good 8-room house; want Landis, lot facing; various fruits; want ranch or rooming-house; will pay some cash.

$3500—Clear, 2 cottages, Ocean Park; want hardware stock, California ave., Westlake.

$4000—Clear, 3 acres at Pasadena, set out to every variety of fruits; good 6-room house, barn; corner; will exchange, or stock ranch San Luis Obispo county up to $7500.

$4500—Clear, 7-room house, Pasadena; lot 50x185; fruit or stock ranch San Luis Obispo county up to $7500.

INCOME PROPERTY.

$7500—Clear, four 3-room apartment building; modern, completely furnished, at Redondo; income $100 per month; want acreage for subdivision between Los Angeles and ocean up to $15,000.

$11,000—Equity $6500, 2-story brick building, leased to large brewing company 5 years, $1200 annually, Arizona; want California; will assume.

$12,500—Equity $6500, furniture and 4 years' lease; 18 rooms, apartment building; furnishers new, 3 years; modern throughout; 3 blocks from 4th and Broadway; net income $600 per month; want stock exchange for ranch or drug store; owner is sick.

$14,000—Equity $8000; four 2-room flats; two 8-room houses, all new, strictly modern; all rented $1400 per year; want ranch for equity.

$15,000—Equity $10,000; two 7-room flats, W. 16th st., near Hoover; lot 29x170; good income; want orange grove.

$18,500—Equity $10,000, four 5-room flats, Bonnie Brae; lot 50x150; income $150 per month; want Los Angeles or country property up to $30,000.

$18,000—Equity $41,000, 56-room hotel building; lot 70x140, Grand ave.; income $700 per month; want ranch up to $25,000.

$73,000—Equity $15,000, beautiful apartment house, Ocean Park; income $900 per month; want ranch.

HORACE G. HAMILTON COMPANY.

ACREAGE FOR SUBDIVISION.

$15,000—Clear, 24 acres near electric line, Glendale; a bargain; want Los Angeles residence or income property; will assume.

$18,000—Equity $10,000, 20 acres at Compton, already subdivided; cement curbs and sidewalks completed; want Los Angeles or vicinity; will assume, or sell on easy terms.

$40,000—Equity $20,000; 80 acres, Compton, in city limits; a bargain; want Los Angeles for equity.

ORANGE GROVES.

$4000—Equity $2350, 7½ acres, Ontario, ½ orange, ½ lemons, 12 years old; 7 shares water; good buildings; want Los Angeles.

$9000—Clear, 11 acres, Riverside, Wash. navels and Valencias; good condition; crop included; want Los Angeles residence; will assume.

$9000—Equity $5000; 10 acres, Highland; navels, Valencias and lemons, full bearing; 5-room house, barn, etc.; want Los Angeles or Long Beach.

$10,000—Clear, 16 acres Pomona; ½ Valencias, ½ navels; 4 years old; crop $2500 included; splendid condition; electric line will pass this property; fine water supply; cement pipes and flumes; one of the finest ranches in Pomona district; want Los Angeles or vicinity.

$20,000—Clear, 10 acres, Covina, set solid to Valencias, full bearing; splendid condition; at least $2000 worth of oranges now on trees included; want Los Angeles or vicinity; will assume.

$15,000—Clear, 10 acres, Highland, ½ lemons, ½ navels; 12 years old; abundance of cheap water; cement ditches; crop now on trees $2500, included; one of the healthiest groves in the State; level; kept up absolutely free from frost; want Los Angeles home value for value; might consider good rooming-house lesser value.

$14,000—Equity $6000, 10 acres, at Covina; ¼ block from electric line and Southern Pacific Railroad, 10 acres set solid to Valencias full bearing; 5-room bungalow, station navels, balance grain; good well for domestic use, good 5-room house, barns, excellent water right deeded with ranch; crop $1500 included; want Los Angeles property; will assume.

$15,000—Equity $12,000, 10 acres, Ontario, set solid to Washington navels, 12 years old; family orchard; 30 shares water; fine 10-room house, barn, corrals, etc.; improvements alone alone worth $900; present crop included; will exchange for equity; condition; want Los Angeles or vicinity.

$18,000—Equity $13,000; 20 acres, Upland; Washington navels and sweets; 11 years old; good house, barns, corrals, pumping plant, reservoir; beautiful location; want stucco house for equity, or will assume.

$20,000—Equity $15,000, 20 acres Riverside; Washington navels and sweets, 14 years old; 30 shares water to the acre included; want eastern clear for equity or Los Angeles.

$23,000—Equity $23,000, 140 acres Cypress Station, electric line; 20 acres set solid to navels, Valencias; 40 acres alfalfa, balance grain; good 9-room house, barns, etc.; fine pumping plant; 7 artesian wells; want Los Angeles.

$45,000—Equity $15,000; 140 acres Rialto; 28 acres oranges 12 years old; 40 acres grapes; balance deciduous fruits; good house, barns, etc.; includes all farming implements, four horses, wagons, etc.; and complete plant for making grape juice; includes water stock; want alfalfa ranch or large stock ranch.

$60,000—Clear, 60 acres at Pomona; 30 acres in Valencias, 30 acres navels, all 12 years old; has its own packing-house, cost $4000; splendid supply of water; few buildings, and has its own railroad switch; includes five horses, implements; improvements complete; first-class condition; big crop this year included; want Los Angeles or vicinity; will assume large amount or pay cash difference on good business property.

WALNUT GROVES.

$8500—Clear, 12 acres, Rivera, soft-shell walnuts, 9 years old, some oranges, alfalfa, deciduous fruits; good 6-room house, barn, corrals, well, windmill; abundance of water deeded with the land; includes 2 horses, wagons, 200 chickens, farming implements; want Los Angeles equal value or less; a bargain.

$16,000—Clear, 20 acres Fullerton, set to soft-shell walnuts 10 years old; house, barn, chicken corrals, two windmills, excellent pumping plant, cement reservoir; splendid condition; want Los Angeles; will assume.

$11,000—22 acres soft-shell walnuts, near Whittier; some oranges and alfalfa; buildings; 22 shares water; want Los Angeles up to $9000.

$13,000—Clear, 42 acres Pomona; ½ soft-shell walnuts, ½ alfalfa; good house; barn, chicken corrals; good pumping plant; want Los Angeles or vicinity; will assume.

$20,000—Equity $15,000; 78 acres Rivera, set solid to soft-shell walnuts, 16 years old; 32 shares water; want Los Angeles up to $25,000.

$30,000—Clear, 50 acres, Rivera, soft-shell walnuts, interset with alfalfa; 50 shares water; fine house, barns, chicken corrals, etc. Electric line runs through this property; splendid for subdivision. Want Los Angeles. Will assume.

GENERAL RANCHES.

$7000—Equity $4000, 80 acres Highland; 3 fine pumping plants, 2 cottages, barns, corrals; splendid land; want Los Angeles or vicinity for equity.

$10,000—Equity $6500, 40 acres, electric line all in alfalfa; good stand; good pumping plant, 5 wells; water piped all over; six-room house, barn, chicken corrals; want Los Angeles or good stock ranch.

$15,000—Equity $5000, 62 acres at Buena Park, ½ in good alfalfa, balance cultivated; family orchard; house, barn, chicken corrals, carpenter shop; splendid pumping plant, 5 wells; includes 5 horses, 3 cows, chickens, farming implements; want Los Angeles or vicinity.

HORACE G. HAMILTON COMPANY,
306-301-302 Fay Building,
Third and Hill.
Members Los Angeles Realty Board and Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.
'12 years in Los Angeles.'

FOR EXCHANGE—
8-room strictly modern 2-story house, corner lot, Adams street, near Washington and Figueroa; $12,000. Exchange for nice suburban home about 6 acres, vicinity of Alhambra or Altadena.

9-room, modern, 2-story house, corner lot; 15 minutes' walk from Third and Broadway; $12,000. Exchange for vacant lots or ranch.

Cottage 5 rooms, modern; cottage 5 rooms, modern; 40 acres land, well improved; total value $19,500. Wants good stock ranch Ventura or San Luis Obispo county.

10 acres lemons, 10 years old; 2 acres oranges; 14 acres vacant; 5-room plastered house; 30 shares water, $9000. Exchange for 2 to 4 acres property.

10 acres, 5 and 8-year-old Navel oranges, 7-room, modern house, barn, etc.; plenty of water for irrigation; $15,000, including this year's crop valued at from $3000 to $4000; sold last year at $4745.

20 acres, 11 acres alfalfa; about 17 miles from Los Angeles; two miles from station; 9-room house, large barn and outbuildings, farm implements; $12,000. Exchange for Los Angeles property.

10 acres, full bearing Eureka lemons, 18 years old; plenty of water; San Gabriel Valley; $10,000. Will trade for good city income property.

Beautiful home, 9-room, modern, 2-story house, 3 acres of land, at Alhambra; price $12,000. To exchange for Westlake, Los Angeles or Long Beach property up to $15,000 and pay cash difference.

20 acre all set to Navel oranges, plenty of water, 5-room house, barn and outbuildings; close to school and church; $6000. Exchange for Los Angeles property.

17 acres, 12 acres lemons, 5½ acres oranges, 5-room house, near Glendora, $9000. Exchange for Los Angeles property.

Lot at Wilmington, 75 feet front, frontage $250; also lot at Watts, $125; both clear. Will exchange for first payment on cottage in the south or southwest.

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McDONALD & STOTT COMPANY,
312 Lankershim Building.
Corner 3rd and Spring.

Another week of phenomenal success has been chalked up on the credit side of the score board of events, in the career of that grand old man, "the wizard of the best trader in the United States." He has gladdened the hearts of many of his clients in the past six days, by exercising his remarkable ability of trading property that they did not want for property that they did want. That is pretty strong, isn't it? Well, that is his hobby. He has made a life study of this work, and that is just what he does. His trades embrace property in every State in this great Union, and he is truly a "wizard." The word "failure" is not in his vocabulary. He has brought success and happiness to others; why not you? His treasure box is just brimming over with good things this week. Here are a few of them. Pick them out and DO IT NOW.

1272. A first-class vacant lot, 50x140, southwestern Los Angeles; one block from West Adams st.; fine location; price $2100 and clear. Would like to exchange for a lot in the west part of town, or a little higher value. Will pay $500 difference.

1266. 7-room modern house, porcelain bath, gas and electric light; Highland Park. Mortgage $1200, 7 per cent. Price $2500. In exchange will consider a vacant lot in the southwest not over $1500 in value. Will make the difference. Put a cross on this.

825. 7-room cottage and small flat, 26th street; lot 50x131; mortgage $1400; price $4500. Want ranch of same value.

847. 4-room modern cottage on South Flower st., porcelain bath, gas and electric light, mortgage $2000; price $3600. Want beach cottage for equity. This is peaches and cream for somebody.

1266. 7-room modern bungalow, hardwood floors, east front, bath, gas and electric light; large lot; fine location in southwestern Los Angeles, La Salle ave. This is a nice bungalow; mortgaged for $2250; price $3000. In exchange wants lot with an east front, in Hollywood. Will talk this up right away.

1254. Here's a fine lot. Central avenue, 51x145; price $3500; mortgage $3500. Owner will trade for orchard, house, barn, chicken corrals, carpenter shop; splendid pumping plant, 5 wells; includes 5 horses, 3 cows, chickens, farming implements; want Los Angeles or vicinity.

HORACE G. HAMILTON COMPANY,
306-301-302 Fay Building,
Third and Hill.
Members Los Angeles Realty Board and Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.
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FOR EXCHANGE—
8-room strictly modern 2-story house, corner lot, Adams street, near Washington and Figueroa; $12,000. Exchange for nice suburban home about 6 acres, vicinity of Alhambra or Altadena; want a bargain.

9-room, modern, 2-story house, corner lot; 15 minutes' walk from Third and Broadway; $12,000. Exchange for vacant lots or ranch.

Cottage 5 rooms, modern; cottage 5 rooms, modern; 40 acres land, well improved; total value $19,500. Wants good stock ranch Ventura or San Luis Obispo county.

10 acres lemons, 10 years old; 2 acres oranges; 14 acres vacant; 5-room plastered house; 30 shares water, $9000. Exchange for 2 to 4 acres property.

10 acres, 5 and 8-year-old Navel oranges, 7-room, modern house, barn, etc.; plenty of water for irrigation; $15,000, including this year's crop valued at from $3000 to $4000; sold last year at $4745.

20 acres, 11 acres alfalfa; about 17 miles from Los Angeles; two miles from station; 9-room house, large barn and outbuildings, farm implements; $12,000. Exchange for Los Angeles property.

10 acres, full bearing Eureka lemons, 18 years old; plenty of water; San Gabriel Valley; $10,000. Will trade for good city income property.

Beautiful home, 9-room, modern, 2-story house, 3 acres of land, at Alhambra; price $12,000. To exchange for Westlake, Los Angeles or Long Beach property up to $15,000 and pay cash difference.

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10 acres oranges and lemons, situated in the famous La Verne district, 2-3 navels, 1-3 lemons in full bearing. Price $8000, mortgage $3500.

270 acres in Pomona Valley; first-class alfalfa land, abundance of water; price $27,000; will consider first-class eastern.

What have you to exchange for a 20-acre walnut ranch near Anaheim? Trees are from 5 to 10 years old, good pumping plant, 10 inches of water, cost only 10c per hour. Good 6-room house, barn, place in first-class condition. Price $4500, mortgage $1000.

40-acre orange ranch, well located, good improvements; will consider eastern property. Price $25,000; mortgage $8000.

20 acres at Glendora, 7 acres in navel oranges, full bearing, plenty of water. Price $8000, mortgage $1000.

CLINE-WALL REALTY COMPANY,
502 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
Phones Broadway 4885. Home A1505

FOR EXCHANGE—40 ACRES OF LAND 10 miles from Cincinnati, Ohio. Price $8000, clear. Want property in Southern California. 10-room stone house Manitou Springs, Colorado $9000. Want orange grove in a good location.

10-room brick house, Kansas City. Price $6500; equity $4000. Will take Los Angeles property.

6 lots on 56th st., all clear. Want income or Sierra Madre property.

7-room modern cottage, 100x150. Price $3000; mortgage $600. Located at Greening Station. Want equity in the city.

Clear, Chicago property up to $25,000. Want property in Los Angeles.

115 acres of lemons and oranges, fine water right, close to good town. Price $45,000; mortgage $20,000. Want equity in 6-room house in the city.

25 lots in San Diego county, close to center of town. Want rooming-house in city.

6-room modern house, close in, lot 50x150. Want Los Angeles.

12-room modern house, West Adams street. Price $11,000. Want orange or lemon grove. Prefer improved place.

PALMER & NORTON,
Home A8124; Main 3740. 605 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
W. J. POWER & CO.

$4000—Modern 6-room residence, south; large lot, nice residence district; clear lots part payment, easy terms.

$4500—Modern 8-room cottage, Long Beach; for Los Angeles property, equal value.

$4000—Modern 6-room cottage, furnished; Long Beach, near Bixby Hotel, for clear lots, Los Angeles or Pasadena.

$3500—Nice 6-room cottage, Boyle Heights, fine lot, improved street, for lots up to $3000, balance easy terms.

$5000—Modern 10-room residence, Conway, Iowa, one acre, fine home; for orange or lemon ranch; will assume.

$3500—Fine corner lot, West 59th, for nice modern cottage, west side.

$600—Each, several fine residence lots, Euclid ave., for grocery business.

$2000—One acre lot, Bell station; best garden soil, for grocery stock.

$3500—5 large residence lots, Altadena; one or all for grocery store.

$10,000—Furnished, 10-room, Long Beach; $3000 equity for income property.

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142 E. Broadway, Room 126.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$18,000—10 acre oranges, 10 acres lemons, Upland, 10 years old, A1, nothing finer, for Los Angeles property, equal value.

$12,000—20 acre orange grove, Ontario, for city or Pasadena.

$15,000—5 acre orange grove, Upland, for Los Angeles or Hollywood.

$3500—Grocery, money maker, for acreage, residence or Los Angeles.

$14,000—Oakland, for ranch, Santa Ana, Ontario, Cucamonga or Etiwanda.

$9000—Lot, Central ave., 91 ft. flats or rooming house.

$4000—6 room residence, Venice, for ranch property. This property is fine.

$5000—Colorado Springs income for Los Angeles, beach or ranch.

$7000—Hollywood residence, furnished, for orange grove.

$9000—18 acre walnut grove, Rivera, for Los Angeles, Pasadena or Hollywood.

Phones— THOMSON REALTY CO.
A2621. 324 Collins Bldg.
Main 6426. 312 West 3d st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
—IOWA FARM—
196 acres all under high state of cultivation, fine buildings.
15 minutes' ride to Des Moines.
Railroad runs through this farm, and depot, church, schools, and villages; on corner.
In corn and some oats and tame hay; price $20,000.
Want property in or near Los Angeles. Owner is here.
—ILLINOIS—
$11,000—Beautiful brick and stone residence, 12 rooms; strictly modern; hardwood finish inside; located at Joliet, Ill, a city of inhabitants and close to street car line running to Chicago. Will exchange for Southern California property.

BOWMAN REAL ESTATE CO.,
663 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—"DIRT CHEAP."
$12,000—A fine Iowa farm, in one of the best counties of the State, near good markets. Well improved; an old home place. Owner is here and wants to stay.
$8000—A beautiful 40 acres on the Santa Ana electric line; good alfalfa land; want city.
$15,000—Straight mortgage $7000; a fine Westlake home, 10 rooms, nearly new and perfectly modern; what can you offer for the equity?
$1000—A good lot near Sunset Blvd.; want equity in cottage; lot is clear.
$30,000—A fine big corner, close in, cheap at the price; want country lands.

EDWIN A. GRAY,
9 Home phone 4116. Offices, 424 Byrne Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—1309 ACRES IN SOUTHern Ohio, $13,000; clear, this tract will make good sheep ranch, good soil, rolling land, plenty water, want stock ranch, about same value in California.
250 acres in Gove county, Kansas, $4800, clear, for property in or near Los Angeles, might assume small amount.
160 acres in Hodgman county, Kansas, $2500 clear will assume. This is all good wheat land, about 6 miles south of county seat.
80 acres in Riverside county, $1600, clear, will assume, about 20 acres tillable land, small buildings, plenty living water.
We have several rooming houses for exchange and some for sale, we have good Stockton ranch, 9 acres near Burbank, to trade for good rooming house; also have some large stock ranches for exchange and some for sale. Call and see us, will try and suit you. J. WELLS & CO., 204 Mason Bldg., S.E. corner 4th and Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—
Alfalfa ranch, 45 acres, 24 acres in alfalfa, 25-H.P. pumping plant, good barn, 50x60; price $16,000; will take Los Angeles city up to $5000; situated near 2 railroads, cheap fare to Los Angeles.
20 acres, neat 4-room house, good buildings, windmill and tank, 7-inch well, wood, tools, shrubbery, etc., 10 shares water stock, 200 chickens, cow, hay and farming implements. Land is suitable for walnuts or mostly any fruit; price $6000; will take Los Angeles property in part pay.
43 acres, 20 acres in alfalfa, 25-H.P. pumping plant, 10 inches water, 5-room house, good barns and other buildings, small fruit orchard, 2 cows, 4 horses, 1 mule, wagon, buggy, and all farming implements; plenty of good wood and shade trees; price $15,000; will exchange for Los Angeles or Hollywood property. Address
JOHN A. MACDONALD,
Room 202, Wilcox Annex,
212 S. Spring, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—A LOT ON W. 61ST ST., near Broadway, for a brick building of 6 rooms each, with furnace and modern sanitary wash tubs and open plumbing throughout. Flats strictly modern and rent for $45 per month. Will exchange for property valued at $6000. This is the cash valuation. The street work is all done and it is near a public school and High School and ½ block from L station. Will exchange in connection with the following farm of 91 acres in Colebrook township, Ohio, a short distance from a railroad station. 20 acres timber, cash, oak, beech and elm timber; 60 acres in timothy and white clover, balance under cultivation of corn and oats; never failing water all the year round; new house of 10 rooms, with bath, range, furnished in Georgia oak; large lawn and a number of outbuildings, including barn, 40x80 feet; wood shed, sheep barn, granary, etc. Will exchange for property anywhere in Los Angeles county for the equity value of $10,000. THOS. J. HAMPTON, 205-6 Mason Opera house, L.A.R.B.

FOR EXCHANGE—$2500 EQUITY IN MODern 7-room house, Pasadena, and $2000 clear lots in Northern town; want clear lot in Westlake district or equity in house.
$2500—Equity in Pasadena house and $3000 cash for northern stock ranch.
$2100—5-room bungalow and two lots, Sawtelle, Cal., for 120 Pasadena.
$12,500—Equity in 10-acre orange grove in pretty little country town; income, outside of oranges, $700 year; want city income.
$9000—Riverside orange grove and alfalfa; 5-room house, barn, etc.; want Los Angeles or Long Beach.
$10,750—Covina orange grove, fine Boyle Heights lot and 2 good beach lots; want fine house southwest or flats and pay cash difference.
$9000—The best paying family hotel in the city; will trade for city lots or house.
$20000—Equity in 8-room house, West 39th street, for clear lot.
For quick results and a square deal, call on
McPHERSON REALTY CO.,
254-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$15,000—100 ft. front, Hope street, flats, rent $120, for 5½ city property.
H. P. ERNST, Room 313 Tajo Bldg., corner First and Broadway.

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Real Estate.

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SOME GOOD ONES.
$77,000—Clear. A four-story store; wholesale business block, La Crosse, Wis.; the best building in the wholesale district; 2 elevators, steam heat; fine basement; all in A1 condition; now leased 4 years to manufacturers of clothing and electric supplies. Want Southern California.
$40,000—Clear. One of the finest orange groves in Southern California. 20 acres, 12-room house, strictly modern; fine tank and mill; 4-room cottage for help; fine stable; strictly A1 property. Want city income; will put in $10,000 cash.
$12,000—The finest residence in Aurora, Ill. On Lincoln ave.; fine fruit and shade, lawn, flowers, etc. Strictly modern. Want orange grove.
$40,000—Clear. 80-acre grain ranch. Can grow anything. Some of the finest lands in the State. Improvements are A1. Large house and barn, and plenty of water—in the Turlock irrigation district. Want orange ranch.
$10,000—Clear. 21-acre Valencia grove; plenty water. All up to good shape. Want a good home in city up to about $17,000.
$17,000—Mtg. $7000, ½ interest in a business corner on Los Angeles st. Improved, 2-story brick. Want something on which $4000 can be borrowed. Will give good deal.
WE HAVE THOUSANDS OF OTHERS.
Note—We have moved to our new home.
W. A. CHOATE & CO.,
Suite 201-202 Collins Bldg., 323 West Third st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$16,000—40 acres on Santa Ana electric line, 32 acres alfalfa, balance set to general truck; 6-room house, barn, outbuildings, chicken-houses, fruits, nice home, for stock or grain ranch up north.
$3000—160 acres finest grain or alfalfa ranch in Tulare county, all cultivated; good well; fenced, house and barn, for rooming-house.
$7000—Beautiful 8-room new, modern home in Long Beach, and 30-h.p. gas pumping plant; prefer cottage in Boyle Heights or Pasadena as part payment.
$20,000—80-acre fruit ranch, olives, prunes, apples and peaches; 12 years old; income $6000, for city property.
$3500—14 acres, Corona; 3 acres oranges, 11 acres grain, 9-room house, good outbuildings; fine for chickens, for rooming house.
$4000—10 acres oranges and walnuts; house, barn and water right; only 3 miles home.
$6000—62-room hotel in heart of city; good furniture, long lease, low rent; always full, for good ranch, same value.
$18,000—26-room hotel, close to city, doing a good business, fine bedding and grounds, good furniture, always full, for city property or ranch.
We have thousands of exchanges, we can match almost anything offered, and don't you forget our new location.
LEAHY & SON,
214-215 Severance Bldg.
Phones Main 2806. Home F4631.

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU?
$12,000—40-acre alfalfa ranch, OFF SAN PEDRO ELECTRIC LINE. Nice house, barn and pumping plant. This is a gilt edge proposition. Want city, vacant acreage or income.
$15,000—Orange Grove—clear. 22 acres, Riverside way. Splendid improvements, modern house. Plenty water; healthful location. Want city or acreage, or clear Eastern and cash. What have you?
$4500—$2000 cash. The finest residence lot S.W., 50x150 to alley, and cash for nice home to $7500.
$4250—Third st., nice home for lot. balance easy terms.
3 fine lots in Ocean Park for cottage in city; would consider Glendale.
$3000—Corner lot on Bonnie Brae; make offer.
$2000—32-room new rooming house, new furniture, cheap rent, long lease; want city or acreage; will assume.
$6000—8 lots near Vermont ave., $850 mortgage; 4-room cottage rented; want city income or dist rict.

ARTHUR CARDWELL & CO.,
Home 222. 507 Grant Bldg.
Main 4176. 4th and Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$4000—Clear. Redlands, 6-room modern cottage; fine location. Want city or suburban; will assume.
$3000—Clear. Chicago residence. Want California city or ranch; will assume.
$3000—Clear. Huntington Beach, 7-room house. Want home in city; will assume.
$4500—Clear. Pasadena, 6-room modern house, large lot, Fair Oaks ave.; completely furnished; will take clear lot for first payment, balance on time, or part cash.
$2000—Clear. 4-room house; lot 108x135. Will take vacant lots or good ranch.
$20,000—Clear. Income property in good Minnesota city. Want any good California property.
$25,000—Mtg. $9000. Splendidly improved Covina 15-acre orange grove; good income. Want Northern California stock and grain ranch.
$20,000—Clear. 20-acre orange and lemon grove, Cucamonga. Want good eastern farm.
$8000—Business placed in our hands will receive "prompt attention." Call or send us particulars of your property, East or West.
THOMAS M. MOORE,
701 O. T. Johnson Bldg.
Main 8763, A8496.

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I make a specialty of exchanging Los Angeles city and county properties for Chicago. If you have property in Southern California and want Chicago, I will get a good exchange for you. If you have property in Chicago and want Southern California, I will get a good exchange for you. See my list.
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Want Liners

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$7000—Mortgage $1000; Imperial Valley, 174 acres, nearly all in alfalfa, and balance ready for seeding, 174 shares water. Exchange for something in or near Los Angeles.

$4000—Mortgage $1700; on Second street, 9-room house, modern in every way. Want lots and will put in some cash.

60-room rooming-house. Want small ranch. What have you?

CASH for small first-class rooming-house on the hill.

$2000—Mortgage $900; 5-acre ranch. Gardens; small house, well, windmill; fine soil; close to car line; $1900, clear; 10 acres of alfalfa; 3½ out of Hanford, Kings county. Exchange for house in Los Angeles. Will assume.

$5500—A bargain in rooming-houses. Net income $350 a month; centrally located. Exchange for ranch or eastern.

$6000—Clear; 10-room house in a thriving city in Iowa. What have you in Southern California?

$4000—Fillmore; good business property; close to Southern Pacific depot; 3 houses and lots. Call and see photos.

$1650—Sawtelle; 5-room cottage; large lot on wide oiled street. Exchange for rooming-house, and put in cash.

$4000—Mortgage $2500; Pico Heights; 6-room modern cottage; modern in every way. Want small house, and will pay cash difference.

$4000—Clear; 320-acre Missouri farm; two sets of buildings on place; fine cultivating land. Exchange for rooming-house or business of some kind.

$3300—Clear; 7 lots in Del Rey. Exchange for equity in cottage. One or all, and pay cash difference.

$3500—Mortgage $1900; southeast, 8-room house, modern. Exchange for cottage in southwest and pay cash difference.

$4000—Mortgage $1800; 6-room cottage, southwest. Exchange for rooming-house.

$2000—Clear; poolroom; large room; long lease; cheap rent. Want house.

$2500—Clear; 5 acres of land in the city of San Diego, ripe for subdivision; streets graded on three sides. What have you?

$2600—Mortgage $1800; Pico Heights; 4-room cottage, large lot, east front. Exchange for block of groceries, or what have you?

See J. T. PETERS, with D. L. PETERS, 214 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

$2000—10 acres, Hemet; nice sandy loam soil; house, 4 large rooms, pantry and bath; barn; 4 chicken houses, brooder house, etc. Land in grain for chickens; good well and pump. Mortgage $800. Want small place between Los Angeles and beach for equity.

$6000—30 acres, Moneta, house, 5 rooms, barn and outbuildings, good well, 60 shares water stock, worth $30 per share, cement ditch along side of the place; 1500 eucalyptus trees; land in corn this year. Want good house in Los Angeles.

$9000—10 acres, Corona, ½ in oranges, navels and Valencias; ½ in lemons, trees all in years old; 18 shares Temescal water stock. Mortgage $2000. Want good city property for equity.

$13,500—35 acres, El Monte, all in walnut trees, 4 years old; nearly all interset with alfalfa, between the trees. House, 4 rooms, barn, windmill with 16,000-gallon tank; one third interest in 50-H.P. pumping plant; plenty water; mortgage $4200. Want good city property for equity.

$15,000—10 acres, Sierra Madre; 9 acres in oranges, navels and Valencias; one acre fine variety deciduous fruit trees, 8 to 9 years old; 164 shares water stock. This place is in excellent condition, and the view is unsurpassed. A magnificent site for a home in the foothills, overlooking the beautiful San Gabriel Valley. Want first-class Los Angeles property in exchange.

"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
ACREAGE DEPARTMENT,
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY.
329 S. Hill st. Main 5307. Home Ex. 767. 9

A beautiful 2½-acre home place at Riverside, on one of the finest streets. 17½ acres in oranges, 4 acres alfalfa; full water right, cement head ditches; 10-room house, with all modern conveniences, fine electric fixtures, artesian water piped throughout the house; lovely lawn and flowers; automobile barn, 30 x24 feet; all necessary outbuildings; one block from electric car, 5 cent fare, and half block from railroad stopping place.

There is no nicer home in Riverside than this, and for any one wanting a country home with city privileges and conveniences this is the place. Photograph at office. Price $25,000. Will take in exchange good residence in Los Angeles property.

IMPERIAL INVESTMENT CO.,
315 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—

$15,000—

Colonial flats, close in, Westlake; income 11 per cent.; want modern residence, southwest, worth $6000; balance cash or mortgage.

$27,000—

Fine large corner on Hope st., want orange grove worth $10,000; balance cash or mortgage.

$5000—

Income property, livery stable, etc., Riverside, income $125 per month.; want residence or lots here.

B. W. BARTELS, room 220 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

$15,000, clear, 15 acres first-class full-bearing orchard, 300 feet from depot, Rialto, Cal. Soil first class. Water cheapest in Southern California. Grove is surrounded by graded and oiled streets. The water system cost $2000 to install, is concrete pipe underground, with hydrant at end of each row of trees. City water on grove. New 4-room cottage, barn, etc. This property is a bargain at price asked. Owner will exchange for flats or apartment building and assume $8000 to $15,000.

D. L. PETERS, 214 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

$12,000, clear, 18½ acres in full-bearing navel oranges. Best soil in California, with water right. Fronts on one of the finest graded and oiled streets, 16 minutes from the center of the city of Corona. Curbing in, also shade trees in front of the property. $3500 worth of fruit now on the trees. Owner will take flats, apartment building or other Los Angeles property and assume $8000 to $12,000. Might consider first-class eastern.

D. L. PETERS, 214 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—4-ROOM COTTAGE WITH bath, lawn, flowers, shade and fruit trees, barn, shed, small house on rear of lot, 80x140 feet to alley; a nice home on 22nd st.; also 27-acre ranch, 10 miles southeast, with pumping plant, house, barn, windmill and tank, 40 inches water, 10 acres alfalfa, a good stand; want 40 or more acres with water and buildings; prefer Glendale way; owners only answer. 1249 E. 22D ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—$7000, 10 ACRE WALNUT ranch; good 7-room plastered house, good barn and outbuildings, windmill and tank for domestic use, plenty cheap water for irrigating; within 200 yards of railroad station; want residence here. J. A. MORLAN & CO., 202 Fay Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—FREE OF INCUMbrance. The furniture and lease of a 50-room rooming-house in the center of the city, ½ block from two of the best hotels in the city. The owner will trade for any good real estate not too far from Los Angeles. Prefer San Diego residence property. Price $5500. Owner, 1412 S. GRAND AVE., city, or see J. C. Floyd, 236 Mason Operahouse. L. A. R. B. 11

FOR EXCHANGE—

Central ave., 27 acres good for subdividing, ½ mile from electric line; 4-room modern house, well, windmill, cheapest land in this section; will consider Long Beach, San Pedro, Pasadena, or city property and part cash. Price $200 per acre.

HASSON BROS., 619-20 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 167, Home 1186. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

A beautiful residence in Galveston, Texas. The second export city in the United States of America; want orange or alfalfa ranch; fine income property in Kansas City, and coal and timber land. Want hotel or orange grove.

L. S. McKINNEY & CO., 241 Douglas Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—$1450 EQUITY, FINE 5-room bungalow, corner lot, 38th street. Want good lot, $1000 and $450 cash; another $1100. Equity 5-room cottage, Lot 40x125, 38th street, near Moneta. Want clear lot; another $2800. Equity 6-room cottage. Lot 50x161, 52d street. Want clear city, $2000, balance cash. CALIFORNIA REALTY, Henne Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

On N. Hill st., lot 60x160, suitable for rooming or apartment-house; price $12,500; mortgage $5000; desire 5 or 8-room house in the southwest for equity.

MANSFIELD REALTY CO.,
216-16 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
Main 2867, Home 2172. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—CITY INCOME PROPERty, flats, cottages, apartment houses; also improved and unimproved business property. What have you in good improved or unimproved country property near the city to exchange for these? TRACY, COMPTON & HAUGH, 209-11 Copp Bldg., 218 South Broadway. Both Phones.

FOR EXCHANGE—REAL ESTATE.

$3000; mortgage $600, 32 acres, Lake county, Cal., mostly in fruit. Has good buildings; water and several hundred dollars' worth of personal property. Exchange for Los Angeles property.

D. L. PETERS, 214 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE SUBDIVISION acreage in Altadena, $40,000, whole or part, and assume on income Los Angeles.

SPRAGUE & WHITE,
610 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—

FLOWER STREET PROPERTY.

150 FEET FRONTAGE ON FLOWER STREET BY 165 FEET DEEP.

ONLY 5 MINUTES' WALK FROM BUSINESS CENTER.

FINEST APARTMENT HOUSE SITE IN THE CITY AT THE PRICE.

60 FEET FROM CORNER, AND OVERLOOKING SOUTHWEST SECTION OF THE CITY.

OWNER WILL EXCHANGE AT CASH PRICE OF $200 PER FRONT FOOT AND ACCEPT HIGH-CLASS RESIDENCE PROPERTY FOR EQUITY.

MORTGAGE OF $10,000 AT 6 PER CENT CAN REMAIN.

SEE MR. WRIGHT, WITH
MINES & PARISH,
325 S. HILL ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—

$3250—New 6-room cottage, modern, southwest; lot 50x148 to alley, two blocks to car line; want small ranch near foothills.

$2700—Modern 6-room cottage, built two years; lot 45x135, near San Pedro street; want good country property up to $5000.

$7000—Good 8-room residence, southwest; auto shed, chicken yard, etc.; lot 50x154 to alley; mortgage $1850; want good alfalfa land or orange grove.

$35,000—Choice property on Third street, Des Moines, Iowa; lot 100x132 with three houses. One house 13 rooms, modern; 1 double house, brick, thirteen rooms, 2 story. These houses all have good cement basements with furnace and steam heat. First class property and in good condition; mortgage $9000; want good Los Angeles property for equity.

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ACREAGE DEPARTMENT,
EDWARDS AND WINTERS CO.,
329 South Hill st.

FOR EXCHANGE—

Riverside city property well located, some clear, some encumbered, to the value of $75,000, in lots to suit, for acreage in Imperial or between Los Angeles and San Francisco; will take up to 2000 acres and assume on long time payments.

160 acre half mile below Inglewood on electric car line; $400 per acre on easy terms; will accept city property for part, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.

Will exchange real estate for cattle, horses or sheep.

OTIS LOCKHART,
626 Byrne Bldg.
Home A1664; Sunset Main 5515. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

$14,000—An elegant flat property, near 7th. $15,000—80 acres, a beautiful orchard, Ontario, $2400 income this year.

$14,000—65 acres, 40 acres fruit, Toluca.

$6500—160 acres, grain land, improved.

$5000—30 acres, 22 in fruit, Elsinore.

$4000—40 acres, fruit land, near Burbank.

$3000—Store, cottage, 2 lots at Redlands.

$2500—8-room house, good order, Redlands.

$1500—15 acres, clear, near Smiley Heights.

$1000—10 acres, clear, near Smiley Heights.

$800—3 large lot, 4-room cottage.

$400—Large fine lot, Boston Heights.

Also have California for good eastern.

W. J. HAYART, 310 Byrne Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—
EAST FIFTH STREET,
275x300 TO ALLEY.
—$22,000—
Want lots or good residence up to $15,000, balance 3 years at 6 per cent. interest.
C. C. COHN CO.,
323 Byrne Bldg.
A8823; Broadway 4577. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

$2400 equity in a 6-room new and modern cottage in southwest; hardwood floors, beam ceilings, built-in sideboard, pantry, bath, toilet to alley; want a bunch of lots near the city on inside.

W. O. LUSK,
Main 3000; F4287.
CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO.,
415 Union Trust (Braly) Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—$4500, COMPLETE MODern income country home, near Calif'ornia, the garden of California; electric road to pass the property; view and modern conveniences unsurpassed; or will exchange for flat property; lars, with COOPER & CUDDEBACK, 218 S. Broadway, room 237. Home phone A6684.

FOR EXCHANGE — ARE YOU LOOKING for a home, business or business property? If you have real estate to exchange see us; we will make you a good profit; we will trade anything. M. CARTER CO., 410-11 Mason Operahouse. A3964. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

$40,000 equity in beautiful tract, orange land, near Pasadena; value $17,500; on car line; Los Angeles; even or will assume; income preferred; no commission to pay on your property if you deal direct; correspondence solicited.

EYMANN REALTY CO., 311 S. Broadway, Los Angeles. Telephone Main 5721. 9

Beautiful modern 6-room residence in Westlake district, equipped with every convenience, hardwood floors, lot 41x120. Will exchange our equity of $2000 for smaller place near U. S. C. up to $4000. Balance due on this place which is offered for $7250 is payable monthly at less than rent.

JAMES JEALY,
620 Grosse Bldg., 6th and Spring. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—$5000; SPLENDID INcome propostition close in on East 14th st. Two houses on the lot; rent $50; land alone worth the money in cash. Want a small improved ranch not too far from the city. Also have $3000 for cottage or bungalow; offered must be clear or nearly so.

RIGGINS REALTY CO.,
422 W. Seventh st. Phone F4984. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

EATON-NOBLE REALTY CO.,
Home A4579. 335 Mason Bldg.

20 acres of as fine land as there is in California; set to grapes, vineyard 7 years old and guarantees good income; fronting on 30 minutes' ride to city; will exchange for good city or suburban property.

FOR EXCHANGE—5 LOTS, 150x150, HALF block from car line, Santa Monica, covered with the finest fruit, good 4-room cottage, barn, chicken-house, fine shade trees, must be seen to be appreciated, $800; mortgage $600. Want small improved ranch, good elevation, near San Bernardino preferred. Address F, box 94, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—VALUE $20,000; CITY drug store and 14 acres 19 years old finest orange orchard in country; buildings to amount of $6500; want apartment or other first class property up to $25,000; cash difference; this will stand investigation.

Exchange Department.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. 3rd st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
IF YOU HAVE PROPERTY TO
EXCHANGE
DON'T FAIL TO SEE
CLINE-WALL REALTY COMPANY,
502 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
Phones Broadway 4885. Home A7509. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE: 80 ACRES finest land in Southern California; level, fenced; 8-room cottage, three flowing wells, five miles from Santa Ana and Huntington Beach; celery, beet, corn land; $16,000; third cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years; will stand closest investigation; want some cash and Los Angeles property. ARTHUR G. MUNN, 202 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—$3500, NICE 3 ACRES LEMon and oranges, clear; fine soil, plenty water for city; assume or pay difference; $20,000. One of the best 160-acre farms in Missouri; fine 12-room modern residence near fine town, clear, for Southern California first-class proposition. Owner will give some one fine trade. CHAS. O. GOODWIN, 309 W. First. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

Our equity, $1450, in two good beach lots, for 5 or 6-room cottage in the city; will pay balance monthly.

MANSFIELD REALTY CO.,
314-16 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
Main 2867, Home 2172. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

Four lots in Hollywood View tract; want house here or cottage at the beach, or small ranch; might consider well-located rooming-house.

J. A. MORLAN & CO.,
202 Fay Building.

FOR EXCHANGE—DO YOU WANT A ranch, improved or unimproved, income city property or residence? If you have real estate to exchange see us; will make you a good fair deal. LAURA MUSSER, with TUCKER, 212 Merchant's Trust Bldg. A3770. Broadway 2033. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—PRICE $20,000; 97 ACRES best orange acres in Redlands, 20 acres 9-year-old trees, excellent condition, $7000 buildings; will exchange all or part for city property. Exchange Department.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. 3rd st.

FOR EXCHANGE—VALUE $4000; EQUITY of $2500 in cottage and 4 fine lots in westlake district, for cottage or bungalow; will assume. Exchange Department.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. 3rd st. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—A RANCH OF 80 ACRES on the Santa Ana car line, house, barn, orchard, choice land for alfalfa or walnuts; a fine piece of property; will take Los Angeles property. W. DECKER & CO., 215 Mercantile Place. F2237; Main 2053.

FOR EXCHANGE—3 HOUSES, CLOSE IN, at Long Beach; fine income; price $7200; will take $4000 in good Los Angeles. W. DECKER & CLENDENON BROS., 215 Mercantile Place. F2237; Main 2053. 9

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—

40 acres near Riverside, $800, 500 inches of free water, will rent for $500 per annum, want city property, about $2000.

400 acres, Escondido, a good stock ranch, want an orange grove, about $50,000.

A nice home in the city of Redlands, want something in Los Angeles, $5000 valuation, clear.

120 acres of land in Lake county; want a cottage in this city. Income property in Searchlight for city property actually worth $3000.

Cottage at the beach for a rooming house. Exchanges with us are a specialty, and we solicit your business.

E. J. MERCEREAU, with V. E. Stockwell & Co., 304 Grant Bldg., A2514, Main 1589.

FOR EXCHANGE—

A nice home on Hoover street near Washington, want 7-room house, consisting of 5 room modern house in first class condition; worth $6000 cash; will exchange for 5 or 9 room residence, east front, on high ground in Westlake Park district; must be modern and will pay $2000 to $3000 difference.

Also have an 8 room modern residence on Maltman avenue, east front, worth $6500 cash, will exchange for vacant lot in good location to the value of $2000 or will trade for 10 to 12 room residence in good location and pay difference or assume.

Exchange department.

OLD SETTLERS' INVESTMENT CO.,
220 CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BLD'G 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

$15,000—15 acres, sold to 12-year-old oranges; 30 shares Riverside Water Co. stock. Exchange for property in or near New York city.

$11,000—42½ acres, 8½ Washington navels, 5 acres Valencias; small house and barn. Exchange for property in or near New York city.

$1000—Two lots Huntington Beach, clear, for equity in cottage. Assume up to $2000.

$1400—Two lots on principal street Huntington Beach, clear, for equity in cottage. Assume up to $2000.

GRANADA REALTY CO.,
618 Union Trust Bldg.
Home Phone F8324. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—HUNTINGton Park business property. Improvements are store and 3 modern living rooms, outbuildings and fences, $1200; also new 4 room cottage, lot fenced, walks, laid, in Boyle Heights, $1000; both places now rented, also 2 unimproved lots; will exchange for grocery or furniture stock, rooming house or cash. You must have equal value, for mine is cash basis. See owner and save com. C. L. WALLACE, 715 East Washington st. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

Have a forty-foot north front lot on 35th street near Figueroa to exchange for a restaurant or grocery. What have you?

CAGNEW,
Care W. R. COSPER CO. (Inc.)
330 S. Hill.
Main 6278; Home Ex. 548. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

AT POMONA.

10-acre orange ranch and other fruit, good location, on direct line of electric road, a nice home and good income. Want Los Angeles or Long Beach income.

EDWARD E. GILLEN & CO.,
Pomona, Cal. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

I have a clear lot on a 96-foot boulevard, high and sightly, that I will sell for $1100, or will trade in with small cash payment for good 5 or 6-room cottage or bungalow.

A8122. J. B. BINGHAM,
Main 2144. 105 S. Broadway. 10

FOR EXCHANGE — I WILL TAKE SOME small business store, rooming-house piano, jewelery or horse and buggy up to $1000 equity on new 4-room cottage, balance like rent; will give you a bargain; I also own 5-room house to trade. OWNER, 3258 E. First street. Take green Boyle Heights car. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW 36 ROOM BUILDing furnished, at one of our best beaches, leased $150 month; price $15,000; mortgage $4000; trade equity for clear country property, or take Los Angeles and assume. What have you. Owner 1389 EAST 15TH ST. Phone South 2390. 9

FOR SALE—CAN YOU BEAT THESE? Small house, Main and 103th, only $25A; 30 rooms, lease $90, $800; cash $250. 24 rooms, lease $100, $1725, cash $1000. 62 rooms, Spring st.; cheap for cash, and reasonable for a piece of ground.

CREAGER, 634 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR EXCHANGE—

$7500, clear—10 acres navels; at Covina; crops almost ready for market; 23 shares water; want city property; will assume.

JOS. E. DAVIS,
A2105. 718 Fay Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—MOUNTAIN RANCH home of 1277 acres near Santa Paula; improved. Owner wants city property or alfalfa or walnut ranch.

A2105. JOS. E. DAVIS,
718 Fay Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 FINE PIECES CLOSE in Pomona income property for any good Los Angeles city property, or will sell the above property for cash for less than value of lands and throw in the improvements. OWNER, 209½ S. Beaudry ave., city. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—A FIVE-ROOM MODERN cottage, south part of city; every convenience you can think of; lot north front; 50x125; clear, to exchange for East Los Angeles house and lot. Address F, box 51, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—A FINE WELL IMproved 25 acre Orange ranch, navels and Valencias, near Covina, owner's equity $12,000; want a northern stock ranch. Ask for it. H. M. BUCK, 213 W. 3d st. Room 202, Main 285, A3286.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR EASTERN CITY income property, $8000; also Venice lots, clear, $2500; also 10-acre alfalfa land, clear, $2500; total $12,000 and $2000 cash for good walnut grove clear. Address Owner, 1349 RICH ST., Home phone 4913. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO 8 ROOM HOUSES, equity $2500, close in, for clear city or beach.

8 and 8 room cottages, good lots or lot, part payment. Address D, box 136, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM THOROUGHLY modern cottage, new, $3000; want building lots, chicken ranch or what have you?

10 acres near Riverside, unimproved, clear; want lot or good equity in something in or near Los Angeles, COLWELL, 223 W. 2nd st., Room 201. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE EQUITY OF $2000 IN EASTERN PROPERTY. WHAT HAVE YOU? ADDRESS E. BOX 39, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE EXTRA LARGE lots, clear; located in high-class neighborhood; close to good car line. Will trade at fair prices for equities in city income property. Address F, box 147, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE; A CHOICE foothill home. If you want anything for health, there is no better. Price $8500; will take city property up to $5000. Sunset Glendale line, $2,000 cash, balance $25 per month. 6th st. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—7 ROOM MODERN house in Salt Lake for ranch or house here; will give fine trade. HUDSON, 534 Germain.

$1200 Lot and $400 cash for 6 room bungalow, south or southwest. Phone Broadway 5066, 534 GERMAIN BLDG. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—5 ACRES CLEAR, ADjoining prosperous city of 5000 in Oklahoma, for good, new house, 3 acres of fruit, balance in garden and chicken corrals. What have you to offer? Price $2500. C. F. SCOTT, 204½ S. Broadway. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—I WANT TO EXCHANGE a 6-room almost new house, cor. Third and Cedar st., Riverside, for some small business; or what have you? CUNNINGHAM, 213 Temple st. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—9-ROOM HOUSE IN Riverside, corner lot, fine fruit and shade trees, lot 65x150, nice location; want lot in Los Angeles and will assume. ARTHUR G. MUNN, 202 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFULLY LOCATed ranch of 160 acres near Hemet, for rooming house in good location in Los Angeles. ARTHUR G. MUNN, 202 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN, 5 ROOM AND basement cottage, at Manhattan Beach. Will take lot or equity in city up to $600. Phone A2231. S. C. SPERSON, 508 Byrne Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — A CLEAR LOT AND small amount cash, first payment on modern 5-room cottage, prefer northwest, but will consider city. Owner, 505 BYRNE BLDG. Phone A2357. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — PORTLAND, ME., large corner lot, 12-room modern house, $6000 equity; also 3 lots and cottage, $1200. Want cottage and lots, or what have you? Address D, box 29, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — FINE RANCH NEARby, and clear of incumbrance; close to good car line. Trade for city income and assume a reasonable amount. Address D, box 179, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—

Close-in lot, good for apartment house, exchange for residence.

MAXON REALTY CO.,
114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—

$20,000—Beautiful home in southwest, modern, large grounds, east front, exchange part country or eastern.

MAXON REALTY CO.,
114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—60 ACRES PEAT OR celery land west of Santa Ana, $300 per acre. Want home in city; some cash, balance easy terms.

F. E. DODGE, 109 S. Broadway. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—LAUNDRY IN PRESCOTT, ARIZ. Net income $7000 per year. Price $30,000. Will take $10,000 in Los Angeles property, balance cash. PALMER & NORTON, 605 Grant Bldg. Phone A8124; Main 2740. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—SIX ROOM MODERN house, large lot, near Hollywood; price $3500; equity $2500; want lots this side of Hemet st., will assume. Address Y, box 130, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — 9-ROOM MODERN house and six adjoining lots, clear, Manicos, Montezuma county, Colorado; $3000; for clear property here. H. H. PRATHER, 514 S. Figueroa. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—$2500.

5-room cottage, 55 feet front, mortgage $1500; rent $15. Equity for diamonds or lot.

H. P. ERNST, Room 312 Tajo Bldg., corner First and Broadway. 9

FOR EXCHANGE — TWO FINE LOTS IN East Hollywood, for cottage in south or southwestern portion of city. Unless your property is good do not answer. PHONE 19619. 9

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Lots near Garvanza, clear of encumbrance, exchange for home in city and pay cash difference.

MAXON REALTY CO.,
114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—

$2000—10 acres unimproved near Covina, exchange for equity in home or pay cash difference.

MAXON REALTY CO.,
114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—

$6500—Lease and furniture well established rooming-house, close in; exchange for real estate.

MAXON REALTY CO.,
114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—

$7500 equity 8-room house, Westlake district, exchange for country or ranch.

MAXON REALTY CO.,
114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT GROCERY OR rooming-house in exchange for new 4 or 9-room house and lot; own both. 2258 E. FOURTH ST. Take green Boyle Heights car. Home phone 41295. 12

FOR EXCHANGE—I HAVE A NICE 4-ACRE ranch, good, new house, 3 acres of fruit, balance in garden and chicken corrals. What have you to offer? Price $2500. C. F. SCOTT, 204½ S. Broadway. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—I WANT TO EXCHANGE a 6-room almost new house, cor. Third and Cedar st., Riverside, for some small business; or what have you? CUNNINGHAM, 213 Temple st. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—9-ROOM HOUSE IN Riverside, corner lot, fine fruit and shade trees, lot 65x150, nice location; want lot in Los Angeles and will assume. ARTHUR G. MUNN, 202 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFULLY LOCATed ranch of 160 acres near Hemet, for rooming house in good location in Los Angeles. ARTHUR G. MUNN, 202 Mason Bldg. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR CITY PROPERTY, 20-acre orange grove, full bearing, am widow and can't be care of it. Will give good trade. 1718 WESTERN AVE. West 2024. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—ELEGANT NEW 6-ROOM cottage, near Hollywood Hotel, large lot, best improvements; will take vacant lot for $1500 equity. REALTY INVESTMENT CO., 837 S. Broadway. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—$1650; ALVARADO ST., 50x140; will clear lot, 50x140 to alley; want cottage in good section of city. KENNEDY-WILKINSON CO., 427 Laughlin Bldg. A7110; Main 257.

FOR EXCHANGE — IN PASADENA, AN equity of $2500 in new modern 5-room house to exchange for acreage located right; chicken ranch. A. E. SCHOOLEY, room 2, Union Bank Bldg., Pasadena. 9

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5-room cottage, 55 feet front, mortgage $1500; rent $15. Equity for diamonds or lot.

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To be removed, large frame building, southeast. Make offer.
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FOR SALE—UNREDEEMED PLEDGES FOR sale cheap; once Becker's assayer's scale, gold-headed cane, diamond horseshoe pin, etc., bargains in watches. 128½ S. SPRING, room 7. 9

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FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; FOUR MODERN flats, all rented, brings nice income; owner in poor health, wants to sell; cottage in rear making 21 rooms. 307 S. CHICAGO ST. 9

FOR SALE—REFRIGERATOR FOR BUTCHer, 52-hand in good condition, also butchers' fixtures of all kinds. Meyer refrigerators for hotels, restaurants, grocers, etc. EMIL KIRCHNER, 139 N. Main st. 9

FOR SALE—NEW WHEELER & WILSON and Singer sewing machines. See us before you purchase elsewhere; we will save you lowest. New machines rented. ARCADE CO., 416 W. 7th. Home 2268. Main 6917. 9

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FOR SALE—THE SAMPLE SHOE SHOP opens tomorrow. All ladies' $2.50 to $3.00 shoes for $2.00. Nothing higher. All sizes and widths, who are figuring on supplying to the Southwest. The rate will be 3c per word for classified announcements to run in the magazine section of this special issue. "Liner" copy will be received up to and including Dec. ... 9

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ce more the medical law of C is to be attacked by physicia have practiced in other State who have failed to pass the e tion required by the Californ d of Medical Examiners. A le ber of these physicians have sta their intention of meeting in L ies next Thursday evening to t for testing the constitutiona he law.

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eral of these doctors related t iences yesterday. Some of th aken the State examination t had failed to pass. They s examination was unfair; questions were sprung on th also declared that the Califo cts as a bar to efficient and w physicians who have prac her States. One of these is Dr. Charles H. English, w ented as having for a nu ars been the family physici ate Benjamin Harrison, f ident of the United States.

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SANTA CLAUS MARKET

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REAL ESTATE NOTES.

Hunt Fitch has let contracts for the road and park improvements at Hollywood. This property is north of Sunset boulevard, between Lucile and Van Ness avenue, containing 205 building lots. The entire tract will be graded and high class street improvements installed at a cost of $74,365. This property covers one of the sightliest knolls in the city, commanding a view of the ocean, Catalina Islands, San Gabriel Valley and the Sierra Madre Mountain range. The building restrictions will insure a good class of residences.

The McCarthy Company has given to Henry Huntington for the Los Angeles & Redondo Railway a right of way over Hoover street from Florence avenue, running one-half mile southerly through the entire easterly frontage of the company's new Florence Heights tract. When put to use this new extension will do away with the double curve north of this point, and will afford a more direct line through this fast-growing district.

Frederick T. Kneeling has moved his office to the Los Angeles Trust Building, corner Spring and Second streets. The sale of twenty-seven lots in Boyle Heights during the past week is reported by H. H. McCord Company, the total amount of the sales aggregating $20,200. Among the purchasers were E. F. Konan, a mine owner of Nevada, and Dr. Ghent, one of the surgeons of Seattle, the latter purchasing two lots on Main street, for which a syndicate has been organized to build a new hotel on Hobson avenue, on the corner of Main street, the lots for which are now being prepared. The new building will contain one hundred rooms, and will be three stories high. A lease of the premises has been arranged with a hotel man, formerly of Colorado Springs.

The Los Angeles Inter-Urban electric line, which runs out Vermont avenue, connects with the Redondo-Gardena line, which runs on the same Mountain-to-Redondo boulevard at Florence avenue, has established a special station at Florence Heights, opposite the McCarthy Company's new branch office.

C. C. Peckham & Co., report the following sales in the last few days: In Peckham's Monta Avenue Square, No. 1, to Delia Kavanaga, lot, $1000; Andrew Mooney, lot, $1000; F. C. Spiegel, lot, $1000; Mrs. H. G. Helmer, lot, $1100; Peckham's Monaco, lot, $600; Joseph Sinsheimer, lot, $550. In Peckham's Moneta Square No. 2, Geo. Norton, lot, $450. In Peckham's Moneta Avenue No. 3, F. A. Fenton, lot, $475. In Peckham's Moneta Avenue Square No. 4, Koontz, lot, $550. In Peckham's Moneta Avenue Square No. 5, Rev. A. J. Phelps, lot, $650; F. Vogel, lot, $650.

The Country Club Park, the corporation which owns the ground occupied by the Los Angeles Country Club, and its various holdings adjacent thereto, on avenue and Pico street, In sales aggregating $100,000 as reported, announce recent Subdivision No. 1, along Westmoreland place between San Marino and Berkeley streets, and Subdivision No. 2, on Pico street just west of the Los Angeles Country Club House, of fifteen lots at $1900 to $2000 each.

The McCarthy Company reports the following sales in Florence Heights tract in advance sales made before the formal opening, which takes place on the 15th inst., making one of the largest advance sales in any tract during the year. It is a good indication of the present tone of the market, and at a time when most buyers are said to be more interested in the coming holidays than in realty matters. The sales embrace 223 lots in orders of one to six lots each at $300 each.

The J. A. McLeod Company report the following sales, amounting to $9600, in Highlights Tract: Lot corner Pico and Normandie avenue, to Robert R. Bennett, $400; two lots on Cordova avenue, to Daniel Reid at $300 each; lot on Venetia avenue, to Harold E. Pillsbury, $650; lot on Venetia avenue to Lawrence C. Hall; lot on Romeo street to Mrs. Billings, $325; lot on Romeo street to W. F. Tardy, $350; lot on Romeo street to Thomas Kitchen, $300; lot on Russell avenue to L. P. Baird, lot on Russell avenue to C. D. Hall; lot on Juliet street to Carroll, $400; lot on Juliet street to Blanchard, $425; lot on Juliet street to C. C. Cushing, $400. Following sales in Figueroa street tracts: Lot on Sixty-third street to J. O. Wilson; three lots on Sixty-eighth street to R. Weller, at $535 each; lot on Sixty-ninth street to James E. Hall; lot on Sixty-ninth street to Mrs. Hall, $675.

The Miller & Co. have sold lots in Mar Vista Mar amounting to $15,000—at $300 each.

Since the first rains a great deal of street work is taking place in Boyle Heights tract. The grading of Colorado street to a 120-foot boulevard is completed. Several large tracts are having extensive street work, including the Kenilworth tract of Edwin Whiters Company and the Hillcrest tract of the John G. Johnson Company. Much interest is being shown by the residents of Eagle Rock in the formation of a Country Club, as there is every probability of such organization. The double-tracking of the Eagle Rock car line is nearly completed, to the great convenience of the residents of the road, who are compelled to transfer at Dayton street. The Eagle Rock Water Company is rushing work on its No. 3 reservoir, located on the top of Sagamore hill, at an elevation of 903 feet. This reservoir will supply the entire higher portion of the valley.

The McCarthy Company has placed about 100 Phoenix palms, 500 Washingtonia and 100 rolusta fan palms to be used in beautifying Florence Heights tract.

Hunsaker reports the following sales: Lot on Mesmer to W. H. Randall, $1000; lot No. 1813 West Twentieth street, six-room house, John Hall; lot, six-room house, W. T. Highley, No. 1771 Twenty-first street, $3600; T. M. Lester E. Bennett, seven-room house, No. 1637 West Twenty-second street, $4600; W. H. Smythe to Mrs. Spotts, five-room bungalow, No. 1 Benita avenue, $2750; G. Hall to Adda M Burgerser, six-room house, No 1935 West Twenty-second street, $3250; M. J. Shanks and wife, Watson to R. J. Apablassa, lot on Vestage, No. 1749 Berendo street, $1000.

Hunsaker has sold for Mrs. A. H. Bixby a ranch of 255 acres, one and one-half miles northeast of Gardena, to A. A. Holburn, who are subdividing five-acre tracts with streets graded and oiled, water piped, etc.

A. Hay, who made such a success of the Crescent Heights tract, Hollywood, are putting on a subdivision to be known as Boyle Heights tract No. 2. The sale of lots in Crescent Heights has been so many instances depended upon their purchasers think the time is ripe for another big movement in realty.

Special day for Montecito Park has been changed to Saturday, December 15, owing to the prevailing rains. As a result of the past week or two the advance sales and inquiries, say M. E. Cohn, one of the owners' agents, will be large on the opening day will be. There have been no special inducements that have created interest on the part of the public in the building of the Montecito Park into Montecito Heights, and the remaining improvement work will be rushed to completion as fast as possible.

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With the addition tomorrow of two new lectures to the free course at the Chamber of Commerce building there is added attraction at that palace of wonders for tourists and residents. The "Wiggins vaudeville show" now is one of the principal drawing cards down town.

The latest additions to the bill include several counties north of San Francisco Bay, which have combined in the employment of a lecturer to set before the local resident and floating population the charms of that district. This lecturer comes provided with stereopticon slides and a vast fund of information on agricultural possibilities and other attractions.

Redlands, too, sends a lecturer to picture the attractiveness of that charming little city and its environs. Other counties taking part in the continuous performance, which begins at 2:30 o'clock p.m., and closes at 5 o'clock, include Fresno, Stanislaus, San Diego, Orange, Riverside and Los Angeles.

More than 300 slides are shown on the screen in the course of an afternoon, and in addition there are several sets of moving pictures. These lifelike scenes depict the Los Angeles Fiesta, the Pasadena Tournament of Roses, the chariot race in connection therewith, and the Ostrich Farm.

The duration of each lecture is about thirty minutes, and at its close the lecturer is subject to the call of visitors who may desire additional information regarding the county he represents.

That a number of the northern counties have engaged in this method of attracting the attention of Los Angeles visitors is eloquent testimony as to their estimate of this city's preeminence as a tourist center. It also demonstrates that the local Chamber of Commerce is not jealous in any degree of the pulling powers of other parts of the State.

The lectures serve to draw to the Chamber large numbers of people who in many instances spend almost the entire day in viewing the Coronel collection of relics of the mission days and in an inspection of the exhibits of the varied products of this county.

While this promotion of publicity is going on at home, the beauties of Los Angeles county are being displayed and explained in at least five courses of lectures that are being delivered in various parts of the East. Two of these courses are being presented now in New York State, and one each in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Minnesota. Several scores of slides are used in these lectures and the Chamber of Commerce is hearing daily from persons whose attention thus has been attracted.

Railroad companies and bureaus of information in all parts of the country, especially in the Atlantic States, are sending for Los Angeles literature in large quantities. Much of this printed matter is going into localities that it never reached before.

REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

Articles of incorporation of the Los Angeles Real Estate Exchange, with a capital stock of $75,000, have been filed, and the institution will be in running order before January 1.

There have been secured quarters on the third floor of the building occupied by the Wiley B. Allen Music Company on Broadway, between Fourth and Fifth, and workmen now are engaged in fitting up the big room for the purposes intended, which includes an immense blackboard running the entire length of the room. On this blackboard each member of the exchange will be permitted to list three pieces of property, but there will be no limit to the number of such pieces that may be listed with the secretary of the exchange, and to which all members will have access.

Membership in the exchange is obtained by the payment of a small initiation fee and quarterly dues, and the income from this source goes to defray the expenses of the institution. The object of the exchange, as outlined by the prospectus, is to form a convenient place where buyer and seller may be brought together for the inception and completion of all the details of the transaction, and to eliminate the commission feature of the real estate business.

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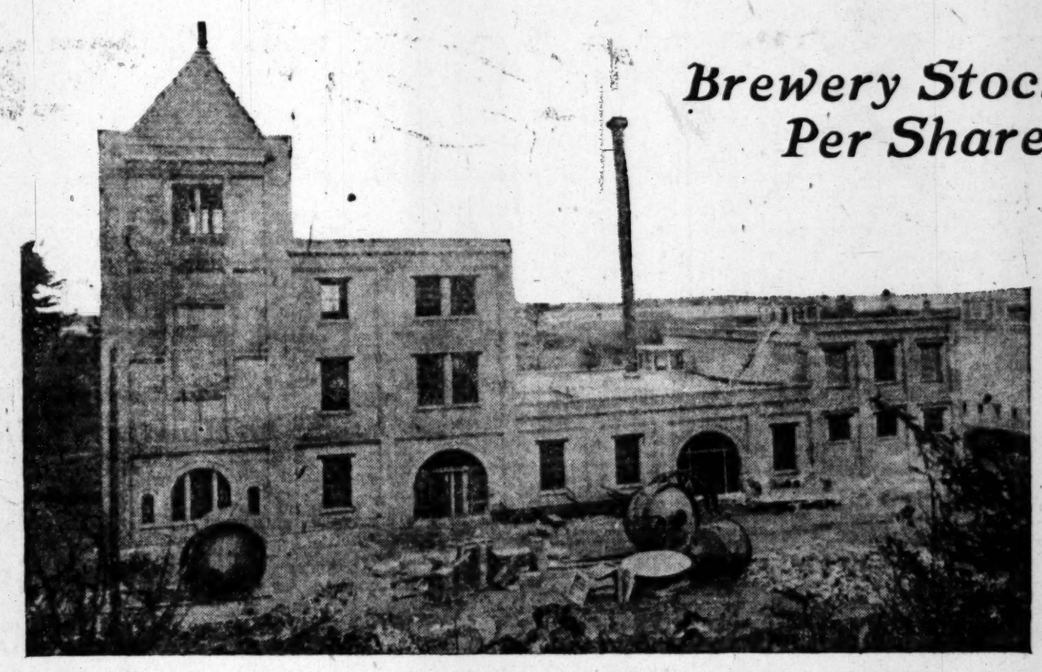
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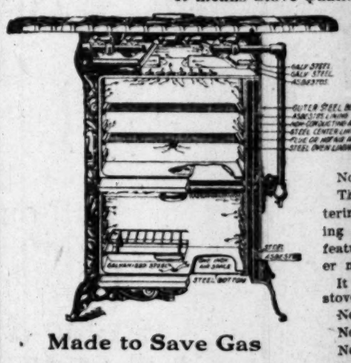
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Great Young People Elect Their Officers.

Convention Will Close With Great Meeting.

Yesterday the time of the Southern California Baptist convention was devoted to the Young People's Union. The deliberations were presided over by J. D. Schultz, State president. The attendance was good and after the appointment of the several committees the reports of the officers were read.

A NEVADA BOOMER.

"A Message From the Desert" was the subject of Rev. W. C. Driver, who has been the representative of the Young People's Union in Nevada during the past year.

"The president introduced me as 'of the desert,' but I want to say for the comfort of Dr. Field, who addressed you so eloquently yesterday; for the protection of the president, yourselves, everybody else, that the desert has been annihilated; there is no longer a 'great American desert.' The desert is a place where nobody, a place not fit for anybody to live in. In Nevada there are 100,000 and a dozen thriving agricultural and commercial cities that are being heard about around the world. Its mining, agricultural and general activity continues for a few years longer. Nevada will produce a second crop of millionaires, if number will not be less than the first.

"I could not be at all surprised if the convention having in hand the plan for raising a half-million for the college would find it convenient to come to Nevada to get some of the money to carry through the plan."

Driver drove home his facts with much eloquence, in his determination to annihilate the people who had held a "desert." It was a big boom for the once "arid district" it was probably well to the left of the speaker, which was to call more attention to his field.

"What I have said of Nevada refers to that part of California which is to be in Nevada," he said.

"I thought that seven Baptist churches for 100,000 square miles of territory was only a slight hold for Christianity to have on so great a state."

President Schultz attempted to prevent hand-clapping, but Mr. Driver several times vigorously applauded.

"Driver's figures were astonishing, and he made a powerful plea for

"Look to your eyes," he demanded, "look over the mountains into Nevada. One of the most difficult tasks we have had to do has been to get the people of California to look over there Nevada Mountains. Business men from all parts of the world, during the past year, have trains in their heads and money in the bank, but not many of them march men. The business men have eyes on Nevada."

ISLANDS OUTSIDE.

Rev. J. E. Emett, Young People's superintendent in Southern California, spoke on the subject "Evangelistic Work."

"I first out as the Young People's missionary, and I brought up the matter between the City Mission-ary Society and the Young Men's Christian association," said the speaker. "His later stated, that he had accepted a position with the Y.M.C.A. He stated that the plan for holding the meetings had been abandoned in part because the tent could not be held within the fire limits. He said: 'I thought I saw a scheme, and I began to fall down between two schemes. I said that the politicians would erect a tent for the campaign, and I then declared that if they did, that very thing I would erect a tent for the Young People.'"

Upon this assertion, he said, in a few days meeting, and the next day saw a statement in the papers that no tent would be permitted within the city limits for any purpose.

BRYAN "GETS THERE."

Rev. W. L. Tucker of Riverside spoke on the spiritual side of the young people's work. His keen sentences won much applause.

"Some one asked, 'How do the young people stand?' said the speaker. 'My answer was, 'They don't stand at all, they move.'

"I was asked, 'How do you get them to drop your peculiar doctrines?' 'The Holy Ghost grip them,' I answered."

Mr. Tucker is an eloquent speaker, and a recent arrival from Missouri.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, H. D. Bonebrake, Los Angeles; vice-presidents, Rev. J. Ayer of Santa Barbara, Clifford Pratt of Los Angeles, A. B. Hutton of Santa Ana; secretary, Miss Ethel Coolidge, Pasadena; corresponding secretary, Miss Elizabeth Hall, Los Angeles; treasurer, Howard Glendora; leader, Dan Selleck, Los Angeles; superintendent of prayer, Miss Clara Penner, Pomona; president of C.C.C., Casey Smith, Ontario; quiet hour, Miss May Hall, Venice; superintendent of junior work, Miss Grace Van Zandt, Pasadena; Seventh legion, H. O. Meyers, Pasadena; board of managers, Robert Hodge, Miss Cora J. Holden, Pasadena; Rev. Robins, Alonzo R. Taylor, Pasadena.

BEYOND THE SEA.

A. W. Rider of Oakland, superintendent of missionary work on this coast, talked about Japan, where he was formerly stationed as a missionary.

The state board of managers reported a total of sixty-three societies in Southern California.

Rev. A. Cleveland delivered an address which he spoke scathingly of the evils of commercialism and materialism, that, he asserted, now prevail.

The final address of the day was by Rev. A. M. Petty, on the subject "A Prospective View." He gave a beautiful vision of the future of the church and predicted great achievements for the young people.

Rev. E. H. Hinson, president of the convention, was to have delivered an address, but he went home last night, but he went home and Rev. Albert Hatchen Smith was elected, and spoke to a packed house.

TODAY'S PROGRAMME.

The business of the convention will be held in Temple Baptist church today as follows:

Prayer-meeting at 7:30 a.m., conducted by Rev. George C. Wright, Burbank.

Rev. Robert J. Burdette will preach the Young People's convention sermon at 11 o'clock a.m.

Rev. Stephen A. Northrop will preside at a platform meeting at 3:30 p.m., at which four fifteen-minute addresses will be delivered, the speakers being Rev. E. E. Chivers, Rev. W. B. Hinson, Rev. C. C. Pierce, and Rev. Albert Hatcher Smith.

RELIGIOUS ITEMS.

NEW SECRETARIES CHOSEN.

The Young Men's Christian Association announces the appointment of Rev. E. H. Emett as director of the religious work of the association. Mr. Emett has been an evangelist, working under the auspices of the Baptist church, and is an earnest and forcible speaker and a genial gentleman. J. L. Graham, formerly connected with the association as one of its secretaries, has again been secured as membership secretary and employment director. For the past two years he has been engaged in the practice of law, meanwhile being a very active member of the association and he has determined to devote his life to that cause.

A sacred concert will be given at Bethesda Presbyterian church this evening, under the direction of H. C. Blaney. An elaborate programme will be rendered by well-known local instrumental and vocal talent.

Catholic churches of the city yesterday celebrated the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. Bishop Conaty preached at St. Vibiana's Cathedral, and Father Caballeria at Our Lady of the Angels. At St. Vincent's the sermon was preached by Father W. J. Gorrell.

Rev. J. B. Holley, president of the Sunday Observance Association, will preach at the East Side Congregational Church tonight.

There will be a reception of members at the First United Brethren Church after the service this morning.

Rev. Lewis G. Morris, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, will speak at the Young Women's Christian Association at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Miss Zoe McClure will sing.

A cantata entitled "The Kingdom of Heaven" will be rendered at Asbury Methodist Church Workman street and Downey avenue this evening by a large chorus choir, under the direction of W. C. Kirkman.

The ladies of the Norwegian-Danish Church, Tenth street and Denver avenue, will hold their annual bazaar in the basement of the church on December 15.

A Christmas sale will be held by the ladies of Westlake Presbyterian Church, No. 1020 South Union avenue, beginning at 10 o'clock on the morning of December 16.

The young ladies of the First English Lutheran Church, Eighth and Flower streets, will hold a Christmas bazaar in the church on Thursday, December 13.

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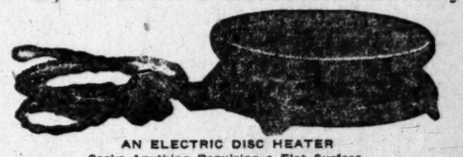
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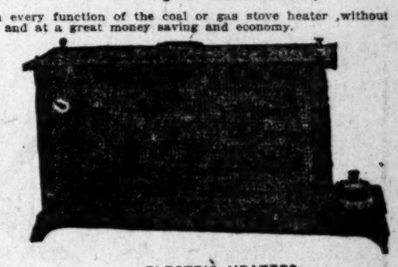


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Death of Charles Sharp Is Mysterious.

Story of Fight in Lodge of Odd Fellows.

Azusa Wrought Up, Inquest May Follow.

Charles D. Sharp is dead in Azusa, and the manner of his death is the talk of the town. It is talked in whispers, however, and in groups of only two. Rumor charges a gathering of Odd Fellows with conduct which contributed to the causes of Sharp's death, and Azusa is a strong lodge town. The Odd Fellows are urging a post mortem examination, and the fear of offending the order seems to exist mostly in the minds of those who are not members of the organization.

Many persons in Azusa, when induced to make a statement, declare or admit that the inquiry should not end with the autopsy.

Charles Sharp, a painter and paperhanger, who was a resident of Azusa for fifteen years, went to be initiated into the order of Odd Fellows on the night of December 1. Later in the evening, in the Brunjes Hotel, where he lodged, it was known that he was ill. For three days he kept his bed. On Thursday he went out on the streets and spoke with many acquaintances, who noticed that he did not look well. In the afternoon he went for a drive with Dr. S. A. Ellis, who was attending him. Friday morning, suddenly, he died. Then the rumors began to fly. Mystery had brooded about his illness.

LEARNS OF MYSTERY.

Rev. Charles F. Richardson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Azusa, learning of Sharp's death before receiving word of his illness, wondered why this was. The dead man had been a member of his church, and his friend. He went out among his parishioners to learn the reason, and found the mystery, and then the explanation. At first there was definite purpose, here and there, to keep the mystery dark.

"Yes, I have heard that story of ptomaine poisoning caused by eating tamales," said Mr. Richardson, when questioned, "and that long continued vomiting produced a strain on the heart, which caused death. I cannot help feeling that the rumor was started with deliberate purpose, to cover up the ugly facts. I do not know who started it, but I can say that the leaders of the Odd Fellows here do not sanction concealment of the facts. These facts can put no blight on the order, which has many of the best men in my congregation as members, but it is unquestionably true that poor Charley Sharp was badly treated last Saturday night.

"I stand somewhat in the relation of confessor to many persons here, and I cannot give names, though only one of those who have talked with me of this tragedy, has asked me not to repeat what he has said. A man whose word I would take for anything, told me that he spoke to Charley Sharp on Thursday, asking him if he had the grippe. Charley answered, 'N—no, not that,' and after further questions, he told of being roughly treated at the initiation, and resenting it, and the affair ended in a fight, many against one. 'They tore my clothes off and knelt on my chest. The fact is, I think one of my ribs is broken. There is severe pain in my chest all the time.'"

Mr. Richardson reported other conversations which had been repeated to him, to the same effect.

PTOMAINE TAMALES.

The tamales which formed the basis of the rumor referred to were eaten by Sharp on Thursday, causing ptomaine poisoning, which induced violent vomiting. According to Dr. Ellis, it was the strain of this vomiting that brought about the heart failure, ending Sharp's life. Dr. Ellis further states that Sharp was a victim of lead poisoning, developed by working with paints for many years, and that this had weakened his constitution.

In regard to the tamales, Mr. Richardson said: "I have not seen any one who says Sharp vomited after eating the tamales, though that is not saying he may not have done so, but many have declared that he was vomiting frightfully on Sunday, long before he ate them. I am told that Sharp's trouble was acute indigestion; I am told more authentically, as a matter of fact, instead of opinion, that Sharp's chest was bandaged, and that he complained constantly of pain in his chest. That is not indigestion. I think for the sake of the order of Odd Fellows, as for other reasons, the matter should be cleared up, so the blame shall rest where it belongs, instead of on the order. As it is, I am sure an effort has been made to shield those who mistreated poor Charley."

SHAMEFULLY TREATED.

T. W. Collopy, who attended Sharp during his illness, said: "Oh, yes; there was a rough-house up there all right. Charley told me that. He said he got mad and went after the fellows. What? No, what would they lose their temper for? There were enough of them to handle him. I don't know whether he vomited before eating the tamales or not. I know he vomited. The doctor was treating him for poisoning; I know that. No, I didn't see any bandages on him. He had pains in his chest, yes. He died of heart failure, of course."

Once Miss Brunjes, daughter of the hotel proprietor, interjected sharply: "They treated him shamefully!"

And underneath the quiet, where quiet is maintained against the natural impulse to discuss the mysterious and shocking, there is a strong feeling that that even if Charley Sharp did start a rough-house in lodge hall, he was treated in a manner which demands inquiry. A post-mortem examination is to be held, and an inquest may follow.

Charles D. Sharp was the son of a Congregational minister in Boston, who survives him. So far as is known, he leaves no relatives in California. He was 45 years of age.

SEEK SPECIAL BOUNTY.

Ex-Prisoners of War Working for Bill Allowing Two Dollars a Day for Time in Prison.

Members of the Union Ex-Prisoners of War Association are hard at work pushing their proposed bill to be submitted to Congress, in which the dominant idea is that all surviving ex-prisoners shall be paid at the rate of $2 a day for each day during which they languished in Confederate prisons, also that they receive a pension of not less than $30 a month.

The bill was indorsed by the Southern California Veteran Association at its meeting at Huntington Beach last October. The reasons the ex-prisoners give for this bill are plausible. They assert that while they were pining in prison they were deprived of the opportunity of securing promotion; prevented from re-enlisting and getting a big bounty; being broken in health by their hardships and often discharged upon their return and forced to spend large sums to regain their health.

Prof. George Young, president of the association, who lives in Santa Monica, wants to hear from all ex-prisoners of war. Another object of the association is to oppose the erection of a statue to Capt. Wirtz, who commanded the Confederates at Andersonville, who was convicted of murdering Union soldiers.

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Chief's much-heralded Indian village was thrown open to the public yesterday, and hereafter will constitute one of the most picturesque tourist resorts. The attendance was large, and the Indians will be on exhibition at work in their respective occupations, and those who desire the noble red man and his squaw gaze to their hearts' content for a moderate sum.

The Indian village is very interesting and attractive, and is sure to satisfy the visitor, whether he is drawn there by curiosity, or the desire to purchase. The salesrooms, where goods made by the Indians are exhibited, are artistically grouped at the entrance to the inclosure.

Within the village an artificial lake has been constructed, and the presence of a number of eucalyptus trees makes the scene very picturesque. Along the north side of the park is a line of Indian cottages, the very sight of which would have inspired the ancestors of the present inhabitants with the greatest desires for smoke and white blankets. One of the chief features of the village is a copy of Indian dwellings in the form of the Alaskan council house, with its accompanying totem pole. Members of this are faithfully carrying out, but the Esquimaux, when they stay, abide in peace and content in white men's clothes, and occupy comfortable quarters in one of the neatly painted cottages on the hillside. At present there are about thirty Indians there. About twenty of these are distinguished as "show Indians," whose work supplies the store with goods, and whose working is the attraction of the village. It is intended to enlarge the exhibit later to include practically all of the big tribes, but at present only four are represented. There are several families of Apaches, two families of Sioux, three families of two Klingit Indians from Alaska.

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Chandler Findley, a carpenter, aged 50 years, was burned to death yesterday morning in a fire that destroyed the two-story frame building in which he was living at Butte, Mont. Under circumstances the fire occurred are not known.

FOR THE CITY'S POOR.

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Thursday evening the Daily Opportunity Club will present the comedy-drama "The District School," at the Gamut Club Auditorium. The cast will include about thirty persons. The little drama, portraying as it does the school of about fifty years ago, will afford an abundance of amusement for to both old and young. In addition to the play, however there will be a number of interesting specialties, a quartette from the Ellis Club will give two vocal selections, "There's no Time Like the Old Time," and "The Old Oaken Bucket." Samuel L. Todd will give a character song, Charles Hendricks, the blind tenor, will sing "I've Wandered to the Village, Tom;" James I. Bailey will present a character impersonation, and Frank Fay Pratt will render a monologue.

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Many Sales in Eagle Rock.

The past ten days have witnessed a keen inquiry for Eagle Rock building sites. The following sales are reported by the Edwards & Winters Company: In Mayfair Park tract: To William L. Roth, lot west side of Royal Drive, 50x160 feet, $750. Bought for improvement; to Fred Liverman, lot east front on Royal Drive, 50x155 feet, $750; to L. W. Howard, lot west side of Royal Drive, 50x160 feet, $750; to Thomas L. Holloway, two lots east side of Royal Drive, 100x155 feet, $1500; to C. E. Barraque, lot west front on Royal Drive, $750. In Kenilworth tract: To H. H. Howard, lot 50x155 feet, on Kenilworth avenue, $750; to J. M. Caldwell, lot 50x155 feet, on Kenilworth avenue, $750. Bought for building purposes. In Artesian Heights tract: To John Narin, lot southeast corner Valley Drive and Mariposa, $450.

Vermont Avenue Square.

Leo J. Maguire & Co. report the following sales: Southwest corner Forty-fifth and Beach streets, 50x148 feet, $1050, to Joseph Morgan; southwest corner Forty-seventh and Beach streets, 50x148 feet, $1050, to E. J. Malke; northwest corner Forty-fifth and Beach streets, 50x148 feet, $960, to M. O'Neil; Forty-seventh street near Vermont avenue, 50x147 feet, $825, to H. B. Horton; Forty-seventh street near Budlong, 50x147 feet, $825, to H. B. Horton; Forty-seventh street near Budlong avenue, 50x147 feet, $825, to William Reid; Forty-seventh street near Beach street, 50x147 feet, $775, to F. L. McKinley; Forty-seventh street near Normandie avenue, 50x145 feet, $725, to S. L. Elder; Forty-seventh street near Normandie avenue, 50x145 feet, $725, to K. Chase; Forty-eighth street near Vermont avenue, 50x149 feet, $825, to Rosa McDougall; Forty-eighth street near Normandie avenue, 50x149 feet, to S. L. Elder, $700; Forty-eighth street near Normandie avenue, 50x140 feet, $756, to Charles Aldrich; Forty-seventh street near Vermont avenue, 50x148 feet, $825, to H. Henderson; Forty-seventh street near Budlong, 50x148 feet, $825, to George Thornton; Forty-seventh street near Normandie avenue, 50x135 feet, $750, to E. S. McLellan; Normandie avenue near Forty-fifth street, 50x137 feet, $800, to James Hawes; southwest corner Vernon and Budlong avenues, 50x142 feet, to J. Ross, $1200. These lots all extend to fifteen-foot alleys and sales above reported aggregate $15,700.

Glendale Sales.

Miller & Lewis Company report the following sales: Lot 50x154 feet, on Burchett street just off Brand boulevard, Glendale, $550, to Martha Johnson; lot 50x187 feet, on Second street, Glendale, $425, to Edward Haas; lot 55x160 feet, on Central avenue, Glendale, $550, to S. W. Corwin; lot 100x305 feet, in Valley View Acres, North Glendale, $1200, to M. B. Peterson; lot 52x125 feet to an alley, on Vermont avenue just north of Vernon avenue, $1700, to Mrs. G. S. Stenerson; also adjoining lot to Emma Stenerson, $1700; also the sale of six-room bungalow on Harvard boulevard, to J. T. Auchandach, $4600.

Buying Homes.

E. K. Eckley Company report the sale of the lot 155 feet west of Union avenue on the north side of Washington street, 55x176 feet. The deal was made for S. F. Johnson and the buyer was W. H. Eckley. The consideration, $8000, or $145 a front foot.

The same agency report the sale of the lot on the east side of Moneta avenue opposite Fortieth street, F. K. Eckley selling to W. A. Buck, $3000. The lot is 56x130 feet. A further sale of a neat five-room bungalow at No. 949 West Thirty-second street is reported, Mrs. Gillman being the seller and O. E. Hopperstead the purchaser, the price being $3000. The size of the lot is 50x150 feet.

Eclipses the Huntington.

A story appearing in The Times this morning will create a good deal of sensation in a general way, but centering on Hill street. The Harriman building outlined there, on which work will begin soon, is stated by the projectors to be a more magnificent thing than the Pacific Electric building on Main. It is said that this building for the Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad will cost upward of a million dollars. It is on the same block with the Wright & Callender building, on the corner of Fourth and Hill. These two buildings will set the pace for that thoroughfare. There are several other projected structures on Hill street and from now on other developments on a magnificent scale all the way from First street to Pico on a street which five years ago was looked upon as only a possibility in the distant future.

City and Country.

I. N. Richards has sold to a local syndicate ten acres on the corner of Florence avenue and San Pedro street for $16,500. To E. G. Brockman the southeast corner of Central avenue and Twenty-fourth street, a lot 50x101 feet, improved with a two-story pressed brick building, for $18,500. Twenty acres in San Gabriel Valley, some few miles from Puente for $2500. To F. and M. E. Pfefer, twenty acres on Central avenue, south of Florence, for about $1200 an acre. To Mrs. Alexander, a lot in Alamitos Heights, and lot at Glendale for $2550. To Dr. Riddle, lot at Casa Verdugo, $850.

Various Good Deals.

Will C. Prather & Co. report the following sales: Northeast corner of Jefferson and Orchard streets, lot 88x147 feet, improved with a two-story store and flat building, to J. V. Vickers and Ben Williams for Norton & Hay et al., $8500; P. A. E. Wilson to E. A. Spaulding, lot at No. 1615 West Tenth street, improved with an eight-room house, $6500; for Mary E. Fowles, seven-room house and lot at Whittier, to William F. Dietrich, $1800; lot 50x150 feet, with four-room house, No. 512 North Vermont avenue, for W. F. Dietrich to Dr. J. E. Cowles, $1800; Dr. J. E. Cowles to Haidee Charbennel, store building at Nos. 661-663-665-667 San Fernando street, $12,500; for George Pendleton to C. A. Smither, No. 2119 East Ninth street, lot 45x135 feet to double alley, No. 2164 East Ninth street, lot 41x119 feet, improved with a blacksmith shop, and No. 2172 East Ninth street, lot 42x119 feet, improved with a five-room modern cottage, $15,000 for all parcel.

Houses and Building Lots.

Jones & Ryder Land Company report the following sales: J. W. Horner to Julia Brockman, lot 50x145 feet, on Budlong avenue near Twenty-ninth street, $1950; Albert V. Long to Timothy Treacey, two-story seven-room house, No. 2554 Powell street, price $4500; W. R. Scurlock to Edna M. Smith, lot 45x164 feet, Dorchester avenue, $1800; L. E. Jones to Mary Ann VonTupper, five-room cottage, No. 427 Glass street, $2200; B. F. Richardson to J. V. Black & Co., lot 40x100 feet, on Jefferson street near Raymond, $2250; J. V. Black to A. C. Rosenthall, lot 40x150 feet, on Twenty-first street near LaSalle, $1600; L. E. Jones to L. L. Davidson, two-story house, No. 1341 West Thirtieth, $4000; E. A. Wrampe to Benjamin F. Blinn, two-story house, No. 2632 Romeo street, $7000.



Apartments, corner Figueroa and Second



Brick business block corner Fremont and Second



Apartments, Figueroa near Second

Brick block and two apartment buildings just completed west of tunnel.

WEST OF THE TUNNEL.

A few days ago a story appeared in The Times telling of the beginning of boring for oil around the old Second-street Park some fifteen or sixteen years ago and the recent removal of the last derrick from the district. This section of the city is growing with great rapidity. It will probably surprise hundreds of those living inside of the city limits to scan the groups of fine buildings presented on this page, representing structures just being completed west of the Third-street tunnel.

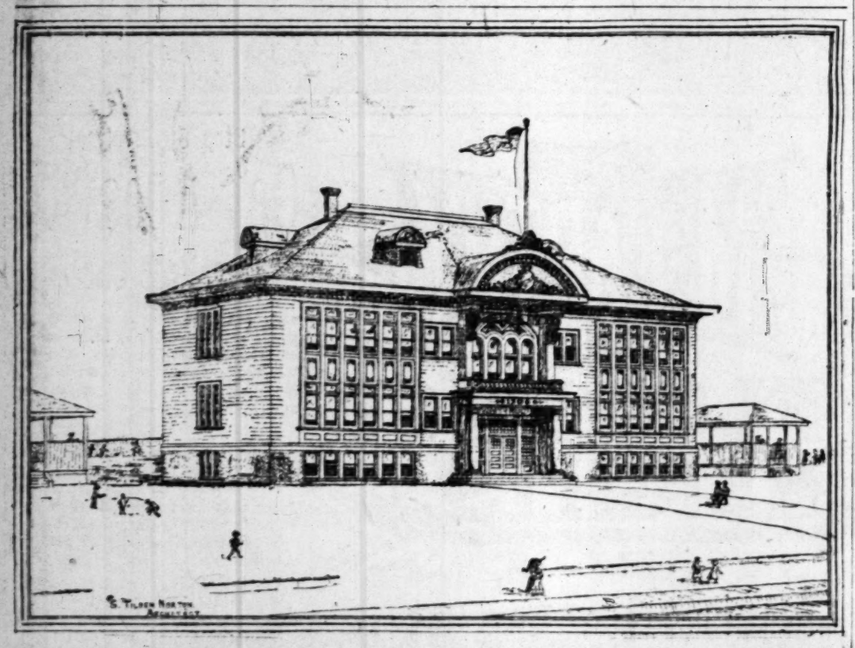
The least pretentious of them is a beautiful three-story frame apartment building on Figueroa street, between Second and Third. The front of the building occupies a space of fully fifty feet and it is rather more than 100 feet deep.

The mission building, plaster over steel lathing, is on the corner of Second street and Figueroa. It is a beautiful three-story and basement building, with stores on the ground floor and the other floors used for apartments. It is an immense and very artistic structure. The stores are of ample space and well lighted. The apartments above are all bright and airy, with large rooms, and fitted up in every way becoming an up-to-date affair of this kind.

The third building is a great four-story brick structure, the front being in cream-color pressed brick. It is on the corner of Second street and Fremont. The whole lower part is devoted to stores, and the upstairs will be rented for rooms and apartments. It is an exceedingly solid structure.

This and the building mentioned just above cover a space of sixty feet or more on Second street and run back, one on Figueroa and the other on Fremont, a distance of perhaps 150 or 160 feet.

These are only specimens of a great number of apartment buildings and flats that have been erected in this part of the city during the last few months. None of the three is quite finished, but all of them are almost completed.



New Grammar School, Hobart avenue.

A NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL.

The illustration accompanying this little sketch represents a public school of the grammar grade just being finished for the city. It is on Hobart boulevard, in the western part of Los Angeles, and has been built after plans drawn by S. Tilden Norton. This building is 70x105 feet, and contains eight classrooms and offices for the principal. It is fitted up in every way with all the modern devices belonging to an up-to-date schoolhouse. It is heated by a hot-air furnace, and cost about $22,000. It is one of the typical new schools, of which so many have been built during the last year to try to keep pace with the great growth of the city. The building is placed in the center of a lot large enough not only to set it off, but to furnish ample playground for the boys and girls who attend this school. The grounds embrace nearly half a city block.

AMONG BUILDERS AND ARCHITECTS.

DECEMBER TO DATE SHOWS CONTINUED ACTIVITY.

The Week Comes Up With Nearly Hundred Seventy Permits for Over Quarter Million Dollars—Details of Contracts Let, Permits Issued and New Work Planned.

The first week in December shows up for 169 permits to build, at a cost of $288,139. There are ten Class C brick structures in the list, four stories the largest building. The report of the Inspector of Buildings follows:

	No. of Permits.	Valuation.
Class C	10	$112,061
Class D, 1-story	71	77,745
Class D, 1½-story	7	16,400
Class D, 2-story	18	61,790
Sheds	13	2,115
Brick alterations	7	4,100
Frame alterations	43	12,928
Total	169	$288,139

Following is a report by wards from December 1, 1906, to December 8, 1906:

	No. of Permits.	Valuation.
First Ward	16	$11,895
Second Ward	18	23,420
Third Ward	10	17,360
Fourth Ward	21	64,596
Fifth Ward	38	88,367
Sixth Ward	46	63,785
Seventh Ward	6	9,776
Eighth Ward	3	975
Ninth Ward	11	7,955
Total	169	$288,139

BUILDING CONTRACTS LET.

With the City Hall closed one day for election, and the distraction of the public mind with the election matter during the whole week, and added to this the rains of the earlier days, combine to make a small showing in building contracts, and in building permits. Under these heads and under that of new work in hand, details follow, no items being taken where the cost is under $2000.

Victor Dole to George D. Snyder, additions and alterations to brick building, east side of Broadway, between Sixth and Seventh streets, $4717.

Mrs. A. E. Frost to L. I. Smart, six-room cottage, Connecticut street, near Western avenue, $2175.

D. C. Romano to J. Mushrush, six-room cottage, 1165 East Twenty-fourth street, $2325.

International Savings and Exchange Bank, by John Lopisich, president, to F. O. Engstrom Company, mason work on ten-story and basement fireproof office building, southwest corner Temple and Spring streets, $63,000.

Joseph Schwab to W. J. Gretten, five-room cottage, Forty-second street, near Moneta avenue, $2300.

E. A. Lewis to Henry Weichmann & Son, four-story and basement brick building, 55x130 feet, seventy-two rooms and three stores, west side Olive street, near Sixth, $25,700. Same owner to Baker Iron Works, iron and steel work, same building, $5326. Same owner to Newell Bros., plumbing, steam fitting, etc., same building, $6534.

Charles Henderson to A. B. Tirrill & Co., two-story eleven-room house, Oak Knoll, Pasadena, $14,710.

Charles S. Kersting to Robert J. Wilson and Felix Julien, six stores, one-story brick building, Sierra Madre, $8500.

J. J. Arbois to E. H. McGibbon, one-story frame building, two four-room apartments, Ocean Park, $2315.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED.

A. W. Pull, two-story, six-room residence, No. 228 East Thirty-eighth street, $2000.

A. W. Pull, two-story, thirteen-room residence, No. 224 East Thirty-eighth street, $3000.

Mrs. A. E. Frost, story-and-a-half, six-room residence, No. 3266 Connecticut street, $3200.

Baker Iron Works, two-story frame factory building, No. 946 Buena Vista street, $2000.

Fred Ahrens, alterations to frame building at No. 915 West Eighteenth street, $2500.

Voorhees & Sanderson, six-room residence, No. 2407 West Twenty-third street, $3000.

Lodie Avery, six-room residence, No. 2707 Western avenue, $2500.

S. D. Darnells, story-and-a-half, six-room residence, No. 344 Larissa Drive, $2400.

Los Angeles Building Company, two-story, nine-room residence, No. 2650 Van Buren street, $3900.

Minnie Stokes, two-story, eight-room residence, No. 1618 Gramercy Place, $2000.

F. A. Griffin, two-story, seven-room residence, No. 1146 West Fourth street, $2500.

George W. Steck, two-story, seven-room residence, No. 3038 Reno street, $2500.

Albert Cohn, two-story, Class C brick store building, No. 500-502 West Washington street, $29,000.

Frank A. Vickrey, two-story, ten-room residence, No. 241 Andrews boulevard, $8000.

Wells Fargo Company, one-story brick office building, No. 300 Santa Fé avenue, $2000.

J. F. Toole, two-story, sixteen-room residence, No. 645 North Grand avenue, $4950.

E. G. Devens, six-room residence, No. 930 Banning street, $2500.

E. P. Cheverton, six-room residence, No. 219 West Forty-ninth street, $2000.

D. W. Randolph, two-story, frame flat building, sixteen rooms, Nos. 583-585 North Avenue 28, $2400.

Mrs. M. Christ, two-story, twenty-four-room frame flat building, Nos. 202-4 West Thirty-second street, $7000.

Charles B. Robinson, two-story, ten-room, residence, No. 435 Lorena street, $2100.

Mrs. M. Brown, story-and-a-half, eight-room residence, No. 980 Magnolia avenue, $4500.

Mrs. S. H. Carlton, four-story, Class C brick building, No. 723 South Hill street, $35,000.

Holbrook, Merrill and [illegible] story, Class C brick store, [illegible] 416 East Second street, $2[illegible]

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Competitive plans for the new high school buildings, one on Fourth street, Heights and one on Sherman, for the San Diego, were submitted on Tuesday evening to the Board of Education by Hebbard & Gill, Hebbard & Gill's plans and by Blachmann of San Diego, and F. S. Allen of Pasadena. The plans of Henry Lord Gay for the Fourth street Heights school were selected, and Gay was named as architect pending the decision was reached during the Sherman Heights bond matter being postponed until after the regular meeting of the board. Lord Gay's plan is for a two-story structure having a separate entrance from each floor, separated by walls from each room and a number of the late improvements, including vacuum and electric heating system. Mr. Gay claims, will obviate the necessity of installing a heating plant.



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TOPICS OF THE STAGE.

THE town needs a great band as a regular feature of the winter months.

We need an organization that will maintain, in its own field, a sort of symphonic reputation; an organization like Ellery's, or Chiaffarelli's first band—but alas! not like the futile excuse of his final musical seance at Venice.

Such a band will not detract from the Symphony's excellent work; rather it will add thereto, for thousands will hear it to hundreds who can afford to hear the Symphony. As a means of education—popular education, so called—the bands of Ellery and Chiaffarelli, and the not-to-be-forgotten Innes, have proved of great service.

For instance, how many of the Ellery patrons, last winter, knew the beautiful music in the first "Peer Gynt" suite, of Greig, until it was voiced by the splendid instruments of his band? Such band music, far from being mere noise, a cacophony of military tempos or a tiresome blasting of sentimental tunes, is a splendid artistic factor whose advantages cannot be underestimated, save by the voice of prejudice or the testimony of mercenary spite.

Such a band will supply the one artistic feature that the present Los Angeles lacks.

We have numerous temples of drama and the promise of still more.

We have had one grand opera season, and the promise of two more.

We have a symphony orchestra and two chamber music associations.

We have one large choral society, two splendid bodies of women's voices, an almost incomparable male singing organization and several smaller associations of great promise.

We need the band——

And the director is in town.

He is Francesco Ferullo, ex-leader of Ellery's band, and one of the most brilliant, finished and masterly conductors in the United States today. Ferullo has that which most l[ea]ders have not—a sympatheti[c] sight into the music of other ... His Wagnerian interpretations are intensely Ger[man], ... master ... modern French music, and his ... ding of Grieg's compositions, in absolute orchestral style, was in true Scandinavian spirit.

What makes Ferullo so desirable to Los Angeles is the very fact that he doesn't need the job.

The fortune of love has removed the young director from the field of personal want, for he is at present spending the winter with his rich father-in-law, who lives in the fashionable Westlake district.

His situation has enabled Ferullo to collect one of the finest directorial libraries to be found in this country. He estimates the value of the scores at present in his home at $3000, with a large number which have not been shipped out from the East.

Further than this, his prominence will enable him to get together a band of splendid artists.

Within twenty days he can bring here Antonio Decimo, the great clarinet player; Liborio Lomonte, with the exception of Arthur Pryor, one of the greatest trombone soloists in the country, and a player of Pryor's caliber; a celebrated oboe soloist, and an equally celebrated baritone.

Giuseppe Curti, the wonderful baritone of the Ellery band several years ago, is in Italy, awaiting Ferullo's call.

"If I have a band," says Ferullo, "it must be a good one. I can't take a contract for a mere noise. I would ruin my reputation and disgust my patrons. If a band doesn't stand for art, and the interpretation of the best music, it has no excuse for existence.

"I must have a band with all the parts complete. I must have woodwind sufficient to drown all the shrillness of the brass; I must have first and second baritones, first, second and third trombones, bass clarinet, the quartette of French horns, the full saxophone complement—capable leaders of all parts.

"My scores, in fact, are all made for such a band; they are made, as close as possible, to simulate orchestral effects.

"In the summer I shall go East, where my engagements have already been made; my time here is limited, and a band of the caliber I should like to form here, and shall certainly form in the East next summer, would do its best business in the months of January, February and March."

Now, it mustn't be understood that Ferullo is personally exploiting himself for a Los Angeles season. The director, with his family, has shunned the newspaper offices ever since his arrival, more than a month ago. He had no intention of directing at all this winter, as it is his first vacation from strenuous duty in many years. The Times has sought Ferullo, and by request, he has expressed himself.

With him is Palma, brass soprano of the purest, most limpid tone imaginable. If Ferrullo has a band, it is of course Palma for the first chair among the cornets.

Ferrullo's organization will be a compact one, established upon a solid basis, and with a strong idea of permanency.

Local musicians resent very much the influx of outside players, especially Italians. This is not to be wondered at, especially when the troop is brought here in as hopeless a manner as was Chiaffarelli's company, with no hope of ever getting out of town again. The musicians become a drug on the market and even competition is killed.

But here's the situation; the town needs a winter band. The moment has been passed by everybody else, and Ferullo appears the proper man to seize it, if it is to be seized at all. Ferullo's extraordinary personal advantages—absolute genius of interpretation—make him all the more desirable.

If his band is formed, he will be offering the town something which it has not, and which it needs.

Neither he nor his players will interfere with the local scheme of things.

How long will it take to assemble Ferullo's band? Ferullo himself says he can get forty-five strong men and half a dozen soloists in twenty-five days. Further, he can have them in playing condition in that time.

Who's to do it? Will it pay?

There are two great "ifs" that stand in the way.

If conducted along the right lines, perhaps that of the Garden Cafe as it existed at Venice under Lawton's management, the scheme looks profitable.

Who will do it? That's the biggest question of all. Yet there are plenty of places. Whether skating will last the winter out is a very serious question to a number of promoters.

Yet, after all, is it an idea that appeals to the local amusement-makers—personally, and to their pocketbooks? Perhaps so; perhaps decidedly the reverse. There's no way to find out, save by asking.

Mr. Behymer says it appeals to him.



ROBERT EDESON,

as Strongheart, the educated Indian, in the play of that name. The photograph shows Edeson in the second act, at the training quarters of Columbia University, between the first and second halves of the big football game of the year. An act of treachery has been discovered, and the guilty ones direct suspicion toward Strongheart, who afterward proves himself innocent.



FRANCESCO FERULLO,

the brilliant and versatile ex-director of the Ellery band, who is spending the winter in retirement here. Ferullo says if the music lovers want a band for the next three months—a band of orchestral timbre and proportions—he is willing to get it for them.

THE LOCAL WEEK.

Robert Edeson, who has not been seen in Los Angeles since his presentation of "Soldiers of Fortune," four years ago, will return to the Mason Operahouse for the week beginning tomorrow night, in William C. DeMille's comedy-drama "Strongheart."

It is said that Mr. DeMille has provided for Edeson a vehicle that is unconventional in every sense, and its central figure is a type new among stage characterizations. Strongheart, an educated Indian, is introduced by the author at Columbia University, where he figures prominently in its bustling life, and becomes a hero of the gridiron. Indeed, through his winning personality and manly qualities he becomes a general favorite, and is welcomed into the best homes. He climaxes his college career by falling in love with the sister of his chum—and here racial prejudice is aroused and the white men reject his suit. His fight to place himself upon a basis of social equality is said to be one of the very best scenes written into American drama of the past few years.

"Leah Kleschna," promised at the Burbank today, is the most interesting stock offering of the month.

The masterly writing of the play and the artful cast which first presented it in Los Angeles have made it a favorite with local patrons of the best productions.

It is of great difficulty, owing to the subtlety of its lines, its small cast and the strange quietness of its most intense scenes; but great care has been taken in casting it, according to the managerial assertion.

Miss Katherine Willard, Mr. Morosco's new leading woman, will make her début in the title-part, Mr. Mestayer will play the degenerate son, Raoul.

"Old Heidelberg" is again proving its claim as the most popular piece in the Belasco's repertoire.

Business compels the management to continue this excellent presentation through the coming week.

The week's headline attractions at the Orpheum are ventriloquist Trovollo and monologist Charles F. Semon. The latter was formerly of the well-known team of Falke and Semon.

Lina Pantzer, of the well-known acrobatic family of that name, will be seen in a "bounding wire" novelty.

The musical Avolos, xylophonists, and Dillon brothers, who sing their own songs and dispense cheerful nonsense of various sorts, complete the list of newcomers.

The holdovers are Knight and Sawtelle, eccentric dancers; Long and Cotton, in a new act, and the Japanese acrobats.

The perennial "Yon Yonson" will return this afternoon to the Grand Operahouse.

A new comedian, George Tomson, from the royal comedy company of Stockholm, will be seen in the principal part. The support also includes Lois Arnold, of the original "Trip to Chinatown" company.

Black-face minstrelsy will be the attractions at the People's Theater for the week starting with this afternoon's matinee.

A good company is promised, with a band and a number of vaudeville features.

St. Vincent's Catholic Church of Chicago, is to have a model theater, capable of seating 1200 people. The new theater, which is rapidly nearing completion, will open in March under the direction of Edward McGillan, instructor of dramatic art in St. Vincent's College.

A copy de luxe of Leoncavallo's "Viva l' America" march—the outside cover in heavy satin with embossed designs by the artist John Frew—was recently presented to President Roosevelt (to whom the march is respectfully dedicated) by Rudolph Aronson on behalf of the famous Italian maestro. The music is etched on heavy vellum.

When Madam Grisi and Signor Mario were singing in the opera at St. Petersburg the prima donna used to promenade daily with her three little girls. One day the late Emperor Nicholas met them on the Nevski Prospekt and greeted Grisi with: "Madam, I see you are airing your Gri-settes," to which the singer quickly responded: "Nay, sire, they are my Mario-nettes."

Paul Wilstach's play, "Keegan's Pal," has been renamed "The Eastman Case," and will be presented at the Lincoln Square theater, New York, tomorrow evening, exploiting Charles Cartwright as a star. Katherine Gray, Dorothy Revell, and George Fawcett will be the leading members of the supporting company.

Robert Mantell has received from Mounet-Sully a superbly bound copy of the latter's prompt book of King Oedipus, in a translation of the French arrangement of the great tragedy, in which he acted here in the season of 1903-1904. On one of the fly-leaves is a dedication to Mr. Mantell by M. Mounet-Sully, headed, "From a French Hamlet to a human Hamlet."

Owen Davis has practically completed the dramatization of Arthur Stringer's recent novel, "The Wire Tappers," and arrangements are now under way for its early production. The dramatist, it is said, has not neglected to take advantage of the novel and up-to-date criminal features of Mr. Stringer's story; so, besides being a play of the "Leah Kleshna" type, "The Wire Tappers" is likely to prove a novelty on account of its background of electric effects.

Smith College students of the Dewey and Hatfield houses, Smith College, gave the first important dramatics of the college year Nov. 24, in the presentation of "The Shoes That Danced," by Anna Hempstead Branch, and "The Little God and Dicky," by Josephine Daskam Bacon. The plays were of especial interest, being the work of the two Smith alumnae who have become best known as writers since leaving college. Miss Branch graduated in 1897, and Mrs. Bacon in 1898.

"Dream City" probably will be the name of the new offering at Weber's, which, after a brief preliminary tour, will be presented to New Yorkers for the first time on New Year's eve. The book and score are by Edgar Smith and Victor Herbert respectively. The company engaged for the presentation of the piece is an undeniably strong one, and includes such prominent entertainers as Otis Harlan, Cecelia Loftus, Lillian Blauvet, Cora Tracy, Lillian Lee, Lois Ewell, "Billie" Norton, Maurice Farkoa, Will T. Hodge, Frank H. Belcher, and Joe Weber.

The Countess De La Grange, known on the stage as Lea Dasco, who was a famous beauty during the Second Empire, was found in her room in her zoological garden at Cimiez, a suburb of Nice, France, on Nov. 20, shot through the heart. The Countess had recently gone into bankruptcy, but asserted that she had obtained money sufficient to pay her debts. The police think the shooting was accidental.



MISS ISABELLE CURL.

Excellent music has been given each year by the First Congregational Orchestra, under the direction of William H. Mead. The first concert of the present year will be given Tuesday evening, at the church, Miss Curl being the soloist. She will sing an aria and rondo from "La Sonnambula," and a song by Sir Henry Bishop. A rare orchestral programme is promised, including Balfe's "Well of Love," Victor Herbert's "Badinage," some themes from the celebrated Smetna's "Bartered Bride," the gavotte from a violin suite by Ries, three dances from "Henry VIII," and the "Nibelungen" march—Wagnerian.

Dramagraphs.

Lulu Glaser's next play is to be called The Arrow Club, and is by Sidney Rosenfeld.

Guy Standing will leave the cast of "The Love Route" to appear in Mrs. Dane's Defense, with Lena Ashwell on tour.

Andrew Robson resigned from "The Duchess of Devonshire" company on Nov. 10 and returned to New York.

The "Wizard of Oz" was sold last week to Hurtig and Seamon. The sale was ordered by Julian Mitchell and William R. Gray, trustees of the theatrical portion of the estate of the late Fred Hamlin

The Musical World.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Gabrilowitsch and Schoenefeld's version of "The Messiah" will divide leading musical honors this week.

Gabrilowitsch, whose personality, style and accomplishments have already been featured in The Times' musical columns, will appear in a piano programme at Simpson Auditorium on Thursday evening.

The young Russian's programme numbers are a Beethoven Rondo and prelude, a Bach serenade and Gavotte, Schubert's "Moment Musicale" and minuet in B minor, a Chopin sonata and the Marche Funebre, two Arensky preludes, Leschetitzsky intermezzo, and a new "Gabrilowitsch" theme and variations.

"The Messiah" will be given at the Auditorium on Friday night. Mr. Schoenefeld's soloists are Mrs. Catherine Collette, soprano; Mrs. Elizabeth A. Fonda, contralto; Abraham Miller, tenor, and Dr. Henshaw, bass.

The chorus will number 250, the orchestra 40, and the whole will be assisted by Mr. Kingsley at the organ.

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Miss Bartlett's Recital.

Miss Bessie Bartlett will give a recital of mingled music and readings on Wednesday evening, at Gamut Hall. Mr. Sessions will be at the piano, and Miss Bartlett will be further assisted by Miss Estelle Catherine Heartt and Mme. Elsa von Grofe-Menasco.

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Wilczek Concert.

Franz Wilczek, the Austrian violinist, will be heard in concert at Simpson Auditorium on Tuesday evening. His principal number will be the Bach Adagio and Fugue, from the G minor sonata for violin only.

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Organ Opening.

Mr. Kingsley's organ opening has been fixed for Thursday evening, at the Auditorium.

The great instrument, previously described at length in these columns, is one of the finest specimens of organ building in this country.

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Mr. Sessions's Recital.

Tomorrow evening, at Christ Church, Mr. Sessions will give a concert, assisted by Arnold Krauss.

Mr. Sessions's numbers include compositions by Bach, Caelinerts, Pere Martini, Guilmant and Widor.

Mr. Krauss will play a Vieuxtemps concerto and Beethoven's Romance in G minor.

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Massenet's "Ariane."

During the past week the attention of the French musical world has been centered on M. Jules Massenet, whose new opera, "Ariane," was given its first production at the Opera last week, says the Musical Leader. Massenet has long been a hero of the French operatic public, and since the death of Gounod he has easily held the first place among the operatic composers of the nation. Whatever may have been the lack of attention paid his work in other countries, in France his popularity has been steadily on the increase, and the past four years have seen a great advance in the number of productions of his works.

For "Ariane" the critics have only words of praise. Gabriel Faure, the brilliant director of the Conservatoire, writing for the Figaro, describes the work as one of unusual beauty, in which Massenet has employed all the qualities of grace and charm which distinguish his music above all others. Between the lines it may be read, however, that despite the splendor of the orchestration and the employment of all the musical devices of which Massenet is master, the task of setting such a classic as the story of "Ariane" is fraught with danger for the modern composer. M. Faure himself knows something of these difficulties, for he had one experience of the sort a few years ago without increasing his reputation thereby. However, the reception by both critics and public has been of the most cordial sort, and even if M. Massenet has not created a work which will enhance his reputation he has at least produced the most notable French addition to the grand opera repertoire in recent years. The Opera gave a splendid interpretation of the score, with Mlle. Lucienne Breval, Mlle. Grandpean and MM. Delmas and Muratore in the leading roles. The orchestra, under the direction of M. Paul Vidal, was unusually excellent, conducted with the authority which has marked M. Vidal's work through the years of connection with the Opera.

"Ariane' received two performances last week, and will have an equal number this week, while three are promised for the week to come.

With "Ariane" at Paris and "Therese" at Monte Carlo, M. Massenet will be the leader providing operatic novelties for the season. It may here be said that M. Massenet is not in the habit of producing two operas per year. For several years he has maintained his record of a novelty each season, but last year showed nothing to his credit, this being on account of the slowness of the Opera in staging "Ariane."

In this connection it may be interesting to note the great number of works of this ever-busy composer. The list opens with "La Grand 'Tante," produced at the Opera Comique in 1867, and following come "Don Caesar de Bazan," 1872; "Les Erinyes," 1873; "Marie Magdeleine," 1873; "Eve," 1875; "Le Rol de Lahore," 1877; "La Vierge," 1880; "Herodiade," 1881; "Manon," 1884; "Le Cid," 1885; "Esclarmonde," 1889; "Le Mage," 1891; "Werther," 1892, "Thais," 1894; "La Navarraise," 1894; "Le Portrait de Manon," 1895; "Sappho," 1897; "Cendrillan," 1898; "Griseildis," 1901; "Le Jongleur de Notre Dame," 1902; "La Terre Promise," an oratorio, 1903; "Cigale," a ballet, 1904; "Cherubin," 1905; "Ariane," 1906; "Therese," 1907.

The above list does not include the less important ballets, while to give an idea of the composer's work one must call attention to the fact that in between he has found time to write nearly a score of works for orchestra and over two hundred songs.

A large proportion of the Massenet operas have never been given extensively outside of France, but on the French stages, which include those of Belgium, of Holland, of Algiers and of Egypt, their popularity is unbounded.

Javanese Like Japanese.

"In many respects the Javanese resemble the Japanese, especially in their love for flowers, perfumes, music dancing and poetry, while their reverence for rank and age, and their elaborate courtesy are just as marked among the common people as among the Japanese," writes Lady Lawson, describing "My Tour Through Java." "They are a gentle, friendly and intelligent little people, with soft voices and graceful, supple bearing; and the traveler who leaves the beaten track to visit this paradise of the Indies will always retain an affectionate remembrance of the friendly and primitive life close to the heart of nature in the sunshine and warmth of the tropics."



Photo by Mojonier

BRUCE GORDON KINGSLEY.

The magnificent new organ of the Auditorium will be formally "opened" this week in a recital by Mr. Kingsley. His programme, a well-arranged one, reflects the orchestral tendency of present-day organ players, and is likewise eminently modern. His numbers will be the overture to Weber's "Euryanthe," Beethoven's "Adagio Cantabile," Guilmant's "Nuptial March," a Bach gavotte, the dream music from Humperdinck's "Haensel und Gretel," Lemmen's "The Storm," Tschalkowsky's "Danse des Mirletons," and—Wagnerian—the overture to "Rienzi" and Huldigungs' march.



FRANZ WILCZEK,

who is the most recent addition to the local ranks of violin virtuosi; will be heard in recital this week.



Girl Reading, by Bessie Potter Vonnoh. This is one of the charming figurines by Bessie Potter Vonnoh, which will be shown in the exhibit of the Fine Arts Association, Blanchard Hall, in two weeks. Mrs. Vonnoh is one of the cleverest and best-known of our American women sculptors.

Art and Artists.

BY ANTONY E. ANDERSON.

Lines to a Stupid Picture.

Five geese,—a landscape damp and wild,—
A stunted, not too pretty, child,
Beneath a battered gingham;
Such things, to say the least, require
A Muse of more than average Fire
To adequately sing 'em.

And yet—Why should they? Souls of mark
Have sprung from such;—e'en Joan of Arc
Had scarce a grander duty;
Not always ('tis a maxim trite)
From righteous causes comes the right,—
From beautiful the beauty.

Who shall decide where seed is sown?
Maybe some priceless germ was blown
To this unwholesome marish;
(And what must grow will still increase
Though cackled round by half the geese
And ganders in the parish.)

Maybe this homely face will hide
A Staël before whose mannish pride
Our frailer sex may tremble;
Perchance this audience anserine
May hiss (O fluttering Muse of mine!)
May hiss—a future Kemble!

Or say the gingham shadows o'er
An undeveloped Hannah More!—
A latent Mrs. Trimmer!
Who shall affirm it?—who deny?—
Since of the truth nor you nor I
Discern the faintest glimmer.

So then—caps off, my Masters all;
Reserve your final words,—recall
Your all too hasty strictures;
Caps off, I say, for Wisdom sees
Potential possibilities
In most unhopeful pictures.

—[Austin Dobson.

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The Ruskin Loan Exhibit.

It cannot be denied that the women of the Ruskin Art Club have done and are doing much for the growth of art appreciation in Los Angeles. They are giving time, thought and money in our behalf, and some of us, I trust, are duly grateful. Of course, we all criticise and find fault occasionally—mainly, I think, because we are Americans, ever painfully on the alert for self-improvement, even as the Ruskin women themselves are. Then, too, we like to let others feel that we are not nearly so ignorant about art as they seem to suppose.

The Ruskin Art Club had many and divers troubles of its own with local painters and a local jury last year, so for the sake of peace, they decided to give both the go-by this year. Perhaps they were wise—but I, for one, applauded heartily the courage they showed twelve months ago.

The jury's decisions raised a storm of abuse and vituperation, but it set the air about us into motion—and ever since that cyclonic period we have had ozone in the artistic atmosphere. The result is that none of us will be able to breathe freely again in the stagnation of the past.

But the club, now the recognized maker of cyclones in artistic circles, must not fear too much any future disturbances. Peace and calm are good, but war and tempest are sometimes better—for they sweep aside and destroy false gods with exhilarating neatness and dispatch. Los Angeles has now grown to be an impressively big and important city, and should no longer be content to smirk and smile under the foolish and easy laurels of a parochial art.

Therefore, as the Ruskin Art Club has generously given us a loan exhibition of the works of outside painters, let us stand up straight, heel to heel with these men, and be measured. We shall find, I think, that many of our own men, though not yet so smooth and polished as the most of the outsiders, have girth and height and strength quite equal to theirs, and are able to "speak up" with a fine Western self-reliance unrivalled anywhere. In other words, if our men haven't always style, they have character—and some of them have both. Some, not all. But when did a Westerner remain satisfied till he became possessed of everything worth having?

There are ninety-five pictures in the exhibition now on view at the Blanchard gallery. The most of the canvases are good, many are very good, and only a few are positively bad. Not many—perhaps none—can be called masterpieces, though some were painted by men who are known as masters.

The exhibition will be open till the fifteenth of the month during the daylight hours, and also on Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

It shall be my pleasure to say something of these pictures in detail in next Sunday's art and artists.

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The Painters Club Exhibit.

The pictures now being shown by the Painters' Club at its gallery, No. 313 Broadway, are interesting in many ways and for various reasons. They were contributed by the different members of a club whose existence is for the purposes of criticism. Many of these painters are artists of acknowledged reputation and standing; others are mere beginners with the brush, who have shown earnestness and talent enough to be taken into the club.

There is no jury. Any member may show any picture that he has painted, but all canvases must pass under the eyes of the entire club, which makes itself into an "Advisory Committee of the Whole" as to whether a picture ought to be shown or not. The artist accepts or rejects the advice of the club, as he chooses. The plan works admirably, as will be seen by those who attend this the club's first exhibition. While the showing is not so strong as it will undoubtedly be later on, it yet holds a number of canvases of great merit. Some of them have been seen before at other exhibitions in Los Angeles, many of them are new.

Norman St. Clair's beautifully painted water color, "Arroyo Seco," is new, as are S. E. Bierach's crisply and cleverly handled pastel, "The Flirt," and his "Going for the Mail," a deftly painted oil in which the chill of a snowy day is well rendered.

Carl Oscar Borg shows a water color, "In the Fog," which has both strength and delicacy, and Joseph Greenbaum has two of his clever chalk drawings on brown paper, "Eucalypts" and "Eastlake Park." C. P. Neilson's well-painted water colors, "In Old Mexico," "Morning Near Monterey" and "Hilltops in Spring" have already been reviewed in these columns.

Martin J. Jackson's "Autumn in the Adirondacks" is full of feeling and sentiment, and the same may be said of A. C. Conner's gray bits, "The Oaks" and "A Gray Day." David Dunn's "Twilight Hour" and "A Quiet Nook" are also excellent things in the way of loving study from nature.

Charles P. Austin's "Resting" is technically very clever. Frank Elwin Evans gives us a water color in delicate grays and browns, "The Scissor's Grinder," in which the revolving wheel of the grinder really seems to buzz. Frank R. Liddell shows us a cool "Wood Interior," carefully and conscientiously painted.

Hanson Puthuff's "Drizzle" is a fine transcript of nature, truthful and convincing, and his "Oaks and Sycamores" has also the charm of excellent and fearless painting. John W. Nicoll's "Old Baldy in Winter" is a well-painted canvas showing oaks and mountains touched by a sunset glow, while Benjamin Chambers Brown's "Venetian Canal" is also a sunset sketch whose water has movement and whose red towers are convincingly given.

William Swift Daniell has two water colors, "Autumn" and "Capistrano," both painted with feeling and understanding. Frank Conner's "Afternoon in the Cañon" shows some well-studied grays.

The exhibition, on the whole, is a very creditable one, and there can be no doubt that our painters are growing technically stronger day by day. As for their other equipment—where, indeed, should a man become an artist if not in Southern California?

ART NOTES.

Lilian Vosburgh has just closed a very successful exhibition of her tiny water color sketches at the Ebell Club. Few as were the square inches of these bits from nature, they were yet enough to show that Miss Vosburgh has a genuine feeling for color and a most unusual gift for composition. Many of the tinted scraps of paper glowed and sparkled like jewels.

Nona L. White is holding an exhibition of her water-color studies of flowers and gardens, at the Atelier d'Art, Blanchard Hall. Miss White has a crisp, sure touch in the painting of flowers. She loves and understands them, and the result is that her impressions are truthful and full of that nameless charm we call feeling, notably in her rendering of white roses. This exhibition, which is held under the patronage of Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mrs. Sarah D. Easton and Miss Olive Percival, will continue till the 15th of December.

Elmer Wachtel, who has been doing some of his strongest work lately, will send about twenty-five of his canvases to Thurber's, Chicago, in March. Two of his canvases will also go to the Corcoran exhibition in Washington, to be held during February. William Wendt and Gardner Symons will also send to the Corcoran.

Leonard Lester has been ill at his studio on Sichel street. The pleasant report goes forth that he is now convalescing, however.

The Art Club of South Pasadena held an exhibition of paintings by its members on Thursday and Friday, this week. A number of loaned pictures were also shown.

William Swift Daniell will bring a number of his recent water colors to Riverside tomorrow, showing them for about two weeks. Mr. Daniell's recent exhibition in San Diego proved to be very successful.

A few of Marion Holden Pope's etchings are being shown at Miss Rucker's gallery, as well as a charming lithograph from her pencil. Some of Emily Rutherfurd's excellent work in wood carving is also to be seen at this little gallery.

Carl Oscar Borg, whose exhibition of oils and water colors has just closed at the Little Corner of Local Art, will show, on the 10th of this month, and for the two following weeks, about forty of his beautiful and characteristic monotypes.

Hazenplug's original drawings for Olive Percival's book, "Mexico City," were recently shown at Fowler's. They are strongly drawn, but have not the charm and color of the book itself.

D'ANNUNZIO'S FAILURE.

Never within the memory of Rome had there been such a fiasco as d'Annunzio's new play, "A More Than Love." Zacconi, who played the hero—one of the most despicable characters ever presented on any stage, had to sit down at times and take a cordial, before he could go on with his part, so outrageous and continuous were the hisses from every part of the house, even from the boxes. And these hisses continued even when all was over, and the spectators were far up the streets without. This exit, however, had its comic side; for as the people were streaming and hissing out of the theater, two carbineers happened to pass by, and then all the people cried out: "Arrest the author." Zacconi had a terrible task to play the hero, who says of himself: "I have all the devils of hell within me." He has no good will for the lover, friend or foe. This, however, might have been passed in silence. But what most outraged the audience was a love scene between a brother and sister. Zaconni wanted to omit certain words in this scene, but d'Annunzio would not hear of it, and he has reaped his reward, to the satisfaction of every honest man and woman in Rome. On the second night, many entire speeches were cut. But the evil had been done—and nothing could ever save the piece from damnation. The theater, also, was nearly empty. One episode was reduced from fifty minutes, the time taken to play it on the first night, to seventeen minutes on the second night. A whole cantata was left out, and also a hymn to Africa. A few more cuttings, and this tragedy might have become a nice—or nasty—curtain-raiser. As for the actors, they were quite eclipsed. The public was indignant. Better not to have given a second performance at all. D'Annunzio is furious and intends to publish the play with a preface, in answer to his critics. Better leave it alone. The greatest critics in Italy came to Rome on purpose to be present at the first representation. Several automobiles also came from Vienna, filled with artists and critics—all eager to see the first performance of d'Annunzio's new play.

The French Society of Dramatic Authors has won a victory in its contention with two managers who thought to break the power of the dramatists. It is well known that this society of dramatic authors has long been in a position from which it could practically dictate terms to producers of plays and managers of theaters. One of the beliefs of the French dramatic authors as a body is that it would be inimical to their interests for any manager to control more than one theater. Two managers, who separately controlled the Athenée and the Folies Dramatiques, had a notion that they might better themselves if they could get control of several other theaters. Possibly a well-known American example of "cornering" theaters appealed to them on the score of its pecuniary possibilities. Negotiating with several owners, these managers secured control of the Palais Royal and the Variétés, whereupon the Society of Dramatic Authors tabooed them utterly. The managers needed plays for their theaters, but any member of the authors' society who should supply them from his own works would be expelled. Actuated probably by promises of the two managers three authors decided to cast their fortunes with the new scheme. These five persons, however, proved powerless to make way against the order of things established by the authors. The managers were confined to the three deserters from the society for their plays, while the deserters had only the two managers with whom they could market their plays. The outcome recently chronicled was inevitable. The managers capitulated, according to the terms of the society, which agreed to take the superfluous theaters off their hands, and the deserting playwrights, after discipline, were reinstated in the society. At present the Society of Dramatic Authors is supreme in France. Of course, any monopoly is undesirable, but a monopoly by those who furnish the material upon which the theater must live is less objectionable and more intelligent than a monopoly of those who control theaters could possibly be, and thus it is the lesser of two evils.

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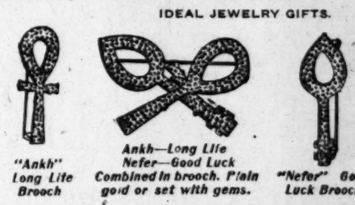
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VENTS OF THE WEEK.

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...sday Mrs. Samuel J. Whit... ...Mrs. Carl Kurtz received In... ...at Hotel Alexandria. In the ... a pleasant affair was the ... party given by Mrs. Robert ...ki for Mrs. L. J. C. Spruance, ...e recent brides. In the even... members of Wade Hampton ...U.D.C., entertained with a ...party at Kramer's. ...nesday a recherche affair ... tea with which Mrs. William ... and her daughter, Miss ...kke, entertained at their new ...berkeley Square. A large and ... affair was the luncheon ... Mrs. John R. Newberry and ... B. Blackstone at the Ebell ... for a large company of ... Mrs. O. J. Barker entertained ... with a card party for a num... ...oman friends. In Immanuel ...rden Church the wedding of ...len McCoy and Edward C. ... was an interesting one. Miss ...was an interesting one. Miss ...inkscales and Harry Wagner ...ried at Christ Church, before ...mpany of friends.

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News of Society—Gossip of Men and Women—Weddings, Parties, Dinners.



Mrs. Bond Francisco, below, and Mrs. A. C. Gemuender, in whose honor Mrs. Francisco will entertain with a large musicale on Wednesday morning.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

Society folk have been enjoying many gay affairs during the week, and though as yet the large functions have not been reached, there are ever some of interest.

Under a handsome evening reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellet No. 4555 Pasadena avenue in honor of their son, Raymond Ellet, and his bride. In the afternoon Mrs. M. L. McCray and her daughter entertained with a shower for Miss Helen McCoy, a bride of the week. The same day Miss Ruth Clinkenbeard was honored, with a luncheon given by Miss Helen Coombs.

Another Mrs. Samuel J. Whitmore, Mrs. Carl Kurtz received informally at the Hotel Alexandria. In the afternoon a pleasant affair was the tea party given by Mrs. Robert Rowan for Mrs. L. J. C. Spruance, a recent bride. In the evening members of Wade Hampton Chapter U.D.C. entertained with a dance party at Kramer's.

Monday a recherche affair was that with which Mrs. William Edwards and her daughter, Miss Edwards, entertained at their new home on Bunker Hill Square. A large and delightful affair was the luncheon given by Mrs. John R. Newberry and Mrs. Ida Blackstone at the Ebell Clubhouse for a large company of friends. Mrs. O. J. Barker entertained with a card party for a number of friends. In Immanuel Presbyterian Church the wedding of Miss Ethel McCoy and Edward C. Hall was an interesting one. Miss Mary Hughes and Harry Wagner were married at Christ Church, before a number of friends.

Among the enjoyable affairs among the younger crowd was the party given by Miss Mary Hubbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen C. Hubbell, at 1017 Arapahoe street on Monday evening. Miss Maude Elizabeth Hastings entertained with a luncheon for Mrs. Robert Wankowski on the afternoon of the same day, and Mrs. W. Hall Harris entertained the members of the Ebell Ledger Club.

Among the functions was the tea which Mrs. Lee Chamberlain entertained at the Ebell Clubhouse, at which she presented her daughter, Miss Lois Chamberlain, to society.

Mrs. George P. Thresher, daughter, Miss Thresher, of Normandie Place, entertained a company of friends with a luncheon Monday.

Miss Frances Barber entertained at her home, No. 1218 Hoover street, with a tea given for Mrs. Frederick Walker here. Mrs. Walker and Mrs. William J. Booth were with a reception and tea at the home of Mrs. Booth on Hoover avenue. Miss Florence Osborne of No. 2703 Raymond avenue entertained members of the S. N. Club delightfully that afternoon.

Miss Chamberlain's Debut.

The Ebell Clubhouse on Friday afternoon was aglow with lovely flowers and loveliest women, the occasion being the reception given by Mrs. Lee Chamberlain of No. 4001 North Vermont avenue, to introduce her very charming young daughter, Miss Lois Chamberlain to society.

Under the direction of **Miss Forman**, the rooms were transformed into veritable fairy bower. The great reception room contained waving bamboo and masses of potted plants and ferns and on the center table a great rustic basket of American Beauty roses was fetching. Enchantress carnations and beech loaves mingled with the greens. Over the brown beamed ceiling of the tearoom smilax was garlanded softly and the huge fireplace was banked above with deep red beech leaves and huckleberry greens, while within a great log burned right cheerily. The large round tea table contained a long handled French basket tied with tulle bows and filled with nodding Madame Chetney roses. Tall crystal candelabra with a pink and silver shade, lit the table, and coffee was served from a silver coffee urn, a heirloom in the family. In the punchroom, masses of bright greenery were used and here blossomed many flowers, gifts from friends to the fair young debutante. The punch was served from a bowl set mid a mound of autumn fruits. De Nubila's orchestra discoursed sweet music through the afternoon.

Assisting the hostess in receiving were: Mmes. Rufus H. Herron, E. P. Clark, J. Ross Clark, A. G. Wells, Stephen C. Hubbell, W. C. Patterson, Henderson Hayward, William Horace Day, C. A. Bashford, Curtis Williams, C. D. Pillsbury, Homer Laughlin, Jr., and Misses Lucy and Mary Clark, Gwendolen Laughlin, Hazel Patterson, Edith Herron, Ella McClary, Mary Hubbell, Helen Wells, Helen Chaffee, Katherine Bashford, Ruth Bulkley, Helen Wells and Mrs. Roy Pinkham.

At the punch bowl, a number of pretty young belles presided, including Misses Alberta Denis, Katherine Banning and Julia Murray.

About three hundred and fifty guests greeted the hostess and her daughter that afternoon.

Godin-Kimball Wedding.

The wedding of Dr. Arthur Godin and Miss Blanche Kimball is to take place on Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Kimball, of Patton, Cal. Miss Kimball was formerly a nurse at the California Hospital, and her friends in the hospital gave her a delightful party lately, at which she was showered with many useful gifts. Mrs. L. W. Godin, mother of Dr. Godin, entertained with a dinner for the couple recently. After a short honeymoon the couple will be at home at No. 724 Beacon street. Dr. Godin is prominent and popular among the medical profession here, and is an instructor in the medical department of the University of Southern California.

Miss Holson's Party.

Miss Harriett Holson of Durango and Flint avenues entertained on Thursday evening with a charming evening party in honor of Harold Church, who will convey the Carnegie telescope to Mt. Wilson. Supper was served and the home most attractively decorated in pink carnations and greenery.

Besides Miss Holson and Mr. Church, guests included: Misses Rose Cook, Marjory Burbank, Buelah Kirby, Mabel Smith, Helen Dickinson, Winston, Maude Kay, Beulah Sturgess, Gertrude Millard, Gertrude Hanbela and Messrs. Bill and Jordan Stone, Dain Sturgess, Harold Wright, Harry Good, Edmond Cahen, Roy Burbank, Elmer Pascoe, Dick Hollingsworth, Dr. Loren Hollingsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Lee.

Miss Bartlett's Debut.

In honor of Mrs. Bartlett's daughter, Miss Mathilde Bartlett, who is one of the charming débutantes, Mrs. W. S. Bartlett and Mrs. Frank Walsh will entertain on Wednesday afternoon with a large reception at the home of the former, "Fenton Knoll," No. 2400 West Adams street.

Mrs. Parker's Luncheon.

As a compliment to Miss Edith Herron, Mrs. C. C. Parker of No. 811 West Twenty-eighth street entertained yesterday with a prettily-appointed luncheon. Yellow centurias and maidenhair ferns decorated the attractive table, and places were marked with dainty cards.

Besides Mrs. Parker and Miss Herron, covers were laid for: **Misses Susie Carpenter, Mary Hubbell, Helen Wells, Helen Newlin, Katherine Clover, Katherine Searls, Lois Chamberlain, Lucy Clark, Mary Clark and Ella McClary.**

Miss Eubank Engaged.

Interesting news is the engagement of Miss Fay Eubank, formerly of Orange, now of this city, to Harold Gardner of Orange. Three years ago Miss Eubank made her home in Orange and there met her fiancé, and now the wedding is to take place on Thursday evening, December 20, at

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At the silk counter you'll find everything that Fashion may suggest in the way of staple or novelty silks. Silks for dresses, costumes, waists, petticoats and wraps, as well as all the modern weave and color effects for holiday fancy work.

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36-inch taffeta—regular $1.25 quality—this week, yard $1

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We've some extraordinary things here for presents, in particular, some new black goods—and black you know is extremely popular just now. Fine unfinished Worsteds, Cheviots and Whipcords, 54 inches wide, for this special occasion, yd. $2

"Moravins," spot proof, all colors, 54 inches, yard $3

Christmas Novelties

The Christmas things we offer this season have all been selected with an eye to their utilization. There's service in every one of them. Yet, style and beauty and newness have not been overlooked for one moment. They all carry their share of ornamentation with that of utility, fair prices and reliability. A hint or two:

Toilet Sets and Articles.

Manicure Sets and Articles.

Beautiful Side and Back Combs.

Hat Pins, Necklaces, Bracelets, Dog Collars, Barretts, Fancy Neck Chains and other French Jewelry Novelties.

Belts, Buckles and Clasps.

Shopping and Opera Bags.

Purses, Card and Letter Cases.

Burnt and Appliqued Leather Novelties of every character.

Sweet Grass Baskets and other articles.

Christmas FURS

Guess we've sold more furs this season than any other concern on the Coast. That's not surprising though, because we had a bigger stock to begin with than any other store. Offered better values and the public had confidence in our furs and bought them eagerly.

Assortments are still unbroken, in spite of the spirited selling. Every kind and quality and style. Prices anywhere between $2.50 and $200.00.

Tea Gowns, Kimonas Negligees and Matinees

We bought these dainty, airy little house garments especially for this season's Christmas buyers—bought them for presents, because we knew they would please hundreds of particular women. See them.

Matinees and Short Kimonos of China silk, henrietta and albatross cloth in all the pretty light colors, tastefully trimmed with laces. Every price from $3.50 on up to $25.00.

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Sixty Handsome Tailored Gowns
Values $40, $45 and $50, Each $35.00

This is not a "job lot" or a broken up line. It's a gathering of sixty late styled fall and winter suits we've picked from our regular stock and reduced, in order to spur on our Monday's business. Honestly, it's a chance you'll not likely get again this season. Tailoring of these suits is of the very best; materials the newest, and coloring the most fashionable of all the autumn shades. Black, brown, blues, greens, London smoke and grays. Pony and blouse etons, long coats and coatees. Sixty to pick from if you come early enough. $35.00 for choice.

$10.00 to $12.00 Wool Skirts $6.00

A manufacturer's sample line of new woolen skirts; all the dark, seasonable colors in fancy indistinct stripes, plaids, checks and mixtures; side and box plaited models cut generously full and roomy. None worth less than ten dollars and from that on up to twelve. About fifty left for tomorrow's selling, each $6.00.

Gift Handkerchiefs

With this assortment and quantity of handkerchiefs before them no one ought to leave this department disappointed. Every kind and quality is here, every staple and modern novelty. But you really should choose this week before the prettiest specimens are gone.

Children's handkerchiefs up from 3c.
Children's initial handkerchiefs up from 3 for 25c.
Men's handkerchiefs, extra quality, from 12 1-2c.
Men's initial, hand embroidered, up from 25c.
Women's embroidered handkerchiefs up from 10c.
Women's initials, hand embroidered, up from 12 1-2c.
Women's lace handkerchiefs up from 25c.
Women's high class novelty handkerchiefs from 35c to $4.50.
Real Duchess and rose point lace ones up from $2.50 to $30.00.

50-Cent Lace Handkerchiefs for 25c

Tomorrow we will sell twenty dozen lace 'kerchiefs at just half value. But if you want to participate you had better be here on time, they will likely go in a twinkling.

Fine sheer linen centers with rows of pretty Val. lace insertion, beadings, swiss embroidery and Val. edges. You'll count them good values at fifty cents. Tomorrow choice, for, each 25c.

Good Table Linens

Any housewife will be pleased with handsome table linens—good table linens, such as these we show.

Here are two items taken from a dozen or two:

Dinner Sets of full bleached Irish damask of the highest grade; cloth 2x2 1-2 yds. and 24-inch napkins to match. Reduced for this week from $18.00 to $15.00.

Dinner Sets of double satin damask, full bleached with cloth 2 1-2 yds. square and 24-inch napkins to match. Reduced from $25.00 to $22.00.

Christmas BLANKETS

Substantial gifts are blankets; they will be more prized than ever these frosty nights. Here are some holiday prices we've placed on some of our regular standard numbers. See if you can match the values.

11-4 white wool blankets, fancy borders, at $3.50 pair.

10-4 white wool blankets, all colors of borders, at $3.00 pair.

11-4 white wool blankets, silk ribbon bound, at $5.00 pair.

11-4 white Cal. wool blankets, extra heavy, at $7.50 pair.

11-4 white Cal. wool blankets, extra heavy and big, at $10.00.

Fancy crib blankets, all sizes, priced from $2.50 to $5.00 pair.

Christmas Neckwear

You'll see here tomorrow not only something new in neckwear, but you'll see some of the very prettiest, the daintiest, embroidered goods you ever saw. Only a hint here.

Collar and cuff sets with embroidered dots and little sprays and scrolls on lawns or swiss; hundreds of styles, at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Collar and cuff sets of pure sheer linen elaborately embroidered in positively new designs—60c and 75c.

Collar and cuff sets, prettily hemstitched, for mourning, wide or narrow styles.

Protection or top collars of lawn, daintily embroidered, at 35c.

High class novelties in stocks and stock collars of silk, lace and hand embroidered materials, silk windsors and four in hands, at all prices.

Christmas Umbrellas

See this new stock of umbrellas. There's a kind here to please your fancy and fit your purse. Silk ones for men or women from $3.50 to $10.00. Mercerized rain umbrellas of good quality up from $1.00.

Men's Stockings

"Onyx" stockings for men are no less famous than those for women. We are agents for both in Los Angeles.

We've just opened our holiday line of men's socks and they look better to us than any we've seen before. Newer, prettier styles and better values than one usually finds, even in "Onyx" goods. All the latest Eastern fads in plaids, stripes and embroidered styles; every color combination and black. Interesting values at 25c, 35c and 50c pr.

Women's Stockings

More late hosiery novelties go on sale tomorrow in fancy lisle threads from 50c to $2.50 a pair.

Silk stockings of every popular color, black or white—always acceptable presents—$1.50 to $7.50 pair.

Evening Costumes One-Third Off

Dainty costumes of chiffon, crepe de chine, radium and soft, light weight woolens; every color for street, afternoon or evening wear, black or white. **$20.00 to $76.50.** actually worth $30.00 to $115.00.

News of Society—Gossip of Men and Women—Weddings, Dinners, Parties



Miss Helen Grace [illegible]ow, a charming Los Angeles girl, and John S. Taylor, whose marriage [illegible] to take place on December 23, at the Church of the Angels.

the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Marsh, of No. 134 Latrobe avenue. After a short honeymoon the couple will make their home in Orange, where the groom is interested in business.

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For Miss Coulter.

In honor of Miss Frances Coulter and her fiancé, Dr. Robert P. McReynolds of Philadelphia, the ushers of the wedding party will entertain with a dinner at the California Club and a box party at the Mason on Monday evening, having as guests the entire wedding party.

The wedding, which takes place at noon in the Broadway Christian Church, will be one of the most interesting of the season, uniting, as it does, one of the most popular and prominent girls of the city with a well-known physician of Philadelphia. The girls who are to attend Miss Coulter are some of the handsomest buds in the city, and the ushers are all prominent young bachelors. J. C. McReynolds, assistant Attorney-General at Washington, and brother of the groom, is to be best man.

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Country Club Dance.

The Los Angeles Country Club is planning to give a sort of a Christmas dance on next Friday evening, with Arend's orchestra to furnish the music.

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Miss Rank Engaged.

The news of the engagement of Miss Catherine Eleanor Rank and Frank K. Weidler of Cincinnati, which is made known by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rank, of No. 3820 Woodlawn avenue, comes as a great surprise to the many friends of the fair bride-elect in this city. Miss Rank is a handsome girl, and she and the groom-to-be are both popular in social circles of the city.

The ceremony will take place some time in early spring.

Many functions are being planned for the bride-to-be.

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Franciscos to Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bond Francisco of No. 1401 Albany street will open their artistic home on Wednesday evening to entertain with a musicale in compliment to their guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gemuender, who have recently come here from Chicago. Mr. Gemuender formerly lived here, and is a finished 'cellist, while his wife is a brilliant violinist. They will be among the contributors to the musical programme. Mrs. Francisco herself is possessed of a beautiful soprano voice and it is hoped that she also will sing.

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Informal "At Home."

Mrs. Carl Kurtz of No. 1129 South Alvarado street and Mrs. Samuel J. Whitmore received informally on Friday afternoon at the home of the former.

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Mrs. Thresher's Reception.

Mrs. George P. Thresher and her daughter, Miss Thresher, of No. 27 Westmoreland place, were hostesses at a delightful at home given on Friday afternoon at their handsome new residence.

The house was in holiday attire of hollyberries and scarlet satin ribbons and much green foliage.

About two hundred guests were received, and those who assisted the hostess in receiving were: Mmes. Maria Thresher Webb, James T. Fitzgerald, Lewis Clark Carlisle, Matthew S. Robertson, Laura Armstrong, B. R. Baumgardt, and Misses Arley Tottenham, Emma Marmon, Bessie Hellyar, Helen Thresher, Roberta McClurg and Maris McClurg.

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Brilliant Function.

The handsome home of Mrs. Willis H. Booth at No. 1010 Magnolia avenue was alight with beautiful flowers and sweet music was discoursed to the galaxy of fair women who gathered as guests at the reception and musicale given by Mrs. Booth and Mrs. William James Chick.

Quantities of bright blossoms were utilized in the attractive floral scheme and in the reception-room pink carnations and ferns were effectively combined. At one end, where the receiving party stood, fluffy bamboo and potted palms formed an attractive background, against which baskets of Enchantress carnations were charmingly hung. The hall contained brass jardinieres filled with white carnations and asparagus ferns and smilax draped the windows and walls. In the library poinsettias glowed in striking array against the greenery. The dining-room was especially pleasing in yellow. The table was spread with a handsome lace cloth over yellow silk and in the center on a mirror was a candelabra shaded with yellow silken shades and bearing yellow tapers. Surrounding the mirror were tiny rose-shaped candlesticks bearing yellow tapers. At each corner were great high ones shaded with yellow and crystal shades and low crystal ones were placed beyond these. The chandelier was draped with cloudy yellow tulle and asparagus plumosus.

A most delightful musical programme was presented through the afternoon by Mrs. Robert Wankowski and William James Chick, assisted by Archibald Sessions at the piano.

Assisting the hostesses in receiving were: Mmes. Franklin Booth, J. H. Martindale, Harley Hamilton, Oliver C. Bryant, Glenn Spence, Oscar Mueller, Sumpter Zombro, Charles Ferry Bagg, Fred Henderson, Wilson Butler, Thomas Lee Woolwine, Ross Smith, Seeley, Eugene Pettigrew, Charles S. Noyes, William M. Wallace, Simpson G. Wilson, Edward Paury, I. S. Thatcher, Roland M. Paul, and Misses Edith Kirkpatrick, Edna Foy, Lillian McLaughlin and Fay Hildreth.

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Miss Davidson a Debutante.

Mrs. Thomas Davidson of No. 327 South Alvarado street has issued invitations for a tea next Wednesday afternoon, at which her young daughter, Miss Doris Davidson, will make her debut in local society. Miss Davidson returned several months ago from London, England, where she finished at a fashionable school for girls there.

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Eschscholtzia Benefit Party.

Eschscholtzia Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of which Mrs. Mary Banning is the regent, is planning a large benefit card party for Friday afternoon at the Ebell Club, for the benefit of charitable work.

Mrs. William Wallace McLeod is the chairman of the committee in charge, and assisting her are: Mmes. Nathan Cole, Jr., W. E. Read, Freeman G. Cady and Miss Camilla McConnell. Bridge, five hundred and whist are the games to be played, and in charge of the bridge section is Miss Cammilla McConnell, who has as her assistants, Misses Gertrude Gooding, Beatrice Cutter and Mrs. Donald Frick. Mrs. Cady and Mrs. McLead, who have the five hundred tables, have as assistants, Misses Helen Kemper, Maybelle Rendall and Mrs. John H. Packham. Mrs. Cole is to have the whist tables, and will have assisting her, Misses Katherine Kemper, Mary Phelps, Augusta Lamb, Lucille Dinan and Gladys Cole.

Young girls who will assist include: Misses Nathalie Cole, Seriba McLeod, Pauline Eastman, Virginia Walsh, Jennie Winston and Forbes.

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Mrs. Bangs Entertained.

Mrs. John Kendricks Bangs of New York was entertained this week by Dr. and Mrs. Adams and Miss Adams of South Flower street, while Mr. Bangs was lecturing in Arizona. Mrs. Bangs is a cousin of Mrs. Adams, and is as charming in personality as her distinguished husband is in wit and humor.

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Honor Chaffees.

In honor of Gen. and Mrs. Adna R. Chaffee, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Graves of No. 1047 South Figueroa street entertained charmingly at dinner on Thursday evening. The centerpiece for the table was a basket filled with frosted berries and greens, resting on a duchesse dolly. Places were marked with sachets in envelope form, ornamented with sketches of red berries and tied with scarlet ribbons. A huge scarlet bell was suspended from the chandelier by means of fluffy gauze ribbons.

Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Woolwine, Dr. and Mrs. West Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Will A. Strong, Mrs. Thompson and Josiah Jarvis of Louisville, Ky.

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Mrs. Hamilton's Daughter

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Hamilton are congratulating them on the arrival of a daughter in their home. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton of Hamilton, Cal., have been spending a number of weeks with Mrs. Hamilton's mother, Mrs. W. H. Bonsall, and her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McFarland, at No. 1340 Arnold street. Mr. and Mrs. McFarland are the proud possessors of six grandchildren, this pretty little girl being the latest, and they are very proud.

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Miss Brady Engaged.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Brady of Philadelphia announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Katherine Brownscombe Brady of No. 2626 Vermont avenue, to Francis William Fogwell of Topeka, Kan.

Miss Brady has been here for several years attending the University of Southern California, and is a popular member of the Alpha Rho Sorority. She has always taken an active part in the college life and is a general favorite. For some time she was a member of the basketball team and prominent in athelitics.

The announcement comes as a surprise to the many friends of the couple. The wedding is to take place some time in January.

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Bright Young Bud a Singer.

That Miss Alice Starr, one of the prettiest and most charming of buds, is possessed of more than ordinary vocal talents, is interesting many of her friends. Miss Alice is barely 17, yet she possesses an excellent dramatic soprano voice, with much innate fire and temperament to aid this. Her voice is sweet and with training will be a fine large voice as well. Last evening she sang at an affair given by L'Alliance Francaise, delighting her many friends there. She sang "Good-by" (Tosti) and the leading part in the sextette from "Lucia." She is a pupil of Signor Buzzi, and he plans after a year or so more of training to send her to Italy to coach with some of the leading vocal teachers there.

Miss Starr is a handsome young girl, with shining dark tresses and sparkling eyes, and is a favorite socially.

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Gamma Phi Betas to Meet.

Miss Edith Furrey, Bixel and Ingraham streets, will have as her guests on next Saturday afternoon, members of the Gamma Phi Beta sorority. The meeting will be held for the purpose of organizing an alumnae chapter, and all members, who cannot be present are requested to send their names and addresses to Miss Furrey.

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Miss Snow's Wedding.

Interesting to many friends is the approaching wedding of pretty Miss Helen Grace Snow of this city and John Sherman Taylor of Portland, Or., for which invitations have been issued, to take place at the Church of the Angels, Garvanza, with Rev. Runkle officiating. Miss Hazel Tomblin of Ocean Park is to be the only attendant of the bride, and Alfred James Snow of Berkeley, brother of the bride, is to be best man.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Snow of No. 1234 New Hampshire street, and was one of the most popular co-eds during her attendance at Berkeley. Miss Snow is a sister of Miss Beatrice Snow, who graduated from the university a year ago, after making a brilliant record in classroom and in dramatic and literary circles.

Mr. Taylor is a lumber merchant of Portland, and after the wedding will take his bride to Portland to reside.

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Pine Forest Club Entertains.

The Pine Forest Whist Club met with Mrs. George Beebe, No. 240 West Sixth street. Mrs. R. B. Williamson substituted for Mrs. Matthay, Mrs. W. E. Rice for Mrs. D. R. Brown, and Mrs. M. S. Beebe for the hostess. The members present were Mmes. J. E. Carr, H. P. Copp, Willis M. Dixon, Thomas Hughes, W. L. Jeffries, C. S. Klous, D. A. Meekins, William A. Morehouse, O. Morgan, H. M. Myer, F. H. Nichols, S. W. Strong, M. P. Snyder, M. K. Suber, C. W. Sylvester,



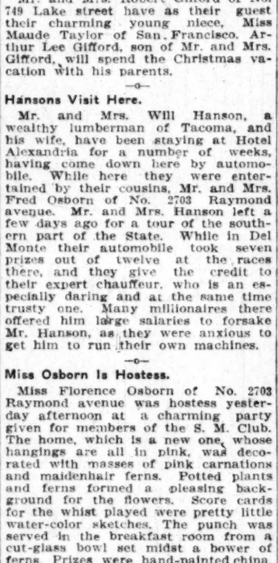
MISS CATHERINE E. RANK, whose engagement is announced to Frank K. Weidlor of Cincinnati.

W. H. Wagner, and G. W. Perkins. The first prize, a handsome silver belt buckle, was won by Mrs. J. A. Copp; the second, a beautiful white fan, was won by Mrs. H. M. Myer. Mrs. Morehouse will entertain the club Tuesday, the 17th inst.

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Sunshine Society Meets.

The Sunshine Society met at the home of the president, Mrs. W. W. McLeod, at No. 640 West Eighteenth



MISS MATHILDE BARTLETT, who is to make her debut at a large reception given by her mother, Mrs. W. S. Bartlett, of "Fenton Knoll," on Wednesday.

street, Thursday afternoon. The principal work done was the planning of the Christmas offerings to the poor, especially to the children. Gifts of books, clothing, if in good condition, toys, candies, etc., gladly received at and disbursed from the above address. The third edition of the Sunshine Year Book is to be issued for the Christmas trade, and can be had from Mrs. McLeod; proceeds of sale to be used for charity. A party on next Thursday evening is to be given at the Woman's Club House by four of the ladies of the society to help the good cause. Twelve prizes have been donated by other members.

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To Entertain Boys' Club.

The Girls' Glee and Mandolin Clubs of the Polytechnic High School will entertain the Boys' Glee Club with a dancing party at the Burford Conservatory, Friday evening, December 14. The hall will be decorated in the school colors, whiles the court will be decked with holly berries and mistletoe.

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Gifford's Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gifford of No. 749 Lake street have as their guest their charming young niece, Miss Maude Taylor of San Francisco. Arthur Lee Gifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gifford, will spend the Christmas vacation with his parents.

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Hansons Visit Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hanson, a wealthy lumberman of Tacoma, and his wife, have been staying at Hotel Alexandria for a number of weeks, having come down here by automobile. While here they were entertained by their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Osborn of No. 2703 Raymond avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson left a few days ago for a tour of the southern part of the State. While in Del Monte their automobile took seven prizes out of twelve at the races there, and they give the credit to their expert chauffeur, who is an especially daring and at the same time trusty one. Many millionaires there offered him large salaries to forsake Mr. Hanson, as they were anxious to get him to run their own machines.

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Miss Osborn Is Hostess.

Miss Florence Osborn of No. 2703 Raymond avenue was hostess yesterday afternoon at a charming party given for members of the S. M. Club. The home, which is a new one, whose hangings are all in pink, was decorated with masses of pink carnations and maidenhair ferns. Potted plants and ferns formed a pleasing background for the flowers. Score cards for the whist played were pretty little water-color sketches. The punch was served in the breakfast room from a cut-glass bowl set midst a bower of ferns. Prizes were hand-painted china. A splendid musical programme was rendered, and those who enjoyed the party were: Misses Dorothy Moore, Marian Dellamazzo, Pauline Barr, Oliphant, Winifred Ramsey, Ruth Baumgartner, Alice Atwell, Eleanor Bradley, Frances Wartelle, Frances Crowder, Grace Rockwell, Florence Wheelan, Mamie Young, Helen McCutcheon, Ethel Graham, Katherine Jones, Violet McDonald, Marguerite Seymour, Lucille Roberts, Mamie McGarry, Bernice Burrows, Anna Kellam, Lydia Kellam, Alice Beacon, Dwynne Thomsen and Mmes. Walter J. Wren, Robert Schroeder, R. H. Arfold and J. Birkel.

The Misses Viola and Laura Hanson, cousins of Miss Osborn, who have been visiting her, left a few days ago for their home in Redwood City.

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Kansas City Folk Here.

Mrs. Grant White Kenney of Kansas City arrived in Los Angeles a few days ago, for a two months' visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Blanche Corby of No. 1129 West Sixth street.

One of the many jolly opera parties the first of the week was one which included Mrs. W. G. Nevin, Mrs. Blanche K. Corby, Mrs. M. J. Newmark, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Ella Lauman, Miss Kate Fay and Miss Grace Helen Kenney.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mrs. Vinton L. Mitchell and her daughter, Miss Ethel Pearl Mitchell, have returned from Laguna Beach and have taken apartments at the Hitman for the winter. They will receive their friends on the first Fridays of the month.

The South Pasadena Woman's Art Club has been having an exhibition the past week, which has been so successful that they have decided to continue it until Wednesday.

Miss Grace Helen Kenney has returned from a week's visit in Redlands.

Mrs. T. S. Azpell of Denver, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips of No. 434 Park View street for the past month, left for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Goldberg announce the confirmation of their son, Joseph, to take place at their residence, No. 669 South Bunker Hill avenue, on Saturday next at 8 o'clock. A reception is to be held on the following Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells C. Merwin will be at home to their friends at No. 631 East Thirty-sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Isidore N. Levy, formerly of No. 749 West Seventeenth street, are at present at the Netherlands Hotel, No. 1253 West Seventh street. Mrs. Levy will be at home the second Fridays.

Mrs. Lizzie C. Peckham, who is visiting alternately Sacramento, San José, Oakland, Berkeley and San Francisco for the past nine years, has returned to Los Angeles for the winter, and is staying at the Hamilton.

J. G. Jarvis of Louisville is on a visit to Dr. and Mrs. West Hughes.

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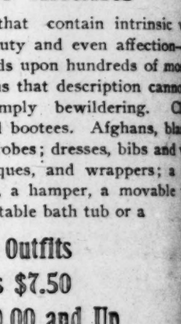
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OUT-OF-TOWN SOCIETY

Pasadena.

THE unusually large number of delightful functions this week indicate that Pasadena is waking up briskly and invitations have been extended for several affairs of importance for the coming week. The most brilliant function chronicled was the dance given Friday evening at the handsome residence on South Orange Grove avenue, by Mrs. A. Kingsley Macomber and Mrs. E. R. Kellam, in honor of Mrs. George F. Bissell of Hartford, Ct. The house, which is unfurnished was lavishly decorated with green, wood ferns, foliage plants, bamboo, and all sorts of growing shrubs being masses in alcoves, deep window embrasures and elsewhere. Pale green tulle shrouded the mirrors and softened the electric lights, and American Beauty roses, arranged on mantels and tables gave a delightful touch of color. The guest list included eighty of the dancing people of the married society set and a few visitors and maids.

Another delightful dance which was followed by the young unmarried set and chaperoned by a few of the youngest married folk, was that given Saturday evening in the Romanesque room at Hotel Green. This spacious apartment was ornamented with ferns, potted plants and bright geraniums, the dance in the café of the hotel, the Several dinner parties preceeded the most noteworthy of which was given by Miss Angie Holmes in honor of Miss and Mrs. Hugh McFarland of Los Angeles. Covers were laid for eight, the guests being Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Groenendyke, Miss Cora Auten, Messrs. Sam Hinds and Robert Neustadt and the guests of honor.

The largest card party of the week and the most elaborate in appointments was given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Lawrence Hurlburt of South Orange Grove avenue. The company was made up of the older matrons of the "Four Hundred" and a few maids. Handsome prizes were awarded for the games, "Five hundred" and bridge, tables being arranged for both. There were sixty present.

The younger matrons were entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. John S. Cravens at bridge at her hospitable home on South Orange Grove avenue. The house was lovely in its decorations of green and American Beauty roses and the affair most exclusive.

Mrs. W. D. McGilvray was the hostess at one of the most charming card parties of the week given Friday afternoon at her home on Bellefontaine avenue. Progressive euchre was the game and there were forty maids and matrons present.



MISS KATHARINE BRADY, popular Alpha Rho sorority girl, whose engagement to Francis W. Fogwell of Topeka, Kansas, is announced today.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club was charmingly entertained this week by Mrs. Harry Mellen and Mrs. Joseph F. Rhodes at the home of the former on Bellefontaine avenue. Garden roses were used in profusion about the rooms where the card tables were arranged and the prizes were unusually beautiful. Those present were Misses Gladys Palmer, Ethel and Mabel Love, Marguerite Austin, Jessamine Rockwell, Cordelia Stimson, Rebecca Hibbard, Louise Lockwood, Alice Wells, Marjorie Sinclair, May Barker, Laura Shields, Emily Hibbard, Gladys Gardner, Bessie Stehman, Julia Holmes, Constance McClintock, Elizabeth Speer, Mrs. A. Stevens Halsted, Mrs. Frederick Grabel.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rust were happily surprised Wednesday evening at their home on North Raymond avenue by a few of their friends coming in for progressive euchre. Prizes were awarded and won by Mrs. Showalter and William McCarty. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. Frank Giguette, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Billings, the Misses Pullman and Messrs. Staples.

Miss Pauline Lewis and Miss Edith Farnsworth entertained a few friends with a charming musical in the music-room at La Pintoresca Saturday.

Mrs. Helena Childs has issued invitations for a reception Wednesday, December 13 from 3 to 5 o'clock at her home on Grand avenue, in honor of Mrs. Theodore F. Welch, and Mrs. Clinton C. Clark.

The members of the Valley Hunt Club will enjoy an evening at the Belasco Theater Wednesday, making the trip to Los Angeles in special cars. Supper will be enjoyed after the play at one of the popular grill rooms in town.

Fullerton.

THE engagement of I. L. Culp, a former well-known business man of Fullerton, and Miss Rose Sykes, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sykes of Murrietta, is announced, the wedding to take place about January 1 at the Methodist Episcopal Church in Murrietta, followed by a reception and wedding dinner at the home of the bride. Mr. Culp will locate in Los Angeles or San Luis Obispo, where he will engage in business.

Rev. F. R. Holcomb and wife are issuing invitations to a number of pioneer settlers in Fullerton to dine with them Tuesday, January 1, it being their thirtieth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb are two of the best-known residents in northern Orange county, and settled here in the early days of Fullerton.

J. B. Mitchell, who has resided in Placentia for some time, has gone back to Polk, Tenn., his future home, Mrs. Mitchell having gone ahead some weeks ago.

Lordsburg.

MR. AND MRS. Earl Abbott of Ocean Park are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Abbott, of La Verne.

Miss Grace Tiantz of Los Angles is a guest of Mrs. A. W. Keating.

Mrs. B. F. Masterson of Inglewood is visiting her daughters, Mrs. R. L. Lemmon, and Mrs. Marion Wire.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Garcia of Los Angeles are visiting friends here.

Glendora.

REV. AND MRS. F. J. SEAMAN are enjoying a visit from the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lake, of Baldwin, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dunkel and family arrived here Monday and will occupy the Humphrey residence during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. William Norton are entertaining their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Norton, for a few days, prior to their return to their home in Severy, Kan., after spending the past six months in California.

Miss Grace Elliott of Los Angeles was a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Arenschield the first of the week.

The Misses King of Montreal, Canada, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.

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Feather Boas at eighteen to sixty-five dollars—a variety that leaves nothing to be wished for. Some all black, some all white; others in colors, as well as grays, and white and black combinations.

And every one of them made of feathers from the male birds. They're heavier, richer and much more serviceable than the female bird's feathers.

Finest German Wool Underwear

Priced Shamefully Low

To make quick riddance of some broken lines of Germany's most famous underwear, we've marked them away under half—in some instances down to a quarter of their former prices.

Children's sleeping suits of the finest wool money can buy, at a dollar each; were $4; nearly all sizes.

Children's $3 and $3.50 Union Suits of the same grade at a dollar; fair range of sizes.

Children's $2 shirts in small sizes only at fifty cents.

Women's large size drawers were $2 to $3 at 75c a pair.

Women's $3.50 vests in small sizes only for a dollar each.

Women's $4.50 pants in nearly all sizes, now a dollar a pair.

All the above are medium heavy wool goods from a German mill whose name, for business reasons, we are not at liberty to use—the whole collection would be closed out in an hour if we could.

Some rare values in lesser priced grades:

Women's white and natural wool Union Suits of the "Phyllis" make—the $4 grade—at $2.50; all sizes.

Women's $2.50 Vests of the "Phyllis" make for $1.75.

Women's high neck and long sleeve vests of fine worsted cut from $1.25 to 75c each. Same material in ankle length pants, with French bands, 75c a pair.

Women's 75c lisle vests with hand crocheted yokes cut to 45c each.

Gift-worthy Upholstery

Many Things at Half or Near It

Anything that adds to the beauty or comfort of home will be highly acceptable to a home-loving woman.

PILLOWS AT 50c—22-inch pillows, many of them filled with pretty East India floss; some ruffled, some with 2-frills. On sale tomorrow at each.

$4 TO $5 TABLE COVERS—2x2½-yard table covers of fine mercerized stuffs with knotted fringe all around; handsome color combinations—two-tone greens; green-and-red, etc. $3.50 values to go tomorrow at each.

$2.50 TO $3.50 TABLE COVERS—Reversible covers of serviceable stuffs with heavy knotted fringe all around; pretty color combinations; $2.75 and $3.50 values at $2 each.

$3.75 CURTAINS AT $2.95—2 1-2-yard long curtains made of best quality Arabian net; 2-inch hem on one side and both sides trimmed with narrow edge — a curtain that will stand many trips to the laundry, $2.95 a pair.

CRETONNES, DENIMS, ETC.—New cretonnes in almost no end of beautiful color combinations, —same designs as in the fine silk goods, 25c a yard.

Denims in solid colors, 25c yd.
Burlaps in solid colors, 15c yd.

(Third Floor)

Women's and Children's Hosiery

Specially Priced for Monday

Whatever your hosiery needs may be, come here tomorrow. Chances are you'll find just what you want among these specially-priced lots.

Women's $2.50 black silk hosiery at $1.50 a pair.

Women's black lisle stockings with lace ankles, in sizes 8 and 8½ only; were 75c and $1 when we had all sizes.

Women's plain lisle and cotton stockings with high spliced heels and double soles, 25c a pair—best value at that price anybody can give.

Three pairs of women's black maco cotton stockings in Christmas box for a dollar.

Children's 25c and 35c black cashmere stockings in broken sizes, three pairs for 50c. And ribbed cotton stockings of the 25c grade at 15c—to make quick riddance of the broken assortment.

Untrimmed Hats At Half

When we announce half prices on all of OUR Untrimmed Felt Hats you may rest assured that it is to be an event worthy the attention of every woman who cares for elegance and exclusiveness in millinery. Practically every shape evolved this season is included, and nearly all are of genuine French felt—nothing trashy.

Evening Coats $20 to $375

With a stock that includes a variety at every price-step between $20 and $375, and all in this season's most approved styles, there can be no question about finding many that will suit you in every respect.

AT $20—50-inch evening coats of white and champagne broadcloth lined throughout with white satin and tastefully trimmed with white braid—$20.

AT $30—Evening coats of champagne or white broadcloth lined all through with white satin and elaborately braided—$30.

AT $35—Evening coats of champagne broadcloth, white satin lined; richly braided front, yoke and cuffs—$35.

AT $45—Evening coats of champagne broadcloth, lined throughout with taffeta; high collar trimmed with black velvet and fancy braid—$45.

AT $60—Evening coat of white broadcloth, taffeta lined; richly braided; blue velvet collar—$60.

AT $75—Evening coat of white broadcloth, lined with satin duchesse; elaborately trimmed with lace and velvet.

New automobile coats are plentiful here now.

High-class Furs

Good furs make ideal gifts—gifts that can be put to practical use, year after, for a generation.

Notice that we say GOOD furs. The market is flooded with cheap trash that would never do as gifts. You might take chances with things bought for your own use, but never make a gift of anything of doubtful quality. Every sort of fur piece needed in this climate, in every grade of fur it is safe to buy. Seven-fifty to a hundred and twenty-five dollars.

(Second Floor)

Give Table Linens

But Be Sure They're Good Ones

Table Linens of dependable quality—no safer gift could be thought of, for no housewife ever has as many as she thinks she needs.

A full third, or more, to be saved on the sorts referred to below.

AT $6 INSTEAD OF $10—2 1-2x3-yard cloths of double satin damask, in several exceedingly handsome patterns—$6 each.

AT $6 INSTEAD OF $9—2x2-yard tablecloths of high grade satin damask with dozen dinner napkins to match, neatly boxed for Christmas giving—$6 a set.

AT $7 INSTEAD OF $11—2x2 1-2-yard cloths of fine satin damask with dozen napkins to match—variety of handsome floral patterns—$7 a set.

AT $4 INSTEAD OF $6—Dinner size napkins of very fine Irish damask, in lily of the valley, shamrock, poppy and other choice patterns—$4 a dozen.

AT 37 1-2c INSTEAD OF 60c—18x37-inch hemstitched linen damask tray cloths in very pretty patterns, 37 1-2c each.

AT 15c INSTEAD OF 30c—12-inch damask doylies with hemstitched and open work edges, 15c each.

AT 12 1-2c INSTEAD OF 25c—Fringed linen damask towels of the 25c quality at 12 1-2c each.

Gift-Giving Looks Easy

When You Enter This Art Department

A leisurely stroll through this Art Department will settle many a perplexing gift problem. A few suggestions:

Glass Cut—Cut glass is something that anybody can present to anybody with the assurance that it will be heartily appreciated. Prices are not prohibitive to people of moderate means, either. For instance, beautifully cut bonbon, jelly and olive dishes, nappies, etc., are to be had for as little as $1.25 and $2.25.

Water bottles in handsome shapes and really beautiful cuttings specially priced at $3.75.

Bronzes—One of many rare values is an electrolier with graceful bronze figure holding a jewel-studded and bead-fringed light. $9.50 instead of $12.50.

Needlework—18 and 20-inch hand-made Battenberg center pieces—some with lace edge and linen centers, some in allover lace effects—all surprisingly beautiful goods for so little money—50c each.

Wool Slippers—Knit slippers with fleece-lined leather soles—just what's needed for lounging around when the floors are cold. Men's sizes, $1.50; women's and misses', $1.00 a pair.

Our Toy and Doll Depts. hold many a pleasant surprise for the little ones, and you can bring them here without getting into overcrowded, poorly ventilated salesrooms.

A Tremendous Bedding Business

And Why We're Doing It

For sanitary reasons we will neither exchange nor take back any article of bedding that has been out of the store over night. That rule is rigidly enforced. And it is because of thus safeguarding your health, as much as because of the price-inducements, that you are giving us the biggest bedding business enjoyed by any store in the West.

AT $2.50 INSTEAD OF $4—Eleven-quarter blankets of white mixed wool with wide silk binding and red or blue borders—good weight, warm and fluffy; $2.50 a pair.

AT $4.50 INSTEAD OF $5—Ten-quarter blankets of heavy white wool with 4-inch silk binding and red, blue or pink borders; $4.50 a pair.

AT $6 INSTEAD OF $7—Eleven-quarter blankets of extra heavy white wool—very soft and fluffy—with pink or blue borders; $6 a pair.

FULL SIZE COMFORTERS—Of soft, downy white wool, covered with dainty silkoline; specially priced at $3.50.

Same as above, only with light warm lamb's wool filling, and six-inch silk border; five dollars.

Rare Values In Rugs

Many at a Third Under Regular

A gift of a rug is a gift for the whole family—and an enduring gift. Tomorrow's offerings make the giving unexpectedly easy.

India Art Rugs—particularly desirable for dens, bungalows and beach cottages—at a third under regular.

Size 4x7-ft. at $6 instead of $9.
Size 6x9-ft at $10.50 instead of $15.
Size 9x12-ft. at $22.50 instead of $35.

Underpriced Domestic Rugs

27x54-inch Body Brussels rugs of the $3 grade at $2.

9x10 1-2-ft. Art Naveau Rugs cut from $15 to $12.50; size 9x12-ft. at $15 instead of $18.

9x12-ft. "Bigelow" and "Hartford" Wilton Rugs of the grade sold all over the U. S. at $40 are here at $27.50; limited variety of patterns.

(Third Floor)

If you cannot come, order by mail. On all purchases amounting to $5 or more, EXCEPT C.O.D. PACKAGES, we prepay the freight or express charges to any railroad station in Southern California within 100 miles of Los Angeles.

SOCIETY.

S. Whitcomb Thursday. The Misses King spent the past winter in Glendora, and are now passing the winter in Claremont.

Joseph Delott enjoyed a visit from his nephew, Chester Galloway, of Trenton, N. J., on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Yost are entertaining the former's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Yost of Pomona, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Colby arrived Wednesday from Great Falls, Mont., and will spend the winter at their beautiful ranch home adjoining Glendora.

G. V. Tuttle arrived in Glendora recently from Spokane, Wash., and will be a guest at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tuttle, for the winter.

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Riverside.

MISS MARY BOYLE of Riverside and Harrison J. Allen of Long Beach were married Wednesday evening at a pretty wedding in All Saints' Episcopal Church. Rev. M. C. Totten officiated. The bride was preceded by a bevy of bridesmaids gowned in harmonizing shades of silk, veiled with white net. Two were in pastel pink, two in pale blue and two in pale yellow, and all carried pink carnations. The bridesmaids were Misses Katherine Boyle, Marjorie Howe, Anita Johnson, Mabel Shields, Jean Housted, of Santa Ana, and Helen Boyle. The matron of honor was the bride's sister, Mrs. J. Boyd McDougall, who wore embroidered chiffon over white silk. The best man was Clarence Sears, and the ushers were Jack McFadden of Santa Ana, Allie Murray, Irving Heap, Will Johnson, Edwin Sears and Robert Wilson. The bride wore a princesse gown of white embroidered net over white taffeta silk. Her flowers were bride roses. The bride was given into the keeping of the groom by her father, George Boyle. The young couple will be at home in Long Beach, January 1.

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Ventura.

THE Ventura County Sunday-school Association has elected the following officers: President, R. S. Ramsey of Santa Paula; first vice-president, Mrs. George Kennedy of Santa Paula; second vice, Frank Barrows of Nordhoff; secretary, Miss Grace Sharp, Saticoy; treasurer, Ted Fairbanks of Santa Paula; superintendent, E. L. Zahn of Santa Paula; primary department, Miss Grace Seward of Ventura; home department, Mrs. C. J. Elliott of Oxnard; temperance department, Mrs. Lena Walker of Montalvo.

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Colton.

MISS SUSIE DODSON AND CHARLES C. BRADLEY were united in marriage last evening at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Ford Madison. Rev. Isaac Jewell performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley will reside in Colton.

J. R. Burns and brother, J. E Burns, have purchased of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore the home place on Pennsylvania avenue, consisting of four and a half acres of oranges and a two-story house; consideration, $7000.

The Masons elected the following officers last evening for the ensuing year: G. B. Caster, Worshipful Master; T. C. Brownlow, Senior Warden; B. H. Shepley, Junior Warden; J. B. Hanna, Secretary; C. W. Curtis, Treasurer.

Kurtz Cropley is ill with diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Rearick left last evening for their home in Mitchell, N. D., after spending a few weeks here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Colvin.

Mrs. Harriet Wilcox is very ill with lagrippe at her home on F street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Madison left today for Searchlight, Nev., to reside.

L. W. Lisenby is in Colton from Long Beach.

Mrs. James Barnhill entertained a few friends informally Thursday afternoon at her home on the Terrace. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with needlework. The guests included: Mrs. J. B. Hanna, Mrs. M. A. Fox, Mrs. Louis Fox, Mrs. A. Lantz, Mrs. E. F. Van Luren, Mrs. A. Shorey, Mrs. Wilson Hays, Mrs. R. E. Davidson, Mrs. Wade Purdum, Miss B. Gregor, Mrs. James Shedden, B. C. and Mrs. William Dunn of Rialto.

Mrs. Isaac Jewell, entertained the Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist Church Thursday afternoon at her home on Eighth street.

Mrs. George Ferguson entertained the following guests at bridge whist Friday afternoon at her Terrace home: Mmes. M. A. Hebberd, E. Wilkerson, Ira White, J. R. Boynton, M. C. Hert, M. C. Butterfield, Seth Hartley, M. E. Knox, W. W. Wilcox and C. B. Fuller.

Mrs. Ira White entertained informally at her home Friday evening. The guests were: Misses Elizabeth Sellards and Rowena Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Merrifield, Messrs. E. B. Wilkerson, Ralph Bailey and Mrs. E. Bovard of Berkeley.

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Rivera.

MRS. HENRY MILLS has returned from an extended trip through the eastern States.

Miss Fannie Trailor, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Barlow, has returned to Pasadena.

Miss Nola Johns of Ventura county has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hanna.

D. R. Thayer of Texas is visiting his sister, Mrs. Gilman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hall of London, Ont., are among the new settlers in Rivera, having come here for the benefit of Mrs. Hall's health.

Miss Estelle Story has returned from a visit at Berkeley.

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East Whittier.

MEMBERS of the East Whittier Improvement Club held an enjoyable session at their new clubhouse on Wednesday afternoon, pursuing their study of Mexican history. Life in the time of Cortez formed the basis of the afternoon's programme, interesting papers being read by Mmes. Arthur L. Reed and Frank Milhous. The all-important topic of furnishings for the clubhouse was discussed, and a number of ways to replenish the treasury were outlined.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hutchinson of Jackson, Mich., and their nephew, Roy Le Fevre, are here for the winter.

Mrs. H. W. Camper of Chico, Cal., is here for the winter, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George L. Hazzard.

Fred L. Hazzard has returned from a business trip to Mexico.

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La Habra.

AN INFORMAL and jolly dinner was given by the ladies of the Baptist Church at the Farmers' Institute held on Friday and Saturday at the schoolhouse.

Miss Ethel Reynolds and Irvine Calderwood were the principles in a pretty home wedding on last Wednesday at the home of the bride. After a short wedding trip they will be at home to their friends in La Habra, where both are well known and popular.

Mrs. W. N. Swain has returned from a week's visit with Whittier relations.

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Whittier.

MEMBERS of the Woman's Club held an enjoyable meeting on Wednesday, the literature section of the club giving a delightful programme, and Miss Ethel Parker of Los Angeles giving an "Ave Maria" and "Coming Thro' the Rye." The president, Mrs. Artillissa Dorland Clark, read to the members a letter from a former club president, Miss Emelie V. Hadley, written in Berlin, Germany. A number of guests were present in addition to the club members.

Whittier Lodge, F. & A. M., elected Frank Owens, W.M.; F. J. Powers, S.W.; Arthur West, J.W.; E. H. Payne, secretary, and J. H. Gwin, treasurer. The installation will take place in the lodgeroom of the handsome new temple, shortly after the new year.

The new officers of Oro Lodge, I.O. O. F., are: D. H. Briggs, N.G.; Frank A. Jackson, V.G.; W. C. Mills, secretary; J. A. Caster, financial secretary; C. E. Cole, treasurer.

Members of the local camp of Modern Woodmen held their election on Monday night. The new officers, who are to be installed in January, are: Prof. J. E. Wright, V.C.; W. A. Wenger, advisor; J. L. Snavely, banker; D. H. Briggs, clerk; F. A. Jackson, escort; H. Singleton, watchman; R. E. Coppock, sentry; Dr. Stokes, physician.

Mrs. J. P. Armstrong of San Bernardino was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Collins of North Painter avenue the first of this week.

Mrs. William L. Stafford returned on Saturday from a three weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Dunlap, Jr., of Lompoc, Cal.

Mrs. Mary Hall and daughter, Mrs. F. C. Wooster, and the latter's children, all of Irwin, Iowa, are the guests of Dr. Beth V. Hall for the winter.

Mrs. F. E. Jordan of Holtville, Cal., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Way, of South Painter avenue.

Mayor J. H. Wilkins and Mrs. Wilkins have returned from an extended eastern trip, visiting their old home in South Bend, Ind., as well as Chicago, Denver and San Francisco.

Dating from the election of Wednesday night, the following are the officers of the local Knights of Pythias Lodge: S. J. Cornell, chancellor; O. E. Rogers, vice-chancellor; Ernest Talbert, prelate; C. A. Landuth, M.W. J. G. Swain, K. of R. S.; Ralph Cornell, M. of F.; G. E. Bailey, M. of E.; Henry Turner, M. of A.; W. J. Collins, inner guard; A. H. Woodward, outer guard; T. B. Moorhead, trustee.

San Pedro.

THE Honeymoon Whist Club was entertained on Wednesday evening by Mrs. H. W. Armour, at her home on Tenth street.

The members of the Women's Club were entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. L. Campbell.

Mrs. O. A. Drawn of Chicago was the guest of Mrs. G. A. Williams, on Olive Heights during the week.

Mrs. A. Byron Beasley of New York is visiting Mrs. F. J. Cox at her home on Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burns, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mitchell and Mrs. F. Whitman were visitors to Monrovia on Wednesday.

Mrs. Fanny M. Wheelock of Los Angeles was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Armour, during the week.

Miss Belle Burge of Oxnard is the guest of Mrs. Charles Latske on Barton Hill.

H. J. Miller and wife of Luverne, Minn., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller, on Ninth street.

The Dutch Club was entertained at whist on Thursday evening by Mrs. J. W. Walton at her home on Beacon street.

The Wednesday Afternoon Whist Club was entertained by Mrs. W. W. Burke at her home on Fourth street. Those present were: Mmes. Walton, Burns, Haskell, Karr, Ludke, Wickersham, Cannon, Jackson, Campbell, Dupuy, Hogaboom, MacMullen and Lucas. The first prize was won by Mrs. F. M. Cannon, and the second by Mrs. Frank Karr. The consolation prize was awarded to Mrs. W. H. Wickersham.

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Ocean Park.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE BARNETT and son have come to the beach from Leavittsville, O., and will pass the winter season on the strand as the guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Buckston are here from Forest Grove, Or., for a few weeks' visit.

Miss Helen King of Park avenue is entertaining Miss Claire Morris of Lewiston, Idaho.

Mrs. W. A. Correll has returned to her Riverside home.

Mrs. A. B. Mitchell has returned to Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Walsh are at home in their Rose avenue cottage, at the corner of Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Farris will depart Tuesday for the Turlock country, where they will make their home.

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Glendale.

MR AND MRS. T. A. WIEDENFELLAR entertained a party of friends from Tropico, Lomita Park and Glendale Friday evening.

Mrs. E. U. Emery and Mrs. Bryant entertained twenty-four at a family reunion dinner on Thursday.

Mrs. Josephine Bryant gave a dinner in honor of those who assisted her in giving her musicale. Covers were laid for Edward Simpson Fuller, Miss Fuller, Miss Edith Harris, Los Angeles; and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hezmalhalch, Miss Blaisdel, and Miss Moessner, Iowa.

Santa Monica.

GEORGE MEYERS, who has made his home at the Arcadia during the past two years, has gone to Rhyolite, Nev., where he will pass the winter.

Mrs. Emma Greenleaf addressed the Woman's Club, Tuesday afternoon, on the comparative value of reading newspapers, books and magazines.

Frank Vogel and family have removed to Los Angeles, where their home will hereafter be made.

William Sanders has gone to Tulare county, for a visit of two weeks.

Herman Hilsher has returned from Arizona and will pass the winter at the seashore.

W. J. Nichols has gone to San Francisco for the remainder of the winter.

W. A. Irwin is at Irwin City, in the Merced-Turlock country.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Seager have gone to Sawtelle for the winter.

H. D. Paiton has returned from a visit to Goldfield. He was quite ill when he arrived here.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Doty are at home after a visit to eastern cities.

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Hollywood.

THE Hollywood Club will receive New Year's night and there will be a dance in the auditorium of the club. There will be guests from Los Angeles, Pasadena and Hollywood.

The largest and most elaborate social function of a private nature for the month will be the dance to be given December 18 in Wilcox Hall by Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hall and Miss Hall.

Mrs. Harry Dow Kirk entertained informally at a small musicale Thursday evening at Acacia Nook.

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Covina.

MRS. G. N. ATWOOD was the hostess Thursday evening, when she entertained the members of the Five Hundred Club at her home on the San Bernardino road. The house was beautifully decorated in roses and chrysanthemums. Mrs. Given was the winner of the lady's prize, which was a dainty little spoon. Mr. Dana C. King carried off the gentlemen's prize, a pretty card box. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens were host and hostess Friday evening at a delightful little dinner, when they entertained Dr. E. J. Bulgin, Prof. Gates and Mr. and Mrs. Dana C. King.

A merry party of young people drove over from Pasadena last Wednesday evening and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. White at a jolly little dinner at the parsonage. After dinner, music was enjoyed, after which they drove back to Pasadena.

The ninth grade of the High School on Friday evening gave a reception in honor of the tenth grade at the Woman's Clubhouse. The hall was beautifully decorated with plants and the class colors. An excellent programme, consisting of recitations, vocal and instrumental music, was enjoyed. The High School faculty and the trustees and their wives were also guests of the class.

Miss Emma Davis, who formerly lived in Covina, has arrived from her home in Wisconsin, and will be the guest of her sister for the winter.

Mrs. A. R. Evans is spending a few weeks with friends at the beach.

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Corona.

THE junior class of the High School was entertained Friday evening at the home of Harry Todd.

The Odd Fellows have elected J. L. Davis, N. G.; L. Dawson, V. G.; H. K. Stahl, secretary; H. H. Holmes, F. S.; G. Baer, treasurer; O. P. Hull, trustee.

The Tuesday Musical Club met with Mrs. Mary French who read a paper on "Oratorio." Instrumental and vocal selections were given by Misses Drinkwater, Barker and Clayson; Mmes. Charles Hildreth, Van Kirk, Wyatt, Dickinson, Patterson, Terpening and Freeman.

The Congregational Christian Endeavor has for new officers Frank La Batt, president; Carrie Newkirk, vice-president; Perle Glass, treasurer; Susie Ott, secretary; Blanche Stafford, pianist.

Mrs. Harry Hunt entertained twenty-two young people Tuesday afternoon as a birthday surprise for her daughter, Jessie.

Wednesday evening the Red Men elected Eleanor Page, Sachem; J. A. Wilson, Sr. Sag.; J. B. Lash, Jr. Sag.; H. D. Le Gros and J. J. Harvey, trustees.

The Circle City Dancing Club gave a ball in Masonic Hall Saturday evening.

The Episcopal Guild held its annual bazaar Friday afternoon.

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Tropico.

MRS. E. J. MORGAN, a recent arrival in Tropico, from Orange, N. J., entertained at her villa, Thursday, complimentary to the Tropico Thursday Afternoon Club. This was the first social function given by Mrs. Morgan.

Mrs. W. H. Bullis, Mrs. A. W. Collins and Mrs. F. C. Richardson assisted the hostess in entertaining. Mrs. W. A. Thompson, Mrs. A. L. Engelhardt, Miss Harriet Meyers and Miss Blickman contributed to the programme.

N. P. Banks Post elected the following officers: Post commander, R. D. Goss; S. V. commander, Fletcher Pomeroy; J. V. commander, G. W. Watson; officer of the guard, Robert Taylor; officer of the guard, J. Bailey Hickman; chaplain, Rev. C. R. Norton; quartermaster, N. F. Reynolds; surgeon, Dr. O. J. Garmon.

The Methodist Sabbath School has elected Mrs. G. W. Bartle, superintendent; Rev. J. W. Shotwell, assistant superintendent; Albert Marple, secretary; Cornelius Haines, treasurer; Miss Myrtle Harrison, organist.

Rogers Webster who has been visiting in Tropico, the past fortnight, returned to his home in Imperial Wednesday.

Misses Nina and Nola Lyman of Los Angeles were the guests of their sister, Mrs. Joseph Webster, at "Ivy Nook," the past week.

Mrs. Dwight Griswold returned Thursday from a four months' visit to New York, and the Middle West.

Mrs. Jennie S. Wiley of Chicago is spending the winter in Tropico, the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Smedley, of Riverside Heights.

Charles Peckham, departed the first part of the week for San Francisco, where he will remain until Christmas, when he will return to spend the holidays with his family.

Miss Evalena Ayres, has returned from a delightful visit to friends in Compton.

F. S. Webster recently elected Supervisor at Imperial, visited his brother and family, J. H. Webster, the past week en route to San Diego.

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Redlands.

MRS. HARRY CARMICHAEL celebrated her birthday anniversary Tuesday and on that evening a number of her friends gave her a jolly surprise. Games, music and refreshments were enjoyed by the twenty-seven guests.

The fortnightly meeting of the Y.M. C.A. Bible Study class was held Monday evening under the leadership of Rev. J. Q. Hall. The class was preceded by a supper for which thirty-two covers were laid. Those serving were Mrs. W. K. Wright, Mrs. Burns and Mrs. O'Kelley.

The Century Club held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening in Knights of Pythias Hall. Miss Stella Fox and J. E. Neuls made the greatest gains in the game of whist. The latter part of the evening was passed in dancing. Those serving refreshments were Mrs. A. P. Dunn, Mrs. A. E. Brock and Mrs. Otto Suess.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity Episcopal Church met with the president, Mrs. Patton, Tuesday afternoon. Papers were read by Mrs. Behlow and Mrs. E. M. Cope.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Field have announced the engagement of their eldest daughter, Miss Ethel Field and Eugene Van Inwagen Foster, a banker of Chicago. The wedding will take place at the Field home during the holiday season. Mr. Foster is a guest in the Field home at present.

Mrs. J. H. Henderson entertained with a happy little birthday party Friday afternoon at her home on Dearborn street in honor of her young son, Ernest, who celebrated the sixth anniversary of his birth. Games and refreshments with a birthday cake were features of the afternoon.

The usual Saturday afternoon tea and game of golf at the Country Club was enjoyed this week. Mrs. Auchinloss poured tea.

Miss Edith Hill entertained a party of ladies with a reception Friday afternoon to meet Mrs. C. H. Clock of Redlands, and Miss Gertrude Weaver of Stanford University.

A reunion of the pioneer settlers of this section was held in Armada schoolhouse, Moreno Valley, on Thanksgiving Day. Speeches were made by Rev. W. S. Ritter, Thomas Starbuck, Miss Elizabeth L. Weinman,

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25 stylish, serviceable coats and jackets; hip and 3-4 lengths. Tan coverts, mixtures and solid colors. Worth $10.00 and over

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Parker-Finn neckwear among the finest and most exclusive made in America—now offered at one-fifth to one-tenth of regular prices.

All styles and colors in turnovers, stocks and collar and cuff sets; lace and embroidered in linen and silk.

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Machin's is on Spring Street; not on Broadway. Don't make a mistake and get the wrong place. It pays to walk to Spring Street.

Handkerchiefs

We're determined to sell out all our fine handkerchiefs before Christmas — they MUST go—prices are cut so low, no woman can resist buying.

Regular prices range from 25c to $4.50—all reduced from 25 to 33 1-3 per cent. now.

This includes EVERY handkerchief in the house—we will not handle any handkerchiefs after this season—that's why prices are so low.

Fine linen handkerchiefs in lace, embroidered and hemstitched edges; many with genuine hand embroidered corners.

Two Special Bargains
50c and 60c handkerchiefs now 3 for $1.00.
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We wish to direct special attention to our line of very exclusive novelties in belts suitable for Christmas gifts. All prices from 50c up.

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You can choose from 50 different styles and weaves; a rare offering. Alterations free during this sale.

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Choose from plaids and checks.

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Plaid grounds and polkadots.

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New suits just received by express. Extra special values.



NEW SILK JUMPER S... made of splendid blac... silk trimmed in the ... rate manner. Spec... $12.48 and

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FURS; value $4.50. Special Monday .....

$7.50 FURS. Special .....

$15.00 FURS. Extra special .....

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Have you seen the new lace and chiffon evening waists we're now showing. These are the Keiser make, and real beauties.

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Suit special: elegant JACKET SUITS; shades; values $32.50.

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EMBROIDERED EVENING COATS; satin lined; $35.00. Special

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PEOPLE WHO ARE UNFIT TO MARRY.

IMPORTANT DECISION BY WASHINGTON SUPREME COURT.

In the Breach of Promise Case of Grover vs. Zook the Court Decided That Persons Afflicted With Tuberculosis Have Right to Terminate Engagement to Marry.

The decision of the Supreme Court of Washington that persons afflicted with tuberculosis are not fit to marry, and that to break an engagement in such a case is not ground for damages, is a matter of more than ordinary interest. The decision was rendered in the breach of promise case of Grover vs. Zook, from Kings county. The judgment of the lower court is reversed and the action ordered dismissed.

Zook, whose parents died of pulmonary tuberculosis (consumption,) who had a hereditary taint of the disease himself, became engaged to marry Miss Grover, who was seriously affected with the same malady. The Supreme Court holds that such an agreement between a man and woman thus afflicted is not binding upon either, and that either may withdraw therefrom without being liable in damages for breach of promise. The decision is based solely upon the ground of public policy—regard for the health and happiness of all concerned, and particularly in consideration of unborn children.

The opinion is written by Judge Root and concurred in by all the other judges. A large number of authorities are cited—both legal and medical—and copious quotations taken from many supporting this court's conclusions. Among other things, the court says:

"In the domain of morals it is a maxim that a bad promise is better broken than kept. Moral considerations must have a predominating influence upon such a question as now confronts us. In fact, they constitute the reason, the basis and the life of the law applicable in a case of this character.

"The most profound philosophers join with the wisest statesmen in maintaining the proposition that the home is the unit of the state, and that the character of a people and the stability and welfare of the nation must largely depend upon the healthful and wholesome influence of the home life. By reason of this we find the home and the members thereof, especially the young and dependent, sheltered by the protecting care of various statutes, all being evidences and expressions of that public policy which deems the home and its inmates appropriate objects of the solicitude and care of the state.

"The paramount consideration involved in the determination of this case is not that appertaining solely to the parties in this action (although as to each of them it is of great importance,) but it is as to the community, the state and to humanity in general. Here we have a man and woman engaged to be married. The man is of a family several members of which have died with pulmonary consumption. The woman is afflicted with the same disease to such an extent that it becomes necessary for her to go to a distant portion of the country to recuperate, which she does, returning with the affliction still upon her and no small, if any, assurances of recovery. Under these circumstances, if the marriage were to be consummated, what would be the natural consequences to be anticipated?

"Conditional promises of marriage entered by a man and woman imply positively that each is physically, mentally and legally competent to enter the status of matrimony and capable, so far as he or she knows or has reason to believe, of effectuating the principal purposes of the marriage relation. One of the most important functions of wedlock is the procreation of children. Offspring are the natural result and ofttimes the chief purpose of marriage.

"That the thought of bringing a child into the world should be one of the most serious that can engage the mind of a human being needs but to be suggested. Born amidst the most favorable environment, there lies before every babe a life of uncertainty so great that no worthy parent may contemplate it without a tremor of apprehension. Thus launched upon the sea of time and eternity, what parent can dwell upon the birth of his child without the keenest sense of anxiety and responsibility? If the child born in health and with a body of vigor be a matter of deep concern to a parent, what must be said of the advent of a babe burdened with the hereditary plague of consumption?

"That pulmonary tuberculosis is both contagious and hereditary, as well as infectious, admits of little, if any, doubt. That a mother seriously ill with that disease and a father with a hereditary taint thereof in his blood shall bring forth a child exempt therefrom, is unbelievable. For parents thus afflicted to bring into the world a child would be not only detrimental to the welfare of the state and an offense to the instincts of humanity, but it would be, as against the innocent babe, a moral wrong most flagrant. Such a child must of necessity be a burden to itself and others and devoid of the joys and blessings that make life endurable.

"In declining to carry out his promise of marriage, it may be presumed that appellant apprehended the natural and legitimate consequence of such a union. In addition to the thought of himself, there would be also that of the preservation of the disease as to the innocent and prospective wife, the plaintiff's expert evidence showing that the intimate association of married life would tend to augment the ravages of the malady upon each."

Illness Thins Each Hair.

A Japanese physician has been conducting a series of experiments to ascertain whether the growth of the human hair is affected by serious illness and in the case with the nails—and has seemingly remarkable results have been brought to light by his investigations.

He has discovered, for instance, that any serious illness has a marked effect in diminishing the thickness of individual hairs, and by microscopic examinations he claims to be able to tell whether an illness has recently taken place and to give its duration.

According to the theories of this Japanese doctor the illness has the effect of making the hair thinner along part of its length, and the length of this portion indicates the length of time the patient has been ill. It is suggested that this fact, if it can be proved, may have importance in a question of identification.

Air in High Altitudes.

It is an error to think that the chemical composition of the air differs materially wherever the sample may be taken. The relation of oxygen to nitrogen and other constituents is the same whether it be on the heights of Alpine or at the surface of the earth. The favorable effects, therefore, of high altitudes of air are not to be explained by any difference in the proportion of its gaseous constituents. The important difference is the bacteria it contains. The air of high altitudes contains no microbes, and is, therefore, sterile, while near the ground there are hundreds of feet above it, there are thousands.

SOCIETY.

(Continued from Sixth Page.)

Samuel Lynn, Jerimah Sanders, E. L. Utter, Miss Emily Parkinson, Miss Alpha Lyman. Representatives were present from Los Angeles, Carpenteria, Covina, Rialto, Bloomington, Riverside, Crafton, Moreno and Redlands.

The East Redlands Post-Meridan Club met with Mrs. Conklin on Fifth street Friday afternoon. Mrs. Olmstead conducted the study of the Winter's Tale, and Mrs. Brown spoke of the contemporaneous writings of Shakespeare. The club will meet with Miss Henderson at its next regular meeting.

J. Talbotte, who went East recently, has returned bringing with him a bride, formerly Miss Euphemia Watson of Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Talbotte will reside on East Citrus avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Toll entertained at their home in Crafton with a five hundred party Friday evening. Mrs. Breseeau received the lady's first prize, an olive dish. The men's prize was received by William Reese. It was a pack of souvenir playing cards.

Mrs. Jennie E. Davis entertained with a small dancing party at her home on Brookside avenue Friday evening, in honor of the birthday anniversary of her daughter, Miss Margaret Davis.

La Habra.

MISS ETHEL REYNOLDS and Irvine Calderwood were the principals of a pretty home wedding on Wednesday, at the home of the bride's parents. After a brief wedding trip they will be at home in La Habra, where they have a wide circle of friends.

Mrs. W. N. Swain returned to her home today after a week's visit with relatives in Whittier.

Burbank.

MRS. JOHN LUTTGE entertained her mother and brother from Westminster during the week.

Tom Story and son have returned from a month's absence in Inyo.

Charles Beal returned to his home Thursday, after a week's absence in Nevada.

Hardy Riddell has returned to Lancaster, after spending the Thanksgiving vacation with his parents.

Will Copleman of Iowa is visiting his brother, Ed Copleman.

The Good Templars gave a social at the I.O.F. Hall on Friday evening. Refreshments and good programme was enjoyed by the large crowd present.

Mrs. J. L. Robinson and daughter have returned from a visit with relatives at Hollywood.

Monrovia.

MISS HARRIET HUTCHINS entertained Monday evening in honor of the members of the Westminster class of the Presbyterian Church. Refreshments were served and during the evening Robert Esberger delighted the guests with several piano selections.

Officers of the Granite Club have been elected as follows: President, Charles J. Dash; vice-president, Scott Boy; secretary, Charles E. Squires; treasurer, Thomas Neville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sarwine entertained several days this week at Oakleigh Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Daveler and daughter of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Ernest Reed entertained Saturday in honor of Mrs. Robert Baker.

Miss May Jellison has been a guest of Santa Monica friends this week.

Mrs. A. E. Cronenwett has been visiting her husband, who is launching a big enterprise at San Diego.

C. W. D. Miller and wife of Oakland are spending the winter in Monrovia. They are parents of Mr. Miller of the Dunn-Miller Hardware Company.

C. F. Christiansen and bride are home from their wedding trip.

The recital which was to have been given by Mrs. Garver December 14 has been postponed until Friday evening, December 21. Rev. Clark H. Marsh assists.

Norman Gerard of Grand Rapids, Mich., has arrived in Monrovia to spent the winter. He will make his home at Mrs. Tripp's.

Mrs. Laura Bell has moved to Los Angeles.

Mrs. Neeley will move to Berkeley after the holidays so as to make a home for her daughter, who is attending school there.

Miss Lucy Morgan of Los Angeles was this week entertained by her friend, Miss Margaret Orr.

Prof. N. F. Smith, formerly superintendent of the Monrovia schools, now of Highgrove, was shaking hands with friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Pottenger and Browning attended the session of the Southern California Anti-Tuberculosis League held at Los Angeles on Tuesday.

Mrs. L. N. Wiswall is the directress of the musical concert to be given by local talent in Monrovia on the afternoon of December 15.

Hemet.

W. E. JOHNSON and wife of Clark's Fork, Idaho, spent Saturday visiting at Hemet.

H. L. Jacobson of Chicago was a Hemet caller Monday.

The Rev. Jos. McConnell of Los Angeles spent Tuesday in this place.

W. J. Brodonham, R. C. Williams and wife, F. W. Williams and H. S. Williams, Miss Kate Dean, Miss Mary F. Dester, all of Upland, visited at Hemet Wednesday of this week.

J. P. Chaffin of Pasadena visited Hemet a few days this week.

Maurice Griffin and wife of Riverside drove to Hemet Wednesday and remained a few days.

Miss Rather has returned home after a prolonged visit at Los Angeles.

The Current Topics Club met with Mrs. W. E. Hyer Thursday. The afternoon's session was very enjoyable.

The Rev. W. W. Huff, R. H. Gore, Mrs. E. A. Davis and Miss Daisy Davis are attending the Baptist Sunday-school convention at Los Angeles.

Mrs. Fast and Alger Fast have returned to Hemet after visiting at Los Angeles a few days.

Mr. Harvey Myers has returned to Riverside after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Myers.

Miss Myra Blackwell gave a party to the Junior B.Y.P.U. the last of the week.

California Prunes for Plum Pudding.

Hundreds of boxes of Shasta county's prunes are now being packed to ship to London to fill an order for plums that are to be an important constituent of English plum puddings at Christmas time.

The prunes are faced and packed in neat boxes. They are delicious to look upon, and as the proof of the pudding lies in the eating thereof, and Englishmen have long been eating plum puddings containing no other fruit than California prunes, there is nothing reprehensible in the local packing-house putting up Anderson prunes under the label "California Plums," on the same principle that rolled oats contain no oats, and sheepgut fiddle strings are sold all over the world as catgut fiddle strings.

The average strength of the army during the fiscal year was as follows: Regular army, including the Hospital Corps, 3733 officers and 59,384 enlisted men; Porto Rico Provisional Regiment of Infantry, 26 officers and 548 enlisted men; Philippine Scouts, 115 officers and 5077 enlisted men; total, 3874 officers and 65,009 enlisted men.



Don't Make Gift Buying a Drudgery



Don't make it a task instead of a pleasure. Don't hurry. Take your time. Begin early—tomorrow. We are ready for you with the best stock of gift furniture we have ever had.

Every day you delay means smaller assortments to select from, poorer service and more trouble. Pick out what you want this week. Pay a deposit and we will hold the goods subject to your delivery order.

We make a few suggestions that ought to set you thinking.



How About a Work Table for "Her?"

Every lady in the land needs one. There's a place for everything used in doing fancy work—a place for the pieces in hand.

The one we illustrate on the left is made in mahogany. It serves as an ornament because of the beautiful lines of design and the perfect finishing. It is marked at $12.00—a modest price indeed.

We have other good bargains at $14.50, $21.50, $23.50, $29.00 and up.

Investigate a little and see if a work table isn't just the thing that's wanted.

Why Not a Cellaret for "Him?"

Most every man would like one and comparatively few have one. The one on the right is marked only $15.00—certainly a bargain price. It is made of quartered oak and the finish is weathered. We have another good one at $14.00, one at $18.00 and a good range on up to $32.50 and $42.00. We have them in all woods and finishes.

Or Perhaps a Shaving Stand

Another pertinent suggestion.

If you are in doubt as to what to give "him," look into the matter of shaving stands. Equipment, surroundings and conditions have much to do with the pleasure of shaving and a shaving stand provides every feature that's necessary. All woods here in a great variety of designs. Prices from $16.50 up.

Chairs Are Acceptable

Rockers, Arm Chairs and Morris Chairs—Someone on your list will appreciate one or the other. Mighty few homes are so complete that a chair of some character wouldn't be welcome. We have good assortments of all three. You can surely find one here that will please and come within the amount appropriated. Consider the chair question carefully.



Hall Clocks $32

Just like the picture on the right—a mission design in solid oak, weathered finish. It has a first-class eight-day weight movement, strikes hour and half hour on cathedral gong and is guaranteed. This pattern is good size, makes a fine appearance and is especially adapted for either hall or library. It is fitted with brass numerals.

We have some other good bargains in clocks.

Wouldn't the whole family be delighted with one?



Library Tables

If you, like many other sensible people, make gifts to the home, you may be interested in library tables. We have such a splendid assortment that we urge you in all confidence to come here knowing that you will find what you want at the price you want to pay. We have all sizes, finishes and prices.

A Few Suggestions

At first thought a Furniture Store holds comparatively little interest for Christmas shoppers. What a mistake it is. There are hundreds of really practical and useful things which will find a place on many a gift list. For instance:

Book Cases	Odd Chairs
Sectional Book Cases	Morris Chairs
Magazine Racks	Rockers
Book Racks	Baby Chairs
Plate Racks	Baby Cribs
Rugs	Chiffoniers
Buffets	Dressers
China Closets	Dressing Tables
Sideboards	Brass Beds
Dining Tables	Iron Beds
Sewing Tables	Hall Seats
Music Cabinets	Pianola Cabinets

And many other things which might be suggested.

Desks for "Her"

We have a splendid asortment this year—all woods, but a particularly good showing in weathered oak—Arts and Crafts designs. Prices range from $10.50. Keep your ears open for hints about a desk.



Magazine Rack $7.00

The handiest piece of furniture that can be put in a library. It provides a place for the many magazines that, no matter how many tables or desks you have, never have a place of their own. This one can be had in either fumed or weathered oak. The picture on the left tells the story of the design.

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Lieut. U. S. Army (Retired.)
Milwaukee, Wis.

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"I beg to state that I have used the bottle of Herpicide that your representative left me and am thoroughly pleased with it. I have since bought two or three bottles for myself and other members of my family and have had the very best of results. I am now prescribing it freely to my patients with full confidence in the result to be obtained. I rarely ever give a testimonial for an advertised remedy, but yours is of such merit that it is only fair that I should do so in this case." (Signed)
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Cleanup Sale of Our Previous Six Specials

For Monday Shoppers

Trade at the "Paris," whether it is a COAT, SUIT, SKIRT or WAIST. Come early and be prepared to secure these bargains.

Special No. 1

What is left from our special No. 1. Fifty Tourists' Coats worth up to $18.00, styles up-to-date, first class..... $8.95

Another lot of Tourists' Coats, high class plaids, made in the very latest styles, worth from $20.00 to $22.00, goes at..... $12.50

Special No. 2
Suits

A lot of tailor made suits, the very best mixtures and plaids, made in up-to-date styles. These suits are worth from $20.00 to $27.50, will go on this clean-up sale at..... $9.95

Special No. 3
300 Skirts on Sale

We will not specify our lowest price, as our lowest price will be $3.50, worth more than double. Our leader for Monday we will specify a beautiful shadow plaid, red, brown, blue, all the latest novelties, made in the best style, plaited, worth from $12.50 to $15.00 for..... $8.95



Special No. 4
Broadcloth Evening Coats

All of the prevailing shades, such as white, gray, black and red. Worth from $37.50 to $50, will go on Monday for..... $19.75

Special No. 5
Fine Tailored Suits

A beautiful tailor made suit, made of the best broadcloth, novelty plaids and checks. These are suits worth from $37.50 to $50 for..... $22.95

This is the best opportunity for getting a high-priced tailored suit you will have for a long time.

Special No. 6
500 Waists on Sale

An interesting line of waists on sale. Taffetas of all shades, black lace, white lace, net waists, wash waists and winter goods. We will specify one only from the lot. A fine black dotted silk net, lined with silk, trimmed very elaborately, worth $12.50, will go Monday for..... $6.95

$6.50 Silk Petticoats in all shades will go again for special at $3.95.

A fine line of Furs for Christmas presents; we will specify one special—a Mink Bow Tie worth $7.50 for $3.95.

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PENNILESS BOY IN GOVERNOR'S CHAIR.

Edwin S. Stuart of Pennsylvania Saved His Party from Defeat in the Heated Campaign Just Ended—No Other Man Could Have Won.

THE second of American commonwealths will soon have for its chief executive officer, a man o began life with but 2 cents to b together, as an errand boy, at a ne of life when most boys are hard- more than started in their school reer.

Edwin S. Stuart, who has just de- ated, snowed under it might be ore properly said, Lewis Emery, ., the candidate of the reform party, one of the fiercest battles for the overnorship Pennsylvania has ever own, goes into the Governor's chair incipally because of the fact that is the most popular man in the ate.

Many Republicans had little liking r those who were identified as lead- s of the party that elected him. e evils of Bosses Quay and Pen- e had the effect in recent elections alienating many thousands of vot- s who are strongly Republican on tional elections. A majority of half million for Roosevelt was turned to a minority of one hundred thou- nd when Berry, a Democrat, was ected State Treasurer in 1905.

Undoubtedly the Republican ticket, ith the same political managers or ases at the helm, would have been wned again this year but for the rsonality of Stuart.

Just as soon as the danger became minent, party leaders turned to Stu- t as the one man who could save em.

"Everybody knows Ned," they said. -'s popular with all classes, and his nesty has never been questioned. st us nominate him."

Mr. Stuart was not anxious for the ace. Since his retirement from the fice of Mayor, he has enjoyed the rivacy and home comforts that have me to him after a successful busi- ss life, but his popularity forced im to the front. Called to the aid his party, he could not refuse. His ection followed. Not only were the issatisfied Republicans won over, but emocrats quit party allegiance in rder to vote for him.

This is the man. No one would ever ave expected the boy to go that far.

There was nothing auspicious in his tart. His father died when he was youngster, leaving without means of upport a widow and four children, f whom Edward was the oldest.

When only a little fellow, at a time hen he should have been getting the ducation that is the foundation of he success of most public men, the uture Governor had to go out and unt a job to help support his mother, rothers and sisters.

Fate led him to Leary's book store, quaint institution even in these days f the Quaker City, much frequented y bibliophiles, and which save that t has expanded, looks much the same ow as it did then.

Edwin, hungry and eager for work, resented himself to the proprietor, nd asked fo job.

"What can you do?"

"Anything," was the answer.

It won the place of errand boy at a alary of $4 a week. Young Stuart ot only ran errands, swept out the tore and did the chores around the ffice, but he also was put on guard o see that no books, freely exposed for sale on the outside, were stolen rom the shelves.

Soon old Leary began to discover that his new errand boy could indeed do anything, and in a short time his alary was advanced.

As he grew, both in stature and the favor of his employer, it was felt safe to promote him to a clerkship, and thus he went up from step to step until he was the trusted head clerk.

This did not seem slow progress, but better was in store. Eventually the former errand boy was admitted to partnership, and finally he bought out his employer, and became sole owner.

This might have been expected to be the final achievement of a man whose training had been essentially a business one, who was not versed in law, usually the most easy step to political preferment.

There was no politics in the movement, it had no manager, no campaign fund, no promoting. Lots of people liked Stuart, and thought him the right man for the place.

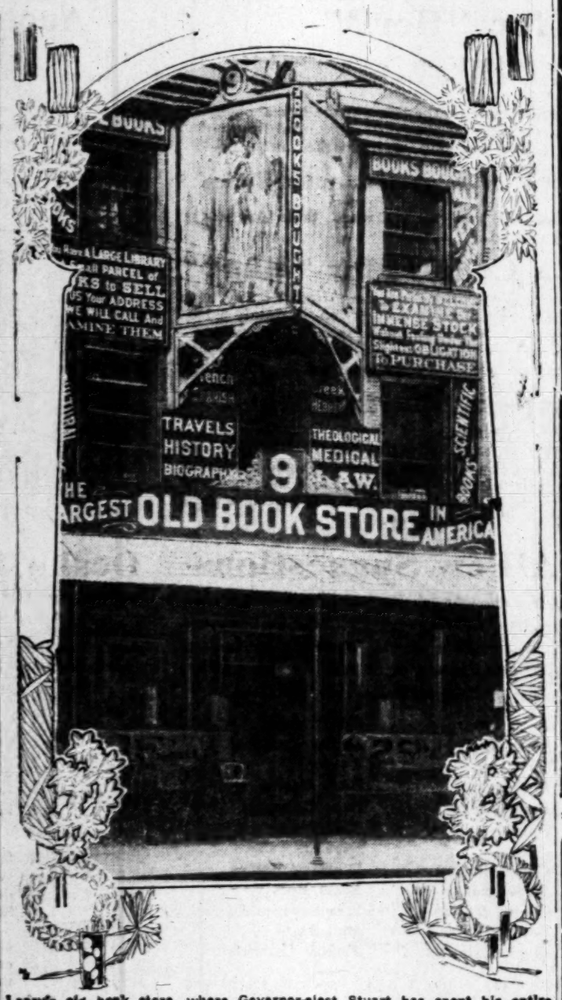
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During the years of his rise, Stuart had been essentially a mother's boy. His affection for his mother was the mainspring of his life, and he remained a bachelor in order to be with her. He is still unmarried.

Shortly before his election to the Mayoralty of Philadelphia, his mother died, and this spoiled much of the joy of taking a place of such honor.

Stuart had a trying administration. It fell to his lot to be Mayor when a trusted City Treasurer, John Bardsley, robbed the city of great sums of money. Other offenders of his own party, men who had helped in the movement to make him Mayor, were involved.

Many a man might have thought it political wisdom to shield the offenders, but Mr. Stuart had a rugged sense of old-fashioned honesty that was not to be compromised with. He instituted a most rigid investigation, and prosecuted the guilty without fear or favor. As a result John Bardsley went to prison.



Leary's old book store, where Governor-elect Stuart has spent his entire business career.

In fact, Mr. Stuart was dragged into politics, for just the same reason that all of his successive advances have come to him. He was so popular that people sought him out to take places of trust.

Before he had been in politics for a very long time, the proprietor of the old book store was president of the influential organization known as the Young Republicans. He became so popular in his post that the Pennsylvania State League of Republican Clubs chose him for president.

The tall, handsome, cheery, courteous merchant made friends on all sides, and soon became manifest a spontaneous demand to have him for Mayor.

Stuart had also to deal with rapacious trolley companies, but he forced them to concessions in the way of street paving in return for franchises that have made Philadelphia one of the best paved cities in the United States.

This was Stuart's record when he left office, and went back to private life.

Three Mayors—Warwick, Ashbridge and Weaver—have ruled in Philadelphia since that time, and Mr. Stuart held no public office in the interval.

All during his term of office as Mayor he had held on to the old book store, though the active management was entrusted mainly to his brother, William H. Stuart.

But although the former Mayor was willing to escape from the limelight, his friends still remembered his qualities and his services. Without having been a candidate he was chosen president of the Union League, perhaps the highest social honor that can come to a Philadelphian.

His next and highest elevation is the selection to be Governor.

Mr. Stuart has two homes, one in Oak Lane, a suburb, and the other in the southern section of the city, on Broad street.

Since the death of his mother, Miss Cora A. Stuart, his sister, has had charge of his home, and to her will fall whatever social duties devolve on life at the Capitol.

The Governor elect formed the habit of walking to his place of business when he was an errand boy, and could not afford to spend car fare. He has clung to it ever since, and scorning carriages or automobiles, he walks uptown every morning though he is fully two miles away from the center of the city.

His tall figure and kindly face are known to everyone, and man, woman and child delight to exchange greetings.

On the morning after his election the children of the neighborhood, knowing his hour for starting uptown, clustered around his step in order to be the first to salute him with the title of "Governor."

Mr. Stuart is a Mason, a member of the Board of City Trustees and a prominent clubman.

His success shows that a man can come up from nothing, and it proves equally that in the process he can still be kindly and honest, and not forget the rights or feelings of his fellow men.



"Good Morning, Governor." Mr. Stuart's little neighbors greeting him morning after election

Eyes Inflamed by Dust and Smoke? Murine Eye Remedy Soothes and quickly Cures. All Druggists and Opticians, 50c.

Fine Furs for Ladies' Wear. Harris & Jenks, 101 South Main.

A Surprise---January Sale Now!



Suits, Coats, Silk Waists, and Petticoats

A genuine surprise—an innovation! Who, but this modern, progressive store would make this great concession and hold the usual January Clearance sale in the early days of December?

It is a bold thing to do. Think of what it means to you! You can get the use of the garment during the holiday time. **And you pay the price that is usually asked at the close of the season!**

The sale begins Monday morning. Remember, Swelldom is a new store—no danger of having old goods—we haven't anything but new goods in the house.

$20.00 Suits $11.90

Box coat, Norfolk and Prince Chap styles in pretty gray plaids, stripes and mixtures. The skirts are neat and cut full in every case. You'll like them. Remember they are $20.00 to $22.50 suits and go for **$11.90**

$35.00 Suits $21.90

Tight fitting suits in black and blue broadcloth and gray mixtures; blouse etons in brown and blue broadcloth. The latest and enthusiastically accepted styles. You can't equal them for $30 to $35.00. Our price **$21.90**

$27.50 Suits $16.90

Pony, polo, military effects in black cheviot, black and blue broadcloth, dark gray checks, light gray plaids and gray worsteds; semi-costumes in nun's veiling. $25.00 to $27.50 is a low regular range. They go now for **$16.90**

$40.00 Suits $25.90

Blouse etons in blue and brown broadcloth; silk etons in black; military coats in black, blue and brown broadcloth; tight fitting coats in blue and brown broadcloth. $37.50 to $42.50 regular; now they go at **$25.90**



$10 Silk Petticoats $6.95

Plaid silk petticoats—a fine soft taffeta and a variety of plaid combinations, including black and white, blue and white, red and white and brown and white. The flounce is extra wide and the under flounce is of the same material. Great value at $10.00. In the Surprise Sale **$6.95**

How about one of these for a Christmas gift?

$6.00 Silk Waists $3.90

A timely gift suggestion. One of the big things of this unusual sale. Taffeta waists in brown, black and white. Pretty embroidered fronts and tucked effects. The latest ideas in long tucked cuffs; also some black and white and green and blue plaids. All regularly worth $6.00. In this Surprise Sale **$3.90**

Other odd waists are marked at about one-third off.



Evening Coats At January Sale Prices

We have set the whole town talking about our Evening Coats. Everybody has marveled at the splendid style and quality we have given for about half what ordinary stores charge. And now these astonishing prices are reduced. It opens a wonderful opportunity for someone to give an evening coat for a Christmas gift.

They are made of the best of broadcloth in white and light blue. The trimmings are of braid and embroidery work. Linings are of peau de cygne and satin. This is the way we have reduced them.

$30 Evening Coats $18.90
$40 Evening Coats $28.90
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Furs for Christmas Gifts
Better Assortments, Lower Prices Here.

Swelldom
CLOAK AND SUIT SHOP
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Select Your Gifts Now
Pay a Deposit and We Will Hold Them.

SOME GIFT SUGGESTIONS

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537-539 S. Broadway

We are headquarters for all kinds of reliable cutlery for Holiday Gifts.

The custom of giving useful gifts at Christmas is coming more in favor each year. Our stock is replete with just such merchandise—useful in every household, and something appropriate for every member of the family. Our goods are the best of their kind, selected with care and consideration and are priced lower than these same articles are sold for in other stores in the city. Come in and see our stock and note our prices.

Guaranteed Carving Sets in Cases

Set $2.25 Carving set No. 0102. We have 44 of these sets in stock. They are well finished and warranted superior quality. They have genuine stag handles with silver plated mountings. Set consists of knife, fork and steel, in neat case. A very useful and acceptable gift. Remember there are 44 sets. Price, per set **$2.25**

Set $2.50 Set No. 0123. There are nine of these sets to go on sale Monday morning. The set consists of knife, fork and steel, put up in a neat case. The knives have the French shaped blade. These sets are well finished and are warranted cutlery. They have genuine stag handles with wide silver mountings. Very attractive and appropriate for Christmas giving. Remember only nine sets. It means early shopping if you want one of these. Price **$2.50**

Set $2.75 Carving set No. 0124. Here is a lot of 7 sets. They are thoroughly reliable, warranted goods; and very well finished; have wide silver mountings and genuine stag handles. The blade is the English shape. One of these sets will be appreciated by the head of any household. Put up in neat case. Price, per set **$2.75**

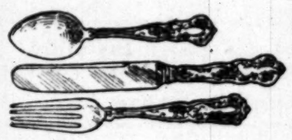
Set $3.00 Carving set No. 06123. Genuine sterling silver mounted set, with genuine stag handles. The set consists of knife, fork and steel, neatly boxed in satin lined case. This cutlery is warranted to hold its edge and is very nicely finished. The knife has the French shaped blade. The recipient of one of these sets for a Christmas gift will thoroughly appreciate its reliability and quality. There are only 72 of these sets on hand. They will be gone in no time. Better get here early Monday morning if you would have one of these. Price **$3.00**



Set $3.00 Set No. 06124. There are 13 sets in stock of this pattern. Knife, fork and steel put up in satin lined case. These sets are all warranted reliable cutlery and will give excellent service. The knife has English shaped blade and the set has wide sterling silver mountings on genuine selected stag handles. This set, as well as the others are unusual values. Pick one of these on early Monday morning. You can't make a mistake at this price. Per set **$3.00**

Rogers' "1847" Silver Tableware

We have just received another shipment of the famous "1847" silverware. These goods are standard the world over. As a Christmas remembrance nothing would please the housewife better. We are prepared to make up sets in these goods, and the prices we ask are lower than those usually placed on "1847" silverware.



In the "Vintage" pattern, of which we illustrate knife, fork and spoon, we have the following pieces:

Tea Spoons, per dozen	$3.00
Dessert Spoons, per dozen	$5.00
Table Spoons, per dozen	$6.00
Hollow Handle Knives, per dozen	$12.00
Hollow Handle Dessert Knives, per dozen	$10.00
Medium Forks, per dozen	$6.00
Dessert Forks, per dozen	$5.00
Sugar Shells, each	60c
Butter Knives, each	75c
Olive Spoons, in case, each	75c
Cream Ladles, in case, each	$1.00
Gravy Ladles, in case, each	$1.25
Soup Ladles, in case, each	$3.00
Cold Meat Forks, in case, each	$1.00
Pie Knives, in case, each	$2.25
Salad Spoon and Fork, in case, per set	$3.50
Chocolate Sets (7 pieces,) in case, per set	$3.50
Sugar Shell and Butter Knife, in case, per set	$1.50
Oyster Forks, set of six in case, per set	$2.50
Coffee Spoons, peg dozen, in case, per set	$3.00
Berry Spoons, in case, each	$1.50

In the "Windsor" pattern, satin finish, we have a large assortment. Note these prices:

Teaspoons, per doz.	$1.00
Dessert spoons, per doz.	$2.00
Table spoons, per doz.	$2.00
Medium knives, per doz.	$3.00
Dessert knives, per doz.	$3.00
Medium forks, per doz.	$3.00
Dessert forks, per doz.	$3.00
Sugar shells, each	$0.00
Butter knives, each	$0.00

We have also the "1847" silverware in the "Shell" pattern at correspondingly low prices. Be sure and see them this week.

Many wives would appreciate, as a Christmas gift, a good gas range, or heater, a set of enamel kitchen ware, or maybe a good assortment of reliable kitchen knives and utensils. Our basement is full of just such merchandise as any housewife would be glad to receive on Christmas morning. Come in Monday and look over our vast stock.

Be sure and visit our BASEMENT salesroom. You will find there the best of everything in household goods.

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"Hands-off-the-Chinese" movement has been so aggressive, or at least has been no manifestation, within the last few months. That is not due to any lack of interest or patriotism, but because no occasion has been offered for a demonstration. The revolution, social, political, commercial, industrial, educational and military, which has been going on in China for the last few years is moving more rapidly than ever, and the results are becoming very apparent. In this revolution may be recognized a determination on the part of the Chinese people to manage their own affairs and to dispense so far as possible with the assistance of foreigners. They are not so audacious or "cocky" as the Japanese, but are gaining confidence in themselves very rapidly. The ease with which they adapt themselves to modern ideas and the zeal with which they develop them is astonishing.

ZEBROIDS THE NEW HORSE.

NEW YORKER TO IMPORT ZEBRAS FOR BREEDING PURPOSES.

Will Experiment With Hybrids on a Large Scale, Mating With the Best Strains of Blood in the United States—Interesting Questions to Be Settled.

[New York Tribune:] From zebras which he has imported at great expense, Warner M. Van Norden, president of the Van Norden Trust Company of New York, entertains great hopes that the zebroid (as the hybrid offspring of the horse and zebra is called) will come to be generally and favorably known in this country.

"The zebroid," explained Mr. Van Norden the other day, "makes an excellent all-around animal for domestic use and I hope to introduce it in this country. It is already used in South Africa, where it has given satisfaction. I can not say just how speedy the zebroid will be, but those I shall raise will be from the finest stock, especially suited for driving purposes. These animals are much more strong and vigorous than the horse and live about twice as long. They will rank with any of the horses in general use today and in value will range from $800 to $1000. They will be very tough and able to endure twice the hardship the average horse can stand."

The parents, perhaps, of generations of American zebroids yet unborn are now contentedly munching hay in the barn at Mr. Van Norden's country place at Rye, N. Y., all unconscious of the weight of the responsibility resting upon their carefully-groomed backs.

In temporary quarters in one barn are three zebras, said to be among the finest of their species ever brought to this country. One of them is declared to be a genuine Grevy's zebra from Abyssinia and this animal alone is valued by Mr. Van Norden at $5000. The other two zebras belong to what is known as the Bohimi class. Two more, equally as valuable as those now in Rye, have been captured for Mr. Van Norden and will be shipped to this country early next spring. These animals are about 6 years old and, inasmuch as the life of the average zebra is about fifty years, they are as yet mere babies and are full of more life and tricks than young colts.

So much for the zebra parents of the zebroids. Their parents on the other side will range from a full-blooded Arabian mare down to little burro Jennies, through a list of horseflesh including piebald, hackney and mustang.

The zebroids will owe their appearance in this country, however, not so much to Mr. Van Norden's desire to raise them for themselves alone as to his determination to solve the problem of telegony.

He is determined to demonstrate whether it is real, as breeders of blooded stock assert, or whether it is a vagary of the breeder's mind, as scientists declare. Explaining the object of his undertaking, Mr. Van Norden said:

"All breeders believe in telegony. If his always been their claim that if a female animal is bred to one of a different species but of the same family and is afterward bred to one of her own species, the second offspring will show resemblance to the first sire. Opposed to the claim of the breeders is that of the scientists, who say there is no such thing as telegony and that the breeders are mistaken in their diagnosis.

"A man who stands near the head of the scientists in their contention that there is nothing in the breeders' fear of telegony is Prof. W. Ewart of Edinburgh University, and for years he has conducted experiments to support the correctness of his theories. Prof. Ewart is now experimenting with pigeons and rabbits. He asserts that no one has ever gone into the subject of telegony in such a manner as clearly to demonstrate the truth or falsity of the many claims made concerning it. The experiments of Prof. Ewart and others have thrown some light on the subject, but there is still much to be learned."

THE SOUTHERN IMMIGRATION.

Laws Have Been Violated by Offering Financial Inducements.

The 500 Belgians who recently came to South Carolina to make their homes were induced to do this by the offer, not only of financial assistance, but also of aid after they should reach this country. Under these circumstances they are here in violation of the immigration laws. Many of them, however, are well-to-do, some of them have money enough to buy small farms, and most of them had trunks full of good clothing and laundered linen. The entire shipload were of a class much superior in intelligence, education and material qualifications to the ordinary immigrant.

A second detachment, between 600 and 700 in number, and similar classes of people, is expected at Charleston in the middle of December. If they are unlawful immigrants, if the laws have been violated by Mr. Watson, the State Commissioner of Immigration, in offering them inducements to come, and if they are to be sent back upon arrival, they ought not to be allowed to sail. On the other hand, those who are interested in the upbuilding of the South will look upon this movement as of supreme importance and absolutely vital to the welfare of that section of the country.

WILL BATTLE PEAR BLIGHT.

Government Experts Soon Begin to Fight Pests of Orchards in Salano County.

Orchardists of Solano county are deeply interested in the arrival in this State of Prof. Merton B. Waite, head of the United States Plant Industry Bureau, and a corps of ten assistants, to make a determined and scientific fight against the encroachment of the pear blight in the orchards of that section.

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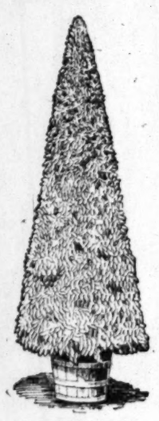
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Tantalum by Squirting Process.

The manufacture of tantalum, one of the hardest metals known, into sheets and bars, is now, it is said, being practiced in Germany by the squirting process, the material in its original powdered form being mixed with water and gum tragacanth, and then successfully forced into rods and shapes as desired.

TITLES AND UNHAPPINESS.

MISERY RESULT OF INTERNATIONAL WEDDINGS.

The Recent Divorce Troubles of the Countess Castellane and Duchess of Marlborough Call Attention to Many Other Cases Where the Noble Spouse Has Been Unfaithful.

Whether or not it be true, in the jocular phrase of Chauncey Depew, that titles chase the girls, statistics are day by day heaping up to prove that the reaction has definitely set in, says the New York World. If the record of infelicitous international marriages in its appalling contribution to divorce court history means anything at all it may be regarded as an indication that the American girl of millions in the future will no longer chase foreign titles which for a generation have made this country the paradise of every impecunious nobleman whose high sounding name could buy him a wife and immunity from debt.

Daughters not alone of the newly rich element have sacrificed themselves at the altar of this craze for the distinction of a title, but those in whose veins ran the proudest blood of the republic have suffered not only unhappiness but shame and ignominy at the hands of the foreigners they have married. When Anna Gould became Countess of Castellane all the world knew her infatuation for the picturesque Boni, and it was believed, with the birth of the three sons she bore him, Jay Gould's daughter, in spite of the ups and downs of her matrimonial experience, must win the happiness she so richly deserved.

But in the divorce suit now practically settled it is the young countess who has shown herself adamant. Her love dead, her woman's pride outraged, she is willing to pay the highest price for freedom and the custody of her children.

In the dissolution of Helen Morton's marriage to Rosen, Comte de Talleyrand-Perigord, Duc de Valencay, the wife charged "ill treatment and neglect." This was the brief summing up of an unhappiness which ex-Gov. Levi P. Morton lost no time in ending for his favorite child. The alliance was one of the most brilliant of recent years and at the service in St. Mary's Church in London, Father Kelly's sermon was on the indissolubility of the marriage tie. The Pope had refused to annul the marriage before Mr. Morton took the matter to the divorce court. The Duchess sacrificed her title for her freedom.

Lady Grey Egerton, who was the beautiful Miss Cuyler of Morristown, N. J., a granddaughter of "Maid Anthony" Wayne, one of the most brilliant women in English society, appealed for divorce only after long years of matrimonial difficulties. A suit for a restitution of her marital rights had preceded it. Sir Philip Grey Egerton refused to obey the dictates of the court and the divorce was granted his wife last year.

The story of Julia Mackay's infelicities with Prince Colonna has practically passed into tradition. The stepdaughter of John W. Mackay had fulfilled her mother's ambitions in wedding the Italian nobleman, and she reaped a whirlwind of misery before she secured her freedom.

Miss Adele Sampson, who was Mrs. Frederick Livingston when she became the bride of Maurice de Talleyrand, Duke de Dino, was another who appealed to the law to sever her marriage tie. Like Princess Colonna and many other titled Americans she found that her husband went straight from the altar to the gaming table.

BLOW IN AMERICAN COIN.

At Monte Carlo American fortunes on the tables were the immediate sequence of so many dazzling weddings that the international alliance was regarded as the certainty of enormous stakes. After his marriage the Duke of Marlborough is said to have played elbow to elbow with the Marquis of Camden, a cousin, whom he failed to recognize. The two had not previously met and were too formal to speak without introduction. The Princess of Monaco, who was a daughter of Michael Heine, the New Orleans banker, has been for some years judicially separated from her dissolute husband.

A Knickerbocker descendant, Baroness Gertrude von Cortlandt de Graffenreid, adds another to the list of the mismated. Divorcing her first husband, Schuyler Hamilton, Jr., of New York, she wedded the Baron, only to find her marital woes increased rather than diminished. Suit followed.

After six years of almost constant inharmony, Countess Pieri, who was Marie Schroeder, an heiress of Red Bank, N. J., divorced the Italian husband she had married in Rome—a love match as every one considered. The Countess was her own detective, followed her husband to Paris and found evidence undoubtable.

DIVORCED AUSTRIAN HUSBAND.

Miss Carlotta Hart of Cleveland, after signing notes for $100,000 to liquidate the debts of her spouse, Baron De Takacs de Kis-Joka, an Austrian nobleman, was obliged to file a petition in bankruptcy. She then saved herself for the liability by a divorce granted a year and a half ago.

The Countess Festetics, one of the Haggin heiresses, is one more noble example of an international marriage severed by the courts. Collis P. Huntington's adopted daughter, Clara Spencer Huntington, gave her hand and fortune to Prince Hatzfeldt only to acknowledge the mistake when the Prince had made his absolute disregard for the marriage the talk of Europe.

In Genoa, where offense against the marital bond is punishable by imprisonment, the Countess Di Castelmenardo, who was born Edith Van Buren of New York, had her noble husband locked up for three months on a charge of unfaithfulness no later than last March. Miss Van Buren is the great-grand-niece of President Van Buren. She has achieved some distinction as a globe trotter, accompanying Mrs. Roswell D. Hitchcock to the Klondike in 1898. The two women wrote a book on their experiences.

While Miss Wheeler of Philadelphia and Count Pappenheim exchanged rings, according to his native Bavarian custom, in pledge of eternal fidelity, the lovely bride little realized what an empty farce that promise would become. The wedding guests included all the best names of exclusive Philadelphia, as well as those of New York's Four Hundred, the gifts were magnificent and the marriage settlements superb. But the Countess has now been for some time in the ranks of the divorcees.

Harold Courtenay, a kinsman of the Earl of Devon, charged that his wife, who was Miss Frances Cutting of New York and San Francisco, was insane at the time of their marriage. The couple had parted and Courtenay sued his father-in-law for $50,000, claiming he had married his wife under false pretenses, and that later she had attempted his life.

The Earl of Egmont, whose Countess was Kate Powell of South Carolina, formerly a barmaid, was arrested in Londonson a charge of intoxication, the woman with him attempting suicide. His marriage had preceded his succession to the title, but the habits acquired as a poor younger son never deserted him.

Miss M. R. Fusz, who rid herself of her expensive and dissolute husband, the Spanish adventurer, Count Penaloza, learned later that he had been arrested on a charge of forgery.

Mrs. Burke-Roche, the daughter of Frank Work, now the wife of the well-known whip, Aurel Batonyi, married the heir presumptive of Lord Fermoy, the Hon. James Boothby Burke-Roche. The story of their troubles is too well known to need repetition.

THE LIST IS UNENDING.

By a curious coincidence the separation of her daughter, the Marquise de San Marzano, from her husband did not alienate Mrs. Eccles Gillander of New York, the wealthy widow of a tobacconist, from her son-in-law. When she died she disinherited the marquis and left all to the marquis in her will, which was later contested.

The matrimonial adventures of May Yohe, the American actress, and Lord Hope gave much food for gossip and led to the divorce court, the actress's second husband being Capt. Bradley Strong.

The list is unending. Sarah Phelps Stokes, daughter of Anson Phelps Stokes, became the Baroness Holkebl, only to seek relief in the courts. Miss Adelaide A. Cox was the victim of the bogus Baron Alphonsus Herman de Focke, who turned out to be the son of a Viennese bank clerk. Miss Susie Whittier and Prince Scage Beloselsky, Miss Benson and Comte de Chavanub, Miss May King and the Marquis of Angelsey, Miss Fitzgerald and Lord Fitzmaurice, Miss F. Audenreid and the Comte de la Forest Divonne, Miss Chaplin and the Comte de Villard Villars, Clara Ward and the Prince da Chimay, are all couples whose hands over seas marriages have resulted disastrously.

It is estimated that, in all, some 500 wealthy American women have married titled foreigners, and that the aggregate of their dowries exceeded $200,000,000. The most heavily dowered bride was the Duchess of Roxburghe (nee May Goelet,) with a fortune of $40,000,000. The others include the Duchess of Marlborough (nee Vanderbilt,) $10,000,000; the late Lady Curson (nee Leiter,) $5,000,000; Countess Castellane (nee Gould,) $15,100,000; Mrs. Vivian, $12,000,000; Baroness Halkett, $10,000,000; Lady William Beresford, $3,000,000,000; Princess Colonna (nee Mackay,) $2,500,000; Countess von Larisch, $4,000,000. Thirty British peers, or eldest sons of peers, and forty-four Englishmen with courtesy, titles or baronetcies married American women.



MLLE. JEANNE DEMAY, the French actress who was robbed of $12,000 worth of jewelry while staying at the Chateau of David Wolf Bishop, an American millionaire.

Law Interpreted.

SOME RECENT DECISIONS OF THE COURTS.

[SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

A municipal corporation which gives a permit to use part of the street for the placing of building materials therein for use in the construction of a building on adjacent property is held, in Columbus vs. Penrod (Ohio) 3 L.R.A.(N.S.) 386, not to be charged with the duty of seeing that the place is guarded, and not to be liable in damages to a person injured in consequence of the omission to guard the place with barriers or lights, unless it has notice of such omission, and after such notice it is guilty of negligence.

One who maintains an ash dump on his own property, remote from a thoroughfare, is held, in Fitzmaurice vs. Connecticut R. & L. Co. (Conn.) 3 L.R.A.(N.S.) 149, not to be liable for injuries to a child of tender years who strays from adjoining property through a broken fence, and is burned in the hot ashes, where he has no reason to anticipate the presence of a child there, although he takes no precautions to prevent such accident.

One who makes a note purporting to be that of another is held, in Costello vs. Barhard (Mass.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 212, not to be liable to a third person who takes it for value, merely because he negligently permits it to pass out of his custody and control.

That the display of fireworks in a public park is not a nuisance per se is declared in Crowley vs. Rochester Fireworks Co. (N.Y.) 3 L.R.A.(N.S.) 350.

The right of a lessee to maintain a suit to enjoin the maintenance of a nuisance to the injury of his business is sustained in Grantham vs. Gibson (Wash.) 3 L.R.A.(N.S.) 447.

A partner in an ordinary mercantile house is held, in Bernheimer vs. Becker (Md.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 221, to have no implied authority to bind his copartner by his acts in detaining and searching a customer suspected of having stolen property from the store.

One who purchases a postoffice money order from an agent sent to cash it by an indorsee, who has not himself indorsed it, upon the mere indorsement of such agent, is held, in Moore vs. Skyles (Mont.) 2 L.R.A. (N.S.) 156, to have no redress in case the indorsee again secures possession of it and obtains the money upon it.

Failure of a railroad company to give the usual and ordinary signals in approaching a highway crossing is held, in Cooper vs. North Carolina R. Co. (N. C.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 391, not to relieve a traveler on the highway from the duty of looking and listening.

One who steps upon a railroad track in open view of an approaching train, without looking to ascertain if a train is approaching, is held, in Schmidt vs. Missouri P. R. Co. (Mo.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 136, to be guilty of such negligence that no recovery can be had for his death, although the train is run in excess of the speed prescribed by the municipal ordinance.

Statutory authority to condemn lands for machine and repair shops and other structures necessary for railroad terminals is held, in Rainey vs. Red River, T. & S. R. Co. (Tex.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 590, to give the railroad company no power to act arbitrarily and without regard to injury which may be inflicted on others.

That a purchaser of grain has resold it, and has not refunded the purchase price on discovering a shortage, is held, in Denton vs. Fisher (Md.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 465, not to defeat his right to maintain an action against his vendor for the shortage.

A rule of a school board forbidding pupils to play football under the auspices of the school is held, in Kinzer vs. Toms (Iowa) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 496, not to be unreasonable or in excess of the authority of the board, although applied to conduct on holidays and away from the school grounds.

The service upon a judgment defendant of notice requiring him to appear and answer certain questions in supplementary proceedings in aid of execution, no order being made forbidding the transfer or other disposition of his property, is held, in McConnell vs. Wolcott (Kan.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 122, not to give the plaintiff a lien upon funds held by the defendant, or to prevent the latter from withdrawing such funds from the reach of his creditors by investing them in a homestead. The other authorities on lien acquired by service of notice in supplementary proceedings are reviewed in a note to this case.

Bonds of the United States held by a national bank as part of its capital are held, in Old Nat. Bank vs. County Court (W. Va.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 584, not to be taxable by the State or under its authority.

The validity of a statute forbidding brokers to traffic in tickets of railroad companies is sustained, in Ex parte O'Neill (Wash.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 558.

One holding property in trust to sell and divide the proceeds is held, in Winder v. Nock (Va.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 415, to be bound to exercise only the care of an ordinarily prudent business man, and not to be liable as for fraud and breach of trust if he secures the fair and reasonable value of the land.

If one buys property of another, and agrees to resell it to such other at an advanced price payable in the future, it is held, in Rogers v. Blouenstein (Ga.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 213, that such a transaction, actually made, is not illegal, but will be enforced.

Making the taking of more than 2 per cent interest a month for the loan or forbearance of money a crime is held, in Re Berger (Mo.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 530, not to be beyond the legitimate powers of the legislature.

A vendor who, at the time of contracting to sell real estate, has not perfected his title to it, is held, in Wells, F. & Co. v. Page (Or.) 3 L.R.A. (N.S.) 102, to have no right to claim forfeit deposited by the vendee to secure performance on his part, upon the latter's repudiation of the contract before the time for performance arrives, unless he shows that he has perfected his title so as to be in position to perform his own agreement.

That a bachelor cannot claim the place at which he takes his meals as his residence for voting purposes, where he keeps a business office and a sleeping apartment in connection therewith in another ward, at which he spends most of his time, is held in State v. Savre (Iowa) 3 L.R.A. N. S.) 455.

Her eyes are glowing, for she knows
What joys the future holds for her;
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The most costly piece of railway line in the world is that between the Mansion House and Aldgate, on the Underground, London. It cost nearly £2,000,000. Between Trinity Square and King William Statue the record rose to no less than 1000 guineas a yard, or about £30 an inch.

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The most northern railway line in existence is the Ofoten, built across the upper end of the Scandinavian peninsula by a British company, to tap the great iron ore beds which cover 300,000 acres. At the frontier station between Norway and Sweden an enormous hall has been built, into which the whole train runs bodily, and which can be closed as a protection against the weather. When crossing the Arctic circle the engine driver makes a point of blowing the whistle.

What is—or was, before being taken over by the Great Western—the smallest independent railway company in existence, was the Abingdon Railway, a mile and a half in length, and connecting Abingdon with Radley. It was a paying concern, and fetched a very good price when sold.

The Manila and Dagupan Railway, which is to be found in the Island of Luzon, has some claim to be considered the most elegant in existence. Certainly no other line can boast that all the sleepers are solid mahogany.

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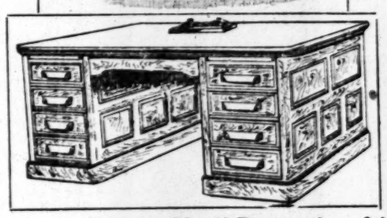


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THOUSANDS of people in Los Angeles and suburbs throughout Southern California have heard of Green's: have bought pictures here and know that through our system of buying and immense volume of business can offer the lowest prices by 25 to 50 per cent.

BUT we want EVERYBODY to know about Green's, and to bring crowds of people here this week we have planned a gigantic sale of pictures for Christmas, the equal of which has never been known on the Pacific Coast.

Prices on many lines of our very newest and most desirable pictures have been cut to the limit. Special inducements will be offered tomorrow and for all the week. No one can afford to miss this great money saving sale.

What would be more appropriate and acceptable as a Christmas present than a beautiful picture? What could you give that would be more highly appreciated for years to come? Attend this sale where you can buy two Christmas gifts for the price of one.

Beginning Tomorrow, Monday, December 10, We Will be Open Evenings Until Christmas

Every Price Reduction We Quote Is Genuine; No Misrepresentation at Green's; All Prices In Plain Figures

Artistic Picture Framing

Picture-framing is the backbone of our business. No job too large or too small or too delicate for our expert workmen to handle. Our stock of mouldings represents all that is newest and best from the very narrowest and daintiest to the heaviest and most elaborate mouldings made.

If you want your pictures framed artistically and at the lowest possible cost, bring them to Green's.

Orders for picture frames, to be delivered before Christmas, should be left at once.

Pretty 1907 Calendars

Calendars, especially the more artistic ones such as you find at Green's, are much used as gifts. Our stock includes the prettiest, the daintiest and most exclusive effects in framed and unframed calendars.

Two Special Calendar Bargains For This Week

Beautiful embossed calendars with hand-colored platinum pictures tabbed on and verses printed in gold letters. Our regular price 50c; tomorrow only, just half **25c**

Very neat little calendars with platinum pictures artistically gotten up. Regular price 25c. Monday only **15c**

Holiday Stationery

In our Main street store we have a splendid stock of fine stationery for Christmas gifts. Plain and fancy boxes. All prices from 25c up.

Bargains for Tomorrow

One pound of fine linen paper with envelopes to match, packed in fancy holly decorated box. Our regular price 75c per box; Monday only **50c**

Our American Beauty box paper on special sale again tomorrow. This is a fine quality linen paper in blue or white, with envelopes to match. Packed in pretty box. Regular price 35c. Tomorrow only **25c**

Two Hundred Framed Pictures 10c Each

Regular Price 25c

The greatest special for tomorrow will consist of 200 regular 25c pictures on sale at 10c each. These are pretty photo colors framed in ornamented veneer oak frames in brown, green, black and gilt finish; round, oval and fancy shapes. You couldn't buy any of them for less than 25c anywhere. Our price, while they last **10c**

The Biggest Bargain of All
25 Per Cent Off
Entire Stock of Oil Paintings

Here is the biggest money saving bargain of all. Our entire stock of genuine oil paintings framed in the very latest mouldings and shadow box, ranging in price from $7.50 to $95.00 at one-fourth off during this sale.

$95 Oil Paintings .....$71.25 $75 Oil Paintings $56.25
$30 Oil Paintings .....$37.50 $30 Oil Paintings $22.50
$23 Oil Paintings .....$18.75 $7.50 Oil Paintings $5.70

All prices are marked in plain figures.

Special Bargains for
Tomorrow Only
MONDAY DECEMBER, 10

These special bargains we announce for tomorrow are genuine reductions in every instance. Remember that only the specified number in each case will be sold so that late comers should not be disappointed if they find that we are sold out of the particular item that they want. Mail orders for these specials will be filled if sent tomorrow and accompanied by money order.

HAND COLORED GRAVURES—Genuine hand colored. Plate size 18x28 inches. Artistically framed in sweep and double deck effects. Finished in the very best of gilt with gold burnishing. Our regular prices are $12.50 and $15.00. Tomorrow only we will sell eighteen at, each **$9.00**

GENUINE PASTELS—By the noted artists Chandler and Scott. Size 28x50 inches. In oak veneer frame, hand ornamented and tipped with gilt. Oval opening size of picture 18x40 inches. Our regular prices $10.00 and $12.00. Tomorrow, Monday, only, one dozen on sale at **$7.50**

GENUINE CARBONS—Made from 16x28-inch plates. Framed in 3-inch solid oak or 3-inch gumwood frames the very newest designs of both. Our regular prices $3.50 and $4.00. Monday only, a dozen and a half, at **$2.85**

GENUINE ETCHINGS—Framed with 3-inch mat and 3-inch solid oak frame in weathered finish with hand ornamented corners. Some very beautiful subjects. Our regular price $4.00. One dozen only on sale tomorrow at **$2.75**

HAND COLORED PHOTOGRAPHS—A new line of these popular pictures just received. Size 22x26 inches; 2 1-2-inch plain gilt frame. These are made up to sell at $5.00 and $6.00. Our regular price is $3.50. Three dozen only will be sold tomorrow at **$2.00**

FRAMED MOTTOES—Very popular mottoes artistically gotten up in colors and framed in 2-inch solid oak frame. Size 14x21 inches. These are suitable for dining-room, living-room, den, etc., and very popular for gifts. Our regular price $2.00. Tomorrow only, one dozen at **$1.00**

YARD OF FLOWERS—Framed in 1 1-2-inch best gilt frame with ornamented corners. Flowers of all kinds in natural colors. Our regular prices $1.25. Tomorrow, twenty only on sale at **75c**

FAC-SIMILE WATER COLORS—Famed in 1 1-2-inch best gilt frame, with and without brass name plate. Size 7x15 inches. Only fifty in this lot. Our regular price 35c. Tomorrow **25c**

Genuine Water Colors and Hand Colored Pictures

Our large stock of genuine water colors and beautiful hand colored pictures offers a wide choice for Christmas gifts. Large and small pictures framed in dainty or massive gilt frames. Pictures suitable for the bedroom, the living room, the parlor or any part of the house. Such a great collection to choose from you can't fail to find what you want. Prices begin at $2.50 and range up to $75.00 and all the in-between prices.

What 25c, 50c and 75c Will Buy

If you are looking for inexpensive pictures as Christmas gifts visit our Main St. wing, where you will find hundreds and hundreds of neat framed pictures at 25c, 50c and 75c each.

A full line of passe partout pictures and mottoes.

Full line of bonnet pictures, Dutch pictures, nursery pictures, photo-colors, and novelty pictures of every kind. A little money goes a long way here.

Beautiful Line of Carbons

Carbon pictures, while not particularly expensive, are very popular and much in demand because of their artistic beauty. For a small investment you cannot find a more attractive picture than a genuine carbon chosen from our complete stock. All sizes are included from cabinet photo to 24x36 inch, framed in the very latest styles. Prices range from $1.00 to $5.00.

What $1 to $2 Will Buy

At $1.00 and $2.00 there is a vast array of artistic framed pictures to choose from, covering nearly every imaginable subject and every shape and style of frame.

A Full Line of Christy Pictures

Hunting pictures, dining-room pictures, artotypes, all neatly framed with glass and wire ready to hang. For a small amount of money you can get the most desirable gifts at Green's.

Masterpieces in Pastels

Landscapes, fruit and game pictures and sceneries of every kind are shown in our stock of pastel pictures, which is the most complete ever seen in this city.

All are artistically framed in the latest and most popular effects.

You can buy very pretty pastels at $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $3.00 and $4.00.

The finer and larger pictures range in price from $5.00 up to $30.00.

DON'T FORGET

Owing to great rush in our frame order department and to accommodate those who can't come during the day, Green's will be open evenings until Christmas, beginning tomorrow.

OPEN EVENINGS

10th, Broadway, & Main

A Wells-Fargo Express Office in the Store

REAR AISLE 5

It is the aim of the Broadway to make your Christmas shopping as easy as it can be made.

A postoffice in rear of annex, where you can register and mail your packages. And now a Wells-Fargo express office. Rear aisle 5. Express your packages from the Broadway Department Store.

BOTH PHONES EXCHANGE 337

DON'T WORRY

The Broadway Department Store

WATCH US GROW

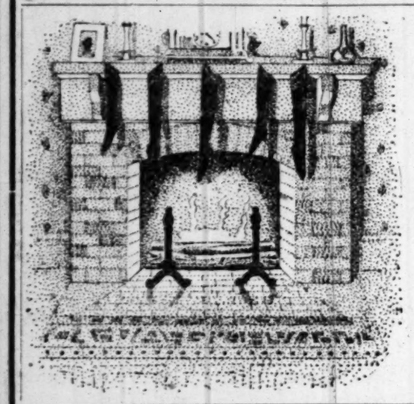
BROADWAY, COR. FOURTH, LOS ANGELES. ARTHUR LETTS, PROPRIETOR

Santa's Stork From Christmas Land

Arrived with a great family of doll babies for the little ones.

Find them on Third Floor.

A Little World of Toys and Dolls



The Stockings

Must Be Filled.

What to fill them with. That's the question.

Let "The Broadway" answer it for you.

Come to the store early Monday morning. See how big and strong and inviting Christmas stocks have grown the past few days.

Gift hints for every one, in a great, broad way, that has made "The Broadway" without question.

Los Angeles' Greatest Christmas Store.

From diamonds at remarkably low prices on the main floor—

To the wonderful display of toys and dolls on the third floor—

Christmas suggestions will greet you at every turn.

It is important to shop early.

If you will carry smaller packages it will help us to help you.

And Other Delights for the Children Is Making Us Wondenfully Busy--Third Floor

An immense stock. When you consider that we have given over a great part of the 3rd floor, just to toys and dolls and games, you will realize the magnitude of display—the reason why.

The Broadway is without question Los Angeles' Busiest Christmas Toy Store

And we are getting busier every day. The children like to come. Parents like to bring them. Something new to see every day. Monday marks another long step in the march to Xmas Crowds will grow greater with a rush now.

Begin buying early tomorrow. Begin buying at the Broadway Department Store. Some reasons why you should.

Two Great Doll Extras—Monday Only

$1.48 Dressed Doll 89c

Has fine bisque head and wig; the latest style dress; a splendid value at $1.18; a very unusual opportunity. Monday, third floor, 89c.

$1.98 Doll $1.19

Kid body doll; hip and knee jointed with fine head and sewed wig; Monday only, $1.98 value at $1.19. third floor.



Rubber Tired Automobile $6.98

Large size; made of all sheet steel except bottom; has starting ratchet crank; $6.98. A gift to make the little fellow happy as a king. Third floor.

Doll Buggies $2.25

All steel with heavy rubber tire wheels, and parasol, the folding kind, $2.25; third floor.

WHEEL BARROWS 75c—Made of sheet steel.

VELOCIPEDE $1.75—For a child of 2 to 5 years.

$10 Mechanical Train $7.50

A fine American made train with iron locomotive, tender, combination car, drawing car and plenty of track; Monday only, extra at $7.50; third floor.

Upright Engine 98c

A $1.48 value; American made.

CHAUTAUQUA EASEL BLACKB... 1.98—The $2.50 kind.

REPEATING AIR RIFLE 98c—A $1.2... Third floor.

Sale Sample Line Framed Pictures

A Great Saving Opportunity. Buy For Christmas Now—Third Floor

To buy handsome pictures for holiday gifts, and right in the midst of holiday shopping, and to pay much less than regular—that's certainly an opportunity to interest everyone who has Christmas in mind.

The sample line of E. C. Stiggall & Co., and there isn't a larger sample line aywhere on the road today. The selection includes genuine pastel, platinette pictures, photo colors, and studies in fruits and flowers, animals, and carbonettes and carbons, as well as photo frames. Bought at a price that enables us to sell them to you decidedly under the regular prices.

50c **PICTURES** 39c—Black 1-inch moulding. Also 14x16 pictures, gilt, 2-inch moulding.

$2.00 **PICTURES** $1.50—10.2x26, brown, 1½-inch mouding. Also 8x20 gilt 2½-inch moulding.

$1.10 **PICTURES** 75c—6x20 black, 1-inch moulding.

65c **PICTURES** 45c—9x12, round 2½-inch moulding.

$1.25 **CARBON** 85c—Includes frame, carbon size, 8x10-inch.

85c **PICTURES** 65c—12x18 gilt frame.

$2.50 **CUPID PICTURE** $1.98—15-inch oval frame.

$1.85 **CARBON** $1.35—14x16 size, in brown frame.

85c **PICTURES** 59c—Size 10x11, fruit in veneer frame.

$1.65 **PICTURE** $1.10—Size 14x16, fruit in veneer frame.

$3.50 **CARBON** $2.75—Size 23x27, oak frame.

$3.75 **PASTEL** $2.50—26x20, 1-inch gilt frame.

$10.50 **PASTEL** $7.50—Size 15x16, in oval gilt frame.

$7.50 **PICTURES** $4.50—Pastel, size 15x24, gilt frame.

$9.00 **PASTEL** $7.00—Size 20x24.

$3.50 **PICTURES** $2.25—16x24 gilt frame.

$9.00 **OIL PAINTING** $6.00—Size 10x12.

Remember there are 500 or 600 pictures to select from and no two alike, samples, you know.

$4.00 **PASTELS** $2.48.

$2.00 **PHOTO COLORS** $1.35.

$10.00 **PICTURES** $8.50.

$5.00 **PASTELS** $3.98.

$6.00 **CUPID PICTURES** $4.25.

$8.00 **PICTURES** $4.50—Religious pictures, 8 x16 size.

$10.00 **PASTELS** $8.50—15x19, gilt frame.

$5.50 **PICTURES** $3.50—Genuine pastel, 15x19.

$4.00 **PICTURES** $3.25—Size 10x29.

$2.50 **PICTURES** $1.98—Size 9x28, green frame.

$5.00 **PICTURES** $3.98—14x33, brown frame and carbon.

$3.75 **PICTURES** $2.98—Size 10x28.



Evening Hats $5.00

Exceptional values. A Monday millinery feature. $5.00 for pretty evening hats, in styles just out of their original cases, by express and out Monday for the first time. Just the prettiest hats you ever saw. Choose from light blues, pinks, white, and other dainty shades. Ordinarily they would be worth double what we ask for them Monday. Second floor, each $5.00.

Trimmed Hats $4.00

It's another value demonstration from the millinery section Monday. Trimmed and demi trimmed hats, the kind you will want for immediate wear.

You can choose from any color, and every hat is made by a prominent Eastern manufacturer of pattern hats. They would be worth $7.00 to $8.00 in the regular way. They have never been shown before. They should be snapped up quickly Monday. The saving represents close to half.

Skirts, Corset Covers—For Gifts

In Individual Boxes



A new skirt or corset cover for Christmas will be appreciated by a woman. We've just received a large shipment of these put up in fancy boxes for gift purpogs.

CORSET COVERS AT $1.98

Of fine long cloth, trimmed with four rows of lace beading, lace straps over the shoulder and bows of ribbon. Second floor. Each $1.98.

SKIRTS AT $9.98

Made of fine long cloth with deep lawn flounce and under ruffle, trimmed with wide val. lace, put up in pretty boxes. Second floor.

SKIRTS AT $10.50

They are made with 18-inch lawn flounce, have embroidery beading and ribbon at top, trimmed with several rows of val. lace and insertion in separate boxes for gifts. Second floor.

CORSET COVERS AT 98c

Of fine lawn with deep yoke, baby ribbon inserted around the neck, wide ribbon straps over the shoulders. Second floor.

CORSET COVERS $1.25

Of nainsook, yoke trimmed with embroidery and insertion and beading, baby ribbon insertion. Second floor.



Silk Waists $5

Samples Worth $7.00, $8.00, $9.00, $10.00

Out Monday in a great value demonstration—200 women's silk waists at $5.00 each. Waists that would retail in the regular way at $7.00, $8.00, $9.00, and even $10.00.

You know how important samples are from a value standpoint. The manufacturer puts his reputation back of them. And then think of the variety, mostly all different. It's like buying exclusive patterns.

Here are waists of silk in all plain colors, plaid waists, the new Roman stripe effects. Then there are a number of lace and net waists, plain tailored styles, too, with long sleeves, front fastenings. Also fancy evening waists, lace trimmed, short sleeve styles.

It's an opportunity to secure a splendid waist for evening wear. There's a good range of sizes, and the price is one to interest every woman with a waist want. There'll be plenty of enthusiasm, selling will be vigorous. Plan to come as early as you can. Second floor Monday.

Gloves for Gifts



If you are at all in doubt, give gloves for Christmas. We are ready to fill your wants with gloves of the dependable kind. Best makers are represented, and besides in many cases we import our gloves direct. That means saving of the middleman's profit to you. It's best to buy now while assortments are at their best. Early morning trading is much more comfortable and satisfactory, too. We've any number of good gloves at $1.00, and better ones at $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, and on up. Bear in mind, Broadway prices are lowest.

Give "Him" a Pair of Gloves

Fine styles for men of dressed kid, the famous Kennedy make—made to fit perfectly. All shades of tan with silk stitching. $1.50 pair, aisle 8.

Other Gloves at $1.00—Good weight. Good gloves of dressed kid. Shades of tan $1.00 pair.

The Richness of Cut Glass



Makes it Especially Appropriate to Give

The unusualness of Broadway values makes it important that you buy cut glass here. There's a glitteringly beautiful room IN THE BASEMENT, just teeming with gift hints. Visit it Monday. Some hints:

$5 Bowl at $3.98

8-inch ones, very finely cut; $5 values at $3.98.

Sugar and Creamer $2.98

Splendid value at $3.75 pair; crysanthemum cutting.

$1.25 **KNIFE RESTS** 75c—Large size.

WATER PITCHER $6.50—2-qt. size, beautiful whirlwind cutting.

$3.00 **HANDLED NAPPIES** $2.25—6-in. size.

$2.50 **VINEGAR BOTTLES** $1.98—Strawberry and fan cutting; basement.

Handkerchiefs for Gifts

When you think of handkerchiefs, think of the Broadway. More complete and assortments, lower prices to pay. Interesting values Monday.

12 1-2c **HANDKERCHIEFS** 8 1-3c—They are pure linen, hemstitched. Aisle 3.

10c **HANDKERCHIEFS** 5c—Cambric initial handkerchiefs, neatly hemstitched, for women, aisle 3.

HANDKERCHIEF CENTERS 25c—7... inch size. Sheer linen, 1-4 and 1-... hem. Aisle 3, Monday.

HANDKERCHIEFS 98c AND $1.25—Very imported linen handkerchiefs, hand embroidered, neatly hemstitched. Aisle 3. 98c and $1.25.

$20 Brussels Rugs $14.98



Those handsome room size Brussels rugs, 9x12. Medallion patterns and colors. They'd be unusual values at $20.00. Think of the amount of carpet it would take to cover a room of that size. Monday, third floor Annex, $14.98.

Pro Brussels Rugs $9.98

9x12, GOOD $15.00 VALUES.

They are sometimes called reversible Brussels, splendid for wear, and they look like much better rugs. Splendid for office or dining room. $15 values, third floor, each, $9.98.

$1.35 SMYRNA RUGS 95c—They are pretty rugs, size 16x30. Fine for door ways and in front of dressers. Plenty of pretty patterns, fringed ends. Heavy ones, reversible. $1.35 varues at 95c. Third floor.

Axminster Rugs $1.95

27x60, USUAL $3.00 VALUES.

Sanford's Axminster rugs, size 27x60, oriental patterns and colors, soft, heavy pile. Give one of these for Christmas. $3.00 values for $1.95. Third floor, Monday.

MATTING RUGS $1.45—They are the kind you usually pay $3.50 for. Made in the cute Japanese way, all in one piece, size 4x7. Carpet designs with matched border. Unusual variety, reversible. A Monday feature, third floor, each, $1.45.

Christmas Box Novelties

We've any number of pretty things to answer the gift problem including collar and cuff boxes, children's work boxes, toilet sets, smoking sets for men, fancy boxes for gloves and ties. We hint at a few prices for Monday:

Work Boxes, 49c. Children5s size. Contain needle, thread and thimble. Rear aisle 2.

Collar Boxes 25c. Keeps the collars and cuffs clean. Celluloid tops, these. Aisle 2.

Glove Boxes 69c and 98c. Also tie boxes, they are made with sateen linings and celluloid tops, prettily decorated. Rear aisle 2.

Toilet Sets $1.75. The ebonized brush and mirror. Oxidized silver mounting. Set includes comb.

Toilet Sets $1.48. They are in fancy celluloid cases. Also manicure sets. Prices start at $1.48 and up.

A Great Holiday Book Store in the Annex

Silk Shirt Waist Suits $15.00

Regular $20.00 and $27.50 Values



There's been a wonderful demand for silk suits lately, and in our customary timely way we'll be ready Monday with a sale of silk suits at $15.00.

They are samples. The maker says they will be the styles worn in the spring, 1907. There's not over 25 in the lot, so that means hurry if you wish to share in the savings.

They are made of chiffon taffeta silks in browns, black, navy and a few checks. Waists have either long or short sleeves. Some of them are real elaborate, trimmed with lace and silk ornaments. Skirts are pleated in a variety of styles. Yes, they would be hard to duplicate at $20.00 and $25.00. The second floor Monday, each $15.00.

Save on Domestics

Monday features from the third floor Annex, to make vigorous buying. A few prices to point the way.

15c Ramona Flannels 7½c

There is just 10 pieces of this in light blue basket weave, some of it slightly soiled, fleeced back, fine for children's garments. The quantity is limited so we say not more than 10 yards to any one customer. No phone or mail orders and none delivered. Second floor Annex, Monday, 7½c.

HAVE YOUR EYES EXAMINED FREE



By an expert optician third floor. It may save you from lots of future pains and troubles.

GIVE "HER" A PAIR OF OPERA GLASSES

Choose from a beautiful assortment, leather and pearl bound ones, perfect lenses; third floor, optical department.

A GOLD FRAMED PAIR OF GLASSES—A GOOD GIFT

For mother or father. Visit the optical department, third floor.

20c Sateen 7½c

It's a mercerized crepe finished sateen, about 50 pieces, just four colors—red, green, brown and navy; 30 inches wide; a 20c value for Monday, third floor Annex, yard 7½c.

Domet Flannel 3 1-2c. *From 8 to 9 Monday*

Just for one hour, 8 to 9 Monday morning; unbleached Domet flannel, fleeced on both sides, not more than 15 yards to a customer; no phone or mail orders, none delivered, third floor Annex, 3½c.

Embroidered Flannel 49c

Fine quality all wool flannel for underskirts, silk embroidered, a grade you usually pay 75c for. Third floor Annex, Monday, yard 49c.

45c Canvas Suiting 15c

White linen canvas suiting, about 15 pieces, sold formerly at 25c; splendid for wear. We are going to close it out for inventory. Third floor Annex, 15c.

Doll Set 10c.
1 Sheet, 2 Pillow Cases

Made of fine Pequot sheeting; sheet 15 by 18 inches; pillow case measures 4½x7 inches; tied with blue silk ribbon; something the child will like.

If in Doubt—Give a Broadway Cheque

It's the safe solution to all gift problems.

Let "her" or "him" choose their own gifts at the Broadway Dept. store. Ask about it.

Groceries

The papers say a food famine is threatened and prices have been soaring skyward. Broadway prices are going still lower Monday.

10 LBS. SUGAR 47c—10 lbs. of fine granulated sugar 47c. Limit 10 lbs. to a customer.

BAKED BEANS 5c CAN—Doz. cans 49c; Armour's "Veribest" baked beans; regular 3 for 25c size.

50 LBS. FLOUR $1.35—Capital Mills flour; the popular brand.

10 BARS LAUNDRY SOAP 25c—It's the Happy Day soap.

SALMON 11c—Red Alaska, 1-lb. tin.

NEW PRUNES 8c LB.—Fine large sized ones.

50c FRUIT WAFERS 36c—Peek Frean's English fruit wafers. Lb. 36c Monday.

OLIVE OIL 70c—A big quart bottle of the Blue Seal California olive oil.

25c CATSUP 17c—Country Club Tomato Catsup, pint bottles. The 25c kind.

40c TEA 28c—Full flavored Ceylon tea; a regular 40c grade. Monday, lb., 28c.

GROCERIES FOURTH FLOOR.

French China—Samples at One Half—Basement

Silks and Dress Goods for Gifts

Why not buy a black silk dress or a pretty silk waist—something that any woman will appreciate. Special for Monday, aisle 5.

Silk Moire $1.00

It's something entirely new, 22 in. wide, white grounds with pink, blue, lavender, and green figures. Dresden and pompadour designs. Aisle 5, Monday, yd., $1.00.

36-In Taffeta at $1.00

It's a rich, lustrous black, one that will wear torily. Note the width. It's a special value aisle 5, Monday.

Pompadour Crepe de Chine $1.00

It's our regular $1.25 value, 24 inches wide, all the pretty evening shades. Makes pretty neck scarfs and evening wear. In aisle 5, $1.00.

Dress Goods at $1.00

Handsome silk and wool plaids, bright, cheerful combinations that women want now for waists and children's dresses. Out Monday in aisle 5.

Broadcloths $1.48

Silk finished chiffon broadcloth in brown, gray, tan, blue, green. Also cream and black. Fine for coat suits. In aisle 4 Monday, yd. $1.48.

$1.25 Shadow Checks 98c

Serges and wool taffetas, a good assortment of colors, fine for shirt waist suits and children's dresses; $1.35 values; in aisle 4 Monday, 98c.

$1.25 Dress Goods 89c

Silk and wool Sublime, Poplinette, and Etoffe, bright colors for waists and evening gowns. Regular $1.25 grade, aisle 4 Monday, yd. 89c.

Fancy Voiles 75c to $1.48

Just received imported black voiles for holiday Aisle 5 Monday, extra values at 75c, $1.00, $1.25. Buy one for your mother or sweetheart.

$1.48 Black Goods $1.19

Twenty pieces of black dress goods including Prunellas, fine Serge, Henrietta, Herringbone and shadow checks. Priestley's celebrated ... included. $1.48 value Monday in aisle 5, yd. $1.19.

Real Diamonds to Give

Rings — Cuff Buttons — Brooches — Pins



Most beautiful presents of all—and priced so you can buy them easily. New designs, new shapes, perfect stones, we guarantee. Exclusive jewelry at 25 per cent. less than exclusive jeweler's prices. Gifts that will make her eyes glisten with delight.

Cuff Buttons $3.98 to $35.00.
Ring prices start at $7.98.
Brooches $4.50 to $75.00.
Stick Pins $2.00 to $25.00.
Lockets from $5.50.
Charms $12.00 to $25.00.
Tie clasps $2.48 to $9.00.
Bracelets $15.00 to $50.00.

It's an addition we have been planning on for some time—beautiful diamond jewelry for 25 per cent. less than exclusive store prices—in the face of an advancing market, too. See it Monday. Comparison proves.

WOOD TO BU...

Novelties in wood ... terials suitable for ... gifts.

Stamped Frames ... scape pictures, size ...

Smaller Frames ... —Hunting scenes ...

Christy Pictures ... designs, size 18x2...

Checker Boards ... square ones.

Wood Burning, Fo...

Avoid the Final ... This

In spite of the fact that better selec... while our Christmas assortments o... people leave their buying till the la... of the best values will be gone.

Christmas Treat

The most remarkable values in furnitu... quoted. Actually over 20 carloads of spe... ties, bought very cheaply for spot cash a... our low price schedule. Useful gifts t... afford to give. Pay cash or ... have them charged, just as you ... please.

Everything in Plain Figures



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SCHUBERT

Some Remarkable Christmas Bargai...

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SOME CLOCKS—$5.00, $6.00, $8.00, $10.00, ...
TIFUL PICTURES—$1.00, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 a...
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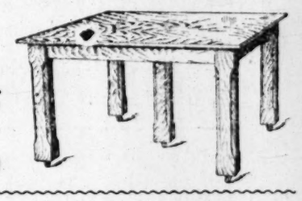
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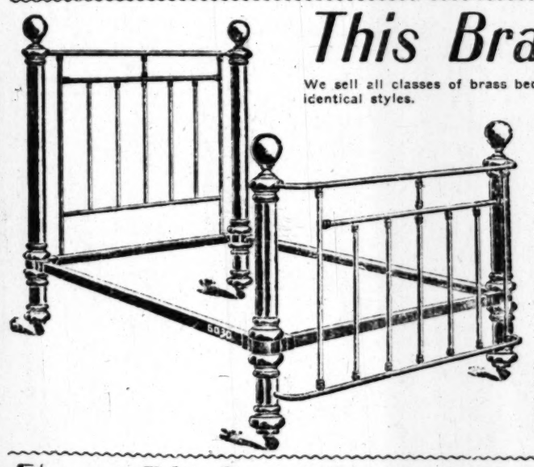


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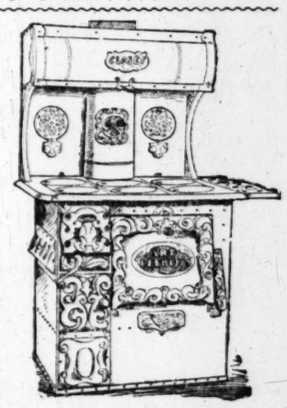
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Talks With Big Ones.

THE QUIZZICAL HUMOR OF SECRETARY BONAPARTE IS BAFFLING, BUT DECIDEDLY SALTY IN ITS FLAVOR.

By J. B. Morrow.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—There is a story in Baltimore, and it may be true, that Charles Joseph Bonaparte, after suffering beleaguerment and bombardment by reporters in person, over the telephone and through the postoffice for his views on some matter that was up, sent word to an editor that he was inclined to talk.

A man with long legs and good wind was hurried to Mr. Bonaparte's law office. Handed an envelope at the door he threw himself downstairs and sped away. The editor, aflame with victory, unfolded a sheet of foolscap and read: "Mr. Bonaparte, having been asked for his opinion in respect to so-and-so, said:" There was nothing more except a white wilderness of blank paper.

There is one element of accuracy in the anecdote. Mr. Bonaparte always writes out what he has to say to the public. He will not be quoted for the simplest statement of the most hackneyed or undisputed fact unless he is permitted to put his own hand to paper. Safe, indeed, he may be at all times, but he can never hope to be sympathetic, familiar or dramatic. He might be all three. There is but one way in which to interview a man and have the interview a picture to life and in every particular characteristic. The interviewer must do all the writing himself.

The Secretary of the Navy is a mixture of Patterson and Bonaparte. Because he is not undersized, being five feet and ten and of bold proportions, he is said to be wholly unlike Napoleon. Nevertheless, Italy is in his face and the blood of the first Bonaparties is to be seen in the elegance of his manners, his courage of mind and heart and his talent for public affairs. From the Pattersons of Baltimore have come his habit of plain speech and his faculty for business and the care of money, although his great grandmother Bonaparte, who was Napoleon's mother, a resolute and beautiful woman, was notoriously economical herself. Napoleon's eldest brother, Joseph, was a tall man of royal presence and much suavity of address. The Secretary of the Navy, his grandnephew, bears his name in part and has inherited his agreeableness of personal bearing as well as his avidity for reform.

Received with marked courtesy, I told Mr. Secretary Bonaparte my business. He smiled most hospitably; but there was no sign of that. The smile universalt it might be called. It is in court when the battle is the bloodiest. It is on the stump in Maryland when each sentence is an exploding harpoon or a sword thrust. It is present in every relation of life. At no time a smirk, it is a lure, nevertheless. The full, dark eyes were cordial and kidliness, even, was in all the lineaments of the round, olive face.

"Bring in your questions," he said, "and I shall try to answer them." The voice was hearty, thick, but not heavy, and distinctively foreign. There had been preparation against a day indefinite and the questions were produced. "Very well. Leave them with me and I shall dictate answers to such as I care to make reply. That will be a saving of work to you and of time for me." The smile was dangerously winning but categorical responses, the laconics of the busy man who seeks brevity and precision, not to say escape do not constitute an interview of human interest. I wanted to chat. So I said: "Will you look them over?"

A HARD ONE TO CRACK.

"Surely."

There was a jerky buzz of inarticulate sounds. By and by a stop. Mr. Bonaparte leaned back in his chair, held the paper at arm's length and read: "How can a young man achieve success at the bar?"

Scrutinizing me across the top of his eye-glasses he replied:

"Early to bed; early to rise;'

Never get tight; don't advertise."

But the ice had not gone out of the river. The involuntary and momentary lapse of the exalted public functionary, of the accomplished lawyer, of the reputed millionaire, of, in short, dignity and repression, back to the natural man himself, was followed by more droning as the questions were read to the end. "Have you any personal recollections of your grandmother, Elizabeth Patterson Bonaparte? All accounts agree that she was not alone a woman of brilliancy and wit, but was wise and successful in matters of business?"

There was an opportunity here for history, anecdote and love in memory. Mr. Bonaparte hummed the last inquiry, the fifteenth on the list, to himself and then read it aloud. "It would not do for her grandson to say that she had neither brilliancy nor wit," he replied. "As a matter of fact, however, she had both. Yes; and she was successful in business. I am living on her money now, or a part of it."

Whereupon there was some fencing; I to talk on the spot; he to write it down at his convenience. I could not say: "You will ruin the interview, take its vitals out and make it punctilious and curt." And Mr. Bonaparte was too urbane, too considerate, to tell me I ought to be thankful for what I got.

So the questions were put under a paper-weight. In plain sight, and there was a promise that the replies would be forthcoming within the week. But Cuban liberty was upset and spilled out like water in a bucket. The navy, accordingly, was busy. Besides, there were several speeches to make. In a month I went again. Mr. Bonaparte had forgotten; had been crowded for time, but he would keep his word. The next morning the answers came, on heavy paper, in purple ink and typewriting

"Do you remember the first fee you earned as a lawyer? Did you have the usual period of waiting and watching for clients?"

A commonplace inquiry, but intended merely to call out of the past some particular experience which might be curious or illuminating.

Answer: "I do not remember the first fee which I earned as a lawyer. I did not have to wait as long as most young lawyers for clients, since circumstances led me to be connected very soon after I came to the bar, with several cases of considerable importance, although of no very great profit to me individually."

No library reformer, but a rough fighter using humor, invective and satire, I asked: "What caused you to become interested in the political conditions of Maryland?" This, too, was to be a prod to memory, an opening for personal discourse.

Answer: "In 1875 I was counsel for the contestants in the contested election cases arising out of the election in Baltimore for that year. This caused me to become acquainted with the political methods then prevailing in Maryland, and led me to think it very desirable that these methods should be changed. From that time until the present I have been very much interested in matters affecting the good government of my native city, State and country."

PARTY GOVERNMENT.

"Do you believe every good citizen should be a member of either the Democratic or Republican party?"

"I believe that every good citizen ought to be a member of some party. If he does not find a party that he can conscientiously join, he had better found one for himself. For practical purposes, however, with a view of improving existing conditions in government I think it will usually be found advantageous, and even indispensable, to use existing parties as instruments of political action."

There was a purpose to draw from Mr. Bonaparte some utterance on the evil practices of the day when he was asked: "You have been fighting dishonesty—graft it is now called—for many years. Have you observed any improvement in the moral standards of public men and of men engaged in business?"

But Mr. Bonaparte remembered that he is soon to be Attorney-General of the United States, the government prosecutor of trusts, corporations and individuals who break the law and so he was alert and prudent and only said: "I have observed a very decided improvement in public opinion and in the standards of thought and conduct on the part of public men in regard to several questions of great importance since I have been interested in public affairs. Among these are civil service reform, honesty at elections and the subordination of partisanship to the public interest. I am not prepared to say anything of the standards of men engaged in business."

"What are the first obligations of citizenship?"

"The 'first obligations' of citizenship are to discharge all the duties imposed on the citizen by law, faithfully and zealously and with a sole regard to the public interest."

"Eminent as a civil service reformer, have your opinions changed, now that you are in the government and have had practical experience with officeholders?"

"My opinions as a civil service reformer have so far changed since I have become an officeholder myself, that I am slightly more thoroughly convinced of the necessity of the reform than I was previously. I really do not see how the business of the government was carried on before the merit system was introduced."

"Should the United States maintain a navy which is strong enough to meet all possible contingencies?" A slovenly way of asking a question. Mr. Bonaparte, said to be a specialist in words, replied:

"The United States should certainly maintain a navy which is strong enough to meet all probable contingencies. To say 'all possible contingencies' in the sense of all conceivable contingencies, would be imposing an unreasonable burden and one which is borne by no other country, but the United States ought to be prepared at all times to discharge the duties imcumbent upon one of the world's great powers, and for this purpose a strong and efficient navy is clearly indispensable."

"You have been called 'the most eminent Catholic layman in the United States.' A considerable number of Americans believe there is a hope, if not a purpose, to make this a Catholic country?"

RELIGIOUS DREAMS.

Answer: "I do not know whether I have been called 'the most eminent Catholic layman in the United States. I certainly do not deserve the designation, and I do not remember to have seen it applied to me. There may be some Catholics who believe that all the Protestants, Hebrews and agnostics in this country will be converted to their faith in the near future but I fear that such persons take an optimistic view of the situation. I presume that all zealous members of the communion would like to see this result brought about, but I hardly think it can be said that many of them expect it soon to occur."

"It is said you will oppose a friend as quickly an denergetically as you will an enemy if you think him to be wrong."

"I don't know who has said that I 'will oppose a friend as quickly and energetically as I will an enemy if I think him to be wrong.' Whoever said it paid me a compliment which I should like to deserve but fear I do not wholly merit. I certainly think, however, that this is what a thoroughly conscientious person would do and what everybody ought to do."

"You are represented as saying that free schools are as great an evil to the people as free food or houses would be?"

"If I am represented as saying that 'free schools are as great an evil to the people as free food or houses would be,' I am misrepresented. I have always been in favor of compulsory education, and I do not think that because education is compulsory it should necessarily be gratuitous. I have also long advocated that the character of education in the public schools should be adapted to the needs of the children taught and not based upon a uniform and unvarying curriculum for all alike. When I first announced these ideas publicly they were very unpopular among certain classes of people, and the question undoubtedly contains an echo of some of the criticisms to which my views were then subjected. I have noticed, however, that within the past twenty-five years the ideas I then advanced have been, in a considerable measure, adopted in different parts of the country."

Trusts and monopolies were in mind when I inquired: "Do any dangers menace the republic?"

The Attorney-Generalship must have been in Mr. Bonaparte's mind when he answered. "Some dangers unquestionably menace our republic," he wrote. "but I am disposed to think that we shall be able to deal with them as they successively arise."

The formal reply to the inquiry about a young lawyer's success at the bar was in Mr. Bonaparte's serious and correct style of public composition but it was less attractive and really meant no more than his burlesque poetry.

"A young man can achieve success at the bar," he said, "first, by being fitted by nature and education to practice at it; secondly, by working hard, attending to his business, avoiding bad habits, bad company and extravagance, and doing well all the work that he gets a chance to do. According to my observation, he is almost sure to get a practice in time, if he deserves to get one, and if he lives long enough."

There was a desire to provoke some talk about President Roosevelt, to arouse recollection and thus produce an incident or a fact historically important. Therefore, I asked: "When did you become acquainted with the President?"

As well might some other man than Moses have smitten the Rock of Horeb. "I became personally acquainted with President Roosevelt in February, 1889." Exact as mathematics, but lifeless and dreary as an African desert.

"You have never visited Europe?" nephew of Napoleon should live for fifty-five years and keep away from France. Perhaps he woul tell the reason. Wouldn't he like to see Paris? The famous Bois de Boulogne, its water, trees and flowers? The Champs-Elysees, where the French legions, back from conquest under Napoleon, heard the raptured shouts of the nation and where liberty was wrought out in the oratory which preceded revolution? And the Louvre made still greater and more magnificent by two Bonapartes, both emperors? Poetry, romance and tragedy were within the husks of the question. The answer was a linguistic vacuum.

"It is true that I have never visited Europe," Secretary Bonaparte wrote. "I expected to do so immediately after leaving college, but circumstances prevented my going at that time, and I have never found any leisure since."

BONAPARTE-PATTERSON.

While Napoleon I. was ringing the bells of Christendom and calling the world to arms or into the streets, Jerome, his youngest brother, a naval officer, whose ship was blockaded by English cruisers in a port of the West Indies, succeeded in getting to Boston, whence he purposed to sail for France. But cupid caught him. Seized upon by the public and society, paraded through the East because of his name, he met Elizabeth Patterson, the daughter of a rich Baltimore merchant and ship owner. He was past 19 and she was two months and twenty-one days younger. Archbishop John Carroll, head of the Roman Catholic church in the United States, married them. In a year they sailed for Europe in one of her father's vessels.

The sad fate of Betsy Patterson was more than one of the minor crimes which blackened Napoleon's reputation. Madame Bonaparte was forcibly prevented from landing on the continent of Europe. Her husband, leaving her side, hastened to Paris to appeal in person to his brother. She saw him no more. He traded his heart, and it is not denied that he loved his wife, for the crown of Westphalia. Abandoned, Madame Bonaparte found refuge in England. There, soon after, her son was born. The son, also Jerome Bonaparte, lived much in Europe with his mother, once met his father by appointment, later was admitted to Harvard, where he excelled in mathematics, and at the age of 23, married Susan May Williams of Baltimore, whose family had come from New England. This man was the father of the Secretary of the Navy.

It is said that Elizabeth Patterson Bonaparte crossed the Atlantic Ocean sixteen times. She divided her life between Europe and Baltimore. But her wit, her irreproachable conduct, her wisdom and her tact and readiness in every circumstance of life were more celebrated abroad than at home. Her husband offered her a title and $60,000 a year. She rejected both. Napoleon had broken her heart but she admired his genius, declared him to be one of the greatest men in history and accepted an annuity of $12,000 from him. "I would prefer," she is said to have remarked in this connection, "to find shelter under an eagle's wing than to be suspended from the bill of a goose."

When Napoleon was sent to St. Helena she returned to Paris where she was ardently welcomed by the aristocracy of France. Indeed, she was highly esteemed and gladly received in all the capitals of Europe, and her marriage, sanctioned by the Pope, was everywhere recognized except among the Bonapartes. Her last years were spent in Baltimore and in a boarding-house, so her local history runs, although she was the owner of many buildings, much land and other property. She drove good bargains, carried a red cotton umbrella and wore a yellow feather in her

If tradition and personal would unbuckle only for Elizabeth Patterson Bonaparte well. She did not die until I was 28 years of age, years previous to her death ed to her business affairs so far successful in such she accumulated a consider erty."

How to Cool Water

When a native woman of broiling hot little village Nicaragua wants to cool she sets about it in a way lated to cool herself. The tive woman looks frail but there is no suspicion about her process of She fills a half-gallon about two-thirds full. of baked clay, and not partially porous, so that comes moist on the outside of two leathern straps to the neck of the jar causes the same to rotate air. The mouth is wide trifugal action keeps the flying out. The endurance by the woman is marvelous the operator thinks the ficiently cooled she stops ment by a dexterous twist and hands the jar to the been waiting. It is said less tepid water can be temperature of a cool mou

Parisian's Bread

There is no city in the so much bread is consume Paris. It is estimated that habitant eats one pound average. Even in past French—especially Parisian horor of stale bread. And days people manufactured bread, they had a curious ing it palatable.

Strange as it may seem, they prepared—huge round slabs—was used as a dish the meat was carved, the name of "tranchoire." The juice of the meat etrated into the bread pleasant taste and prevent becoming dry.—[The Bystander.

Col. Edward E. Drake missary, Department of has returned to San Fran two months' leave of absence Europe.

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Reasons for People Who Reason



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Prices $1000 to $2000

Terms: One-Fourth, balance to suit. Restrictions $2500 to $3500

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...Rowland Heights..

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...ION SHOW ...AT CAPITOL.

...Crowds Galleries at ...ning of Congress.

...Joe's" Face Beams ...elcome Accorded.

...Changes Coming ...plomatic Corps.

...RESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]
...TON, Dec. 2.—The opening ... this week gave Washing... opportunity to witness ... spectacle, which, though ... frequent, is ever inter... to American people. No ...kind of money making and ... Uncle Sam's children ... do not willingly lose ... to see an act of history-... the national Capitol. Resi... District are peculiarly ... the influence of such oc... it would be a poor and ... Congress that would fail ... to the galleries of House ... the annual opening.

...the Speaker's order pro... flowers, which are sent to ... great quantities, from ... to the floor of the House ... and of the Senate ... brilliant than simi... former years, the usual ... filling every avail... the encircling walls, ... several doorways, ... of would-be spectators ... the corridors waiting ... of admittance through ... of those who became ... hungry after their long ... appointed hour for con...

...many people arrive? ... Carriages and ... the cream, while ... independent Jehus, who ... in front of Willard's ... long enough to turn ... carried the skim ... appreciating Nature's ... came in a way ... and, and much more ... by carriage on a ... morning. I refer to ... Cannon, Sen... Senator Perkins of ... their way along the ... towards, stopping here ... a greeting with ... a glance at the ... displayed in the ... room.

...the House or Sen... though he or she had ... practically sealed in ... as is disbossed of ... as the immunesity ... is realized. There ... the Republican side ... is such a placid, ... on the faces of ... as to say, "We ... way." The Demo... in the minori... Republicans have ... seats in close ... of their op... and again illus-trating as true, the axiom, "Politics makes strange bed fellows."

The warmth of the welcome given to Speaker Cannon as he entered just before noon was unmistakable. "Uncle Joe's" face beamed with pleasure as he waited with gavel in hand for the applause to subside, and the smile had not entirely disappeared when, later in the day, he was seen wending his weary way to the family home on Vermont avenue, where a loving daughter awaited his return with a welcome prompted by an affection deeper even than that shown by his colleagues in the morning.

A somewhat smaller though not less interesting crowd of spectators witnessed the second day's opening of Congress, when, according to threadbare custom, the President's message to the country-at-large, and the lawmakers in particular, was read at each end of the Capitol.

When the reading began the gallery known as the "Gentlemen's" was filled with masculines representing various stages of the prosperity supposed to be abroad in the land. As usual in a gathering of "mere men" there was great similarity in the matter of dress, and, let us be thankful, positively no color contrasts in their outer garments. How different was the ladies' gallery, where human butterflies of all ages and sizes, all races and nearly all nationalities were assembled. There was the flannelless, lingerie-wisted girl beside a dowager hostess looking comfortable and elegant in a velvet robe, her coat of ermine thrown gently back from the shoulders. There, too, was the autumn bride, arrayed in one of Fashion's latest modes, with the tiniest hat she could find, completing the stylish, if not too becoming outfit. A little to her right sat a demure person whom everybody seemed to know or wanted to meet. The tout ensemble of her costume was so perfect that no detail obtruded itself, and one was vaguely conscious that here was a woman stylishly gowned though apparently not in style. Each was typical of a class and is to be found in almost every representative gathering of femininity.

Mademoiselle Des Portes de la Fosse, daughter of the first secretary and councilor of the French embassy, who has just returned from a four months' visit to Paris, appeared in the gallery kept sacred to the use of members of the Diplomatic Corps, and was clad in the most ultra garment seen at the Capitol that day, or in fact, on the streets of Washington this season. It is of garnet cloth, very heavy and shiny. The skirt is of the circular variety, trimmed at the hem with three wide, very full ruffles of the cloth, each headed with black silk braid about three inches wide. The jacket comes well below the hips, and ends in a decided ripple, without a line to suggest the loose effects which American tailors have forced on unwilling victims from Palm Beach to Portland, and from Boston to Los Angeles.

A picturesque contrast to mademoiselle's costume is to be seen almost daily in the neighborhood of the Dutch legation here. It is worn by the nursemaid of Mme. Von Swinderen (née Miss Glover of Washington,) and consists of the gay head-dress and embroidered finery of the Dutch peasant class. The maid's yellow skirt, fully three inches from the ground, shows to advantage, a pair of wooden shoes which came straight from Holland, and which her mistress hopes cannot be duplicated in this country. A necklace of gold and silver beads, with a stiff-looking wrap on very cold days, completes the outfit of an individual who is sure to be the cynosure of all eyes when she appears on the street with her tiny charge.

It is not a long call from this carefully-tended youngest member of the diplomatic colony to her father's colleague, the senior Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary, so we leave the Dutch legation and its nursery, to take a glance at the official home of Sweden, where the last order of King Oscar is being carried into effect. Here all is commotion for Mr. A. Grip, for seventeen years its chief, is preparing to leave this country forever, in response to his King's request. Mr. Grip has been very popular during his residence in Washington and sincere regret is expressed at his recall. He came accredited to the Harrison administration as Minister from Norway and Sweden. When the north countries dissolved partnership, more than a year ago, he was the only native of Norway in the joint diplomatic service who remained loyal to the older government, and was continued here as the representative of Sweden, while his secretary, Mr. M. Hauge, also a Norseman, cast his lot with his fellow-countrymen and was made the Minister from Norway, soon after the coronation of King Haakon.

The going away of Mr. Grip will elevate another bachelor, Mr. Constantin Brun of Denmark, to the rank of senior Foreign Minister to this capital.

In former years this position carried with it great prestige and the title of dean of the Diplomatic Corps, but now there are nine Ambassadors who, though their term of office be much less than his, ranked ahead of the senior Minister on the social calendar.

A flutter in local diplomatic circles has been caused by the recent criticisms in London of the British Ambassador to Washington, whose retirement has a touch of mystery about it, quite incomprehensible to his friends in America. To be sure the German Ambassador is on a more familiar footing at the White House, but jealous Britishers might remember that the friendship between Baron Speck von Sternberg and the President antedates the coming of the former as the highest German official in Washington. Moreover, the latter's wife is an American, so that if Mr. Roosevelt and the German Ambassador call each other "Specky" and "Teddy," when not on dress parade, it is no reflection upon Sir Mortimer's ability as a diplomat or Lady Durand's success as mistress of the British embassy.

Society has finally said good-by to Hon. Lady Alan Johnstone, wife of the British Minister to Denmark, who sailed for Europe on Saturday, after a six weeks' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pinchot of New York and Washington. While in this country Lady Johnstone was royally entertained and it is doubtful if her personal friends or the confreres of her distinguished husband in the Diplomatic Corps could have done more for her had they known that Sir Alan was being urged as the next Ambassador from Great Britain to the United States. As it was, she was the most socially honored guest of the fall season, among her hosts being the present British Ambassador and Lady Durand, who gave a dinner of thirty covers for her at the embassy.

GRACE BETER HOPKINS.

Heirs Wealth and Title.

D. L. Bathurst, a clerk in the New York postoffice, expects soon to secure a goodly share of $3,000,000 and wear the title of baron of Lachaide. He has just returned from England, where he established his claim, and is now awaiting the necessary legal process to come into his own. He discovered that he is the eleventh baron of Lachlade, being a direct descendant of Sir Francis Bathurst, fifth baron of Lachlade, who came to America with Governor James Oglethorpe of Georgia in 1733. Bathurst says he will make Pueblo his home.

THEY AIM TO STEP TO HUNDRED YEARS.

ONE of the most interesting and novel features of woman's club life in this city is the One Hundred-Year Club. It meets oftener than that, however. The object in giving it that long-time title is the hope each member shall live to be a century old, and that the club will live forever and a day. The women believe they have found the secret of prolonging life—the philosopher's stone, perhaps—and this elixir so much sought after by alchemists in the Middle Ages, is simply bodily exercise, mainly walking. This Hundred-Year Club meets once a month and selects a route for a walking expedition. They discuss the various picturesque sections near Los Angeles away from the railroads, and resolve to go in a bevy on a stated day. There are thirty-five members, and nearly all are on hand when these sprinting pilgrimages start. The extent of the journey is from ten to fifteen miles and return ordinarily; but, if there are accommodations en route, the excursion is extended to two days, the distance footed being fifteen or twenty miles a day, according to the condition of the roads or trails. Their plan, in visiting a remote interior point, is to go by rail to the nearest station, and foot it the remaining distance. At the village they change street dress for walking costume. The paraphernalia of the women is piled on a burro, and this is driven along ahead of the pilgrims like that of a prospector in search of a mine. The women leave nothing to chance. In addition, a supply of coffee, chocolate and fruits is taken along, and when a halt is called for rest, luncheon is in order.

The last expedition was up the Mt. Wilson trail. In negligee costume the women started for the 6000-foot climb from Sierra Madre, the burro in the lead with their street wardrobes. As they continued along the zig-zag path, winding along precipices and skirting cañons, new wonders were revealed. At this season, bordering on winter, the lowlands are splotched with red, green, yellow, and other colors, like the figures of an Oriental carpet. The trails lead in and out of deep cañons and pine forests, and at one point, about half-way up, a beautiful vista opens—the San Gabriel Valley below and the grand Pacific Ocean thirty-five miles beyond.

About half way up is picturesque Cañon del Noche (Cañon of the Night.) It is so named because the forests of great trees cast their long dark shadows over the cañon, giving to it the gloomy appearance of night, even at mid-day. At this somber and silent spot the women quickened their pace, and those whistled who could. Not that they were scared, but they felt less lonesome, like the boy who whistles in passing a graveyard.

A mile beyond Orchard Camp, four and a-half miles up the trail, the unexpected happened. The walkers had not consulted the Weather Bureau, and, perhaps it would have made no difference if they had. Mountain weather does not fit guesses for a lower altitude. The weather was raw, and a very fresh breeze blew in from the ocean. Then there was sleet, hail, finally snow. Some of them had never seen the fleecy article at short range, and Mrs. Welbers, the captain of the expedition, had not seen snow in twenty years, except the white mantel on the summit of Mt. Antonio, from Los Angeles.

While the snowstorm was at its worst the burro began to kick, and started down the trail—with the wardrobes. This created a panic. They did not faint, nor scream, but several did lively sprinting, and brought the rebellious beast back, thus avoiding the awkward predicament of returning to the city in their mountain costume.

The trip of four and a-half miles was made in two hours. It was not a speed contest, but for pleasure and exercise. The walking was at a quickened pace, and there were stops at the various picturesque points for rest and to view the magnificent scenery. The return trip was made in three-quarters of an hour. The women unite in saying that it was a "lovely outing," even considering the snowstorm, which is an event in one's life in this almost snowless land; and, as for the burro—well, that was amusing, too!

In these walking outings they do not run foot-races, nor are there speed trials. They are mapped out for exercise, which gives health. In walking, says Mrs. Welbers, the president, "the entire body is exercised, all the muscles are properly developed, the lungs are made stronger and healthier, and breathing is better regulated. We consider this form of exercise more beneficial than gymnastics, dumb-bell exercises, calisthenics, or the more violent athletics, for walking is natural, and if the body is held in proper position a person can walk a long distance without the least fatigue. The exercise is healthful in every way. One of the members of our club is 70 years of age, and at the end of a journey, she shows no more fatigue than the others. We walk with the body erect, head up, breathing naturally, and place the foot square upon the ground, slightly resting upon the ball of the foot. The great majority strike the heel on the ground, which jars the body and soon gives one the headache. Walking is the best and most healthful exercise one can take."

The other officers of the Hundred-Year Club are: Mrs. Emma Edgerton, first vice-president; Mrs. McCollough, second vice-president; Mrs. J. P. Duane, treasurer; Mrs. Lulu P. Little, secretary.

Gen. Shafter on Fat Men.

Weighing scarcely less, if not more, than 400 pounds, Shafter had a profound aversion for fat men, either as enlisted men or officers.

"They're no account for soldiering," he would bluster in his tremendous basso. "They pant, they wheeze, they snort, they choke, they grunt, they groan, they waddle, they slouch through the world. Not a particle of good on earth, fat soldiers—would not have one of 'em around if I could help it."

"Er—but—er—you would not exactly—er—call yourself slight, would you, colonel?" a venturesome major once asked Shafter after one of these outbursts.

"Slight?" No!" Shafter thundered in reply. "H—ll, no. I've been a fat, blobby old nuisance ever since the day I tipped the beam at over 200 pounds, and right then I ought to've been court-martialed and cashiered for outrageous and malicious adiposity, sir—for scandalous corpulence to the prejudice of military discipline."—[Washington Star.

A WEAK-MINDED PAIR.

Woman Wants Cure for Glass in Her Stomach and Husband Forgets His Wife's Name.

[Washington Post:] When Mrs. Virginia Garland, thirty-two years old, entered the office of Inspector Boardman, at police headquarters, last night, with an empty condensed milk can in her hand, and urged the inspector to go to the nearest drug store and purchase for her a bottle of patent medicine to cure her of "glass in the stomach," the head of the Washington detective force was, to use his own words, "flabbergasted." But when, at the First precinct station, an hour later, the woman's husband, William Garland, employed at the Central Union Mission, solemnly declared that although she was his wife, he had forgotten her name, Desk Sergt. Sanford nearly fell off his swivel chair.

Mrs. Garland was locked up at the First precinct station charged with insanity. When her husband was summoned to the station to identify Mrs. Garland, he declared instantly that the woman was his wife. Desk Sergt. Sanford said a few appropriate words of sympathy and then asked for her full name.

Garland scratched his head reflectively, and replied:

"I dunno. I clean forgot it."

"Say, my dear sir," exclaimed Sanford, impatiently, "this is no time for levity. Tell me your wife's name. Her last name is Garland; now what is—"

"But her last name isn't Garland," interrupted Garland; "it's Darling—D-a-r-l-i-n-g. That is, I think it is, but I don't remember distinctly."

"You mean," said the sergeant, sympathetically, "that her maiden name was Darling."

Whereupon Mr. Garland replied emphatically that he did not mean anything of the kind; that he knew what he was talking about, and that although his own name was Garland, his wife had one of her own, and he had forgotten it.

While Garland was holding his conference with the mystified desk sergeant, his unfortunate wife, in the female ward upstairs, was explaining her troubles to the matron.

"Some time ago," said Mrs. Garland, "I ate a few pieces of glass to cure mydyspepsia. It never did agree with me, so, having heard of a certain brand of patent medicine which is good for it, I have been buying it at the different drug stores here. But each bottle of medicine has been tampered with, so I called on the police to get me a bottle of the real stuff. The police requested me to wait here, and the chief has sent out fifty mounted officers to investigate."

Mrs. Garland will be sent to St. Elizabeth's Insane Asylum. Her husband has been requested by the First precinct authorities to rack his memory and see if he cannot find the name which has slipped his mind.

THE DEAF MADE TO HEAR

The Story of the Electrical Engineer, George P. Way, Whose Lost Hearing Was Restored by His Invention

About eight years Mr. Geo. P. Way, electrical engineer of the Detroit Young Men's Christian Association, could scarcely hear the roaring of his own engines and dynamos as he passed among them. Today he is to all appearances possessed of perfect hearing. Yet when he removes two tiny devices from his ears he is quite as badly off as before.



Mr. Way's deafness had been increasing for years, until it had reached the point where he was unable to hear his wife's voice across the dinner table, and his usefulness as an engineer was seriously threatened. It happened as Mr. Way tells the story, that he was at his post in the dyhamo room one day nearly eight years ago, and as the buzzing in his ears bothered him more than usual he placed a curiously shaped tuft of cotton in his right ear. Then a most thrilling thing happened. In the midst of the perpetual silence that is the torment of one shut off from the sounds of the busy world, there came a terrible crashing sound, as of an earthquake, and Mr. Way bounded across the room, terror stricken.

Then the amazed engineer sat down in his chair and tried to realize what had happened. Unconsciously he pulled the tuft from his ear. Instantly he returned to the eternal silence that had enveloped him for years. The sound of the machinery came to him as far away; he no longer heard his assistant's curious questions. Then the truth came to him and he realized that a new day had dawned for him. Mr. Way rushed home to tell his wife the good news; they were all amazed. Then for five years, he experimented constantly to put his accidental discovery to use.

The Way Ear Drum was the result of his labors, and he wore it with splendid results. Others, of course, heard of the marvel and he was overwhelmed with requests for one of these little ear phones from friends as well as from people whom he never knew.



SHOWING POSITION OF DRUM IN THE EAR

Literally thousands of the drums have been sold in every part of the country, and the present volume of sales runs into hundreds of pairs weekly.

With these little ear drums in the ears it is almost impossible for any catarrh to take place. Mr. Way, whose home office is in the Majestic Bldg., Detroit, Mich., believes that there are very few cases of deafness that his drums will not relieve.

Mr. Way will be in Los Angeles at the Angelus Hotel, December 10th to 15th, inclusive. All who are deaf should be sure to call on him, as it will cost nothing to learn whether he can help you or not.

Take the elevator and the attendant will show you to Mr. Way's parlors.

After residing in Los Angeles for 17 years I have chosen the Wilshire Boulevard District for the location of my home. I am satisfied that it has the elements of an ideal home section—high, thoroughly restricted, close in. I am at present erecting a residence on my property.

W. D. LONGYEAR,
Cashier Security Savings Bank.

I have purchased a residence site in the Wilshire Boulevard District and will eventually build my home there. I believe that Wilshire Boulevard will be the finest driveway in California. The district is, to my mind, the best residential section of Los Angeles, and is developing rapidly.

ROBERT WANKOWSKI,
Cashier Los Angeles Trust Co.

Wilshire Boulevard

The Finest Residence Section of Los Angeles—The Best

The character of people who have bought property in the Wilshire Boulevard District can be depended to be a credit to the community of this wonderful section. Scores of new homes would be built this year, adding link after link to the chain of beautiful homes which will make this the finest residence district. We mention a few of the reasons why this section appeals to those to whom Wilshire property appeals. If you make your home in the Wilshire Boulevard District you will be close in---you will be protected in your investment by restrictions and improvements---you will be in a splendidly improved section---your home will be surrounded by other homes of the best class in the community. See the Wilshire Boulevard District a month from now. Property here is selling rapidly. Growing demand for property is growing faster than the supply. If you want a home, or merely desire a good, substantial, safe investment, the property here will appeal to you.

For Information Regarding the Communication with Any of the Firms Named Herewith

WILSHIRE DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

What I like about the district is the fact that it is protected and closer in than any other well restricted section. The high ground appeals to me. I am now building a home on my property.

J. B. BERNER,
Matheson & Berner.

Property in the Wilshire Boulevard District appeals to me as a splendid investment. This section has heretofore been overlooked. It is high, near the business center and surrounded by restrictions that protect owners in their improvements. The development of the district is a splendid thing for Los Angeles, and I expect to see here the finest residential section of the city.

J. J. BERGIN,
Vice Pres. and Secr. of the Los Angeles Soap Co.

I purchased property in the Wilshire Boulevard District because it appealed to me as an ideal residence section. The development that has taken place here in the last year is remarkable. I am very much pleased with my purchase and hope to erect a home on it before long.

FRED A. HINES,
Equitable Life Assurance Society.

What I like about the Wilshire Boulevard District is its location and the restrictions which protect it. Another feature that appeals to me is the fact that this fine section is close in. I have purchased there and am going to build on my property.

E. B. TUFTS,
Tufts-Lyons Arms Co.

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I bought a lot in the District, as did Mr. Frank of the Harris & Frank Co. The natural trend of the city's growth seems to be that way. I have always had an eye on this section and consider it the future fine residence district of Los Angeles.

M. C. ADLER,
Adler Clothing Co.

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Walnut Growing in Southern California.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE INDUSTRY FROM THE SELECTION OF TREES TO GATHERING THE NUTS.

By Will A. Smith.

[SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

BIGNESS is a California characteristic. The State itself is big; its industries are big, and so are the revenues which they return to their owners. One of these industries—the growing of English walnuts commercially—brings into the State each year more than two million dollars. The bulk of the crop is sold outside of California, and adds more than a million dollars to the purchasing power of the State.

Walnut growing has much to commend it to the investor of moderate means, among its specific advantages being the following: First, the margin of profit is large. It is a common saying that the California walnut grower picks gold dollars from his trees. Good authorities say that a ten-acre walnut orchard will show four times the profit of the same acreage planted to alfalfa, five times that of corn, and year after year will do fully as well as either oranges or lemons.

Second, when well established, the walnut orchard needs far less care than oranges or lemons, or almost any other orchard, often leaving the rancher three-fourths of his time for other work.

Third, overproduction will never threaten the industry. This is certain for several reasons. Land adapted to walnut culture is limited in area, while both demand and consumption are constantly increasing. For the past ten years the crop of nuts has grown bigger with each succeeding year, and yet we are not yet able to supply the demand for the nuts in America alone.

Fourth, the marketing of the product of a walnut orchard presents fewer problems than does the output in any other branch of horticulture. If conditions are not right to bring the grower high prices in the North or in the East, the nuts can be shipped to a more favorable spot, or held in good condition for months. Compare this for a moment with almost any other orchard product undergoing the same test, and the advantage needs no further elaboration.

It has been said that the walnut tree is the longest lived of any orchard planting. This statement has yet to be proved in California, as the industry has assumed commercial importance in recent years, but scattered trees of uncertain age and statistics from other countries would seem to indicate its truth.

THRIFTY OLD TREES.

On the old Passon's ranch at Rivera stand some of the oldest walnut trees in southern California. They were planted fifty-four years ago, and are giants for size, their gray branches giving the appearance of an age far greater than that claimed for them.

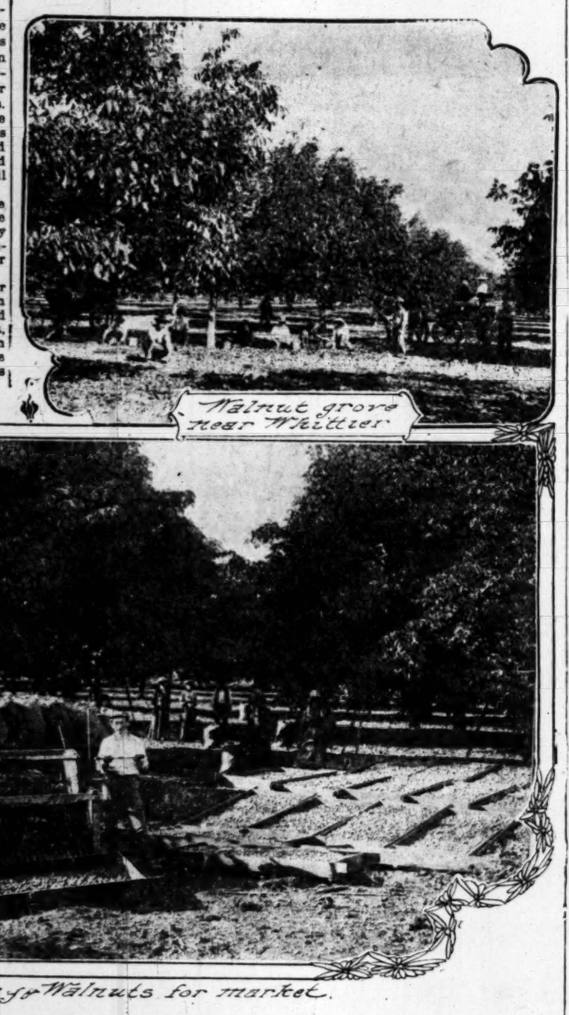
A few years ago this orchard was considered past its profit-bringing age. The trees bore only a few nuts, and those were of inferior size. The owner of the orchard planned to cut out the old trees, and actually did cut down most of his orchard. Other work proved pressing, however, and a few of the trees escaped, to stand almost alone, and bathed in sunshine where before their crowded condition allowed but little sun to penetrate their branches.

What was the orchardist's astonishment at the next harvest time to find that the old trees had responded amazingly to this treatment, yielding more nuts, and of a superior size. Thus the old trees vindicated themselves, proving that they had refused to bear abundantly before, not because of old age, but by reason of starvation in both root and branch. Now, with careful and thorough cultivation, judicious pruning and with far more room and sunshine, they bid fair to set a new record for California's trees.

Ferdinand Valla, a walnut rancher of Los Nietos, whose grandparents were walnut growers in France, is authority for the statement that French walnut trees often live and bear for several centuries. His grandfather's orchard was one of these old ones, having been planted, says Mr. Valla, in the fifteenth century. The trees are said to be still alive and vigorous.

One difference there is, though, in the French and California methods of planting which would tend to the advantage of the foreign orchard. In France the trees are planted along roadways, around paths and beside streams. Here each tree has far more sunshine, and a practically unlimited area in which to expand its roots and branches. In our own State the growers are now studying this question more closely than ever before, and are planting the young orchards so as to give each tree more room.

The history of the walnut tree is interesting. It is a native of Armenia and Northern India, and was introduced long centuries ago into Greece, Italy, Spain and France, and at a much later date, into England. In all these countries it still flourishes, and is grown for the nuts, the oil (pressed from the nuts much as is olive oil,) and for the wood.



Walnut grove near Whittier.

Preparing Walnuts for market.

THE WALNUT'S ADVENT.

To our own sun-warmed country the walnut was brought by the Spanish priests, along with the orange, lemon, lime, olive and grape. These fruits have stood the test of centuries and California orchards are today a living monument to the far-sightedness of the mission padres.

From the walnut trees of the Fathers came the old hard-shell nuts, planted so extensively in past years, which have proved veritable gold mines for their owners.

Of late years this nut, good as it is, has been relegated somewhat to the background, giving way to the soft-shell. This latter has been planted on thousands of acres and is one of the prominent features of most California landscapes.

The soft-shell was introduced into California in this way: About fifty years ago a vessel sailed from Chili, bound for San Francisco. In its cargo was a small consignment—only three sacks—of Chilean walnuts. These were purchased by a Mr. Sexton of Santa Barbara, who planted some of them on his ranch. As the years went by the trees grew and bore and their nuts were marketed in San Francisco. Finally one dealer, more shrewd and progressive than the others, demanded that all nuts sent to him should be of a certain standard, both as regarded size and softness of shell.

Sexton investigated his orchard, and found that only a few of his trees bore nuts of this required standard. Thereafter these softer-shelled nuts were kept separate and sold for a better price.

Here, then, began the California soft-shell walnut, and from this it has grown and flourished till it is known in every civilized land.

In the Rivera—Los Nietos section—the oldest walnut district in Los Angeles county, these nuts, known as the Santa Barbara soft-shells, have been grown for the past quarter century. The founder of the industry here was L. L. Bequette, who still lives at Rivera and markets each year a goodly quantity of walnuts. Twenty-five years ago this veteran was the owner of a large nursery, devoted to the propagation of choice roses, oranges, etc.

He obtained a quantity of the Santa Barbara nuts, planted them and soon had a greater demand for the young trees than he could supply. His nursery was part of the eighty-eight-acre ranch, known as the Bermudez tract, on which the townsite of Rivera is now situated. From the walnut orchards of this section, now covered by miles of waving walnut branches, comes an annual income of three-fourths of a million dollars.

CARE OF THE ORCHARDS.

Each grower has his own problems and his own favorite method of planting and caring for his orchard. But all are agreed upon the following points: First, the soil should be at least ten feet deep and free from hard pan. Second, the location should be nearly if not quite frostless (a well-drained slope with a mixed alluvial and adobe soil, not too dry, seems ideal for the tree.) Third, the irrigation method of caring for the trees is by far the most satisfactory, although not necessary, as is proved by several La Habra orchards which have never been irrigated, and which are both thrifty and profitable. Fourth, the trees should not be set close together—crowding has caused the ruin of more than one orchard. Speaking of this, Secretary H. A. Montgomery, of the Walnut Growers' Association of Southern California, and an orchardist, who has studied the questions relating to this industry from the broad standpoint of a successful rancher and business man, says: "I consider that walnut trees on rich land should be planted seventy feet apart to get the best results. Twenty-year-old walnut trees, set ten to the acre will approximate a ton of nuts to the acre, while trees of the same age, set twenty to the acre, will average a production of half a ton to the acre."

The nut harvest comes during October and November. The cool, foggy nights of the fall cause the husks to become loosened, and the nuts fall to the ground. Pickers go through the orchards at least twice, and at the last beat the trees to get the few nuts which have falled to drop. Men, women and children unite in this work. Mexicans and Indians, coming from no one knows where for the two months of harvest. The camps, under the gray branches of the walnut orchards, are picturesque in the extreme, the swarthy campers, around their campfires looking quite like a gypsy gathering. After the work of the day the pickers gather for the inevitable game of cards, an out-of-door dance, or a barbecue. When the harvest is over, the pickers disappear again, and the orchards once more assume their normal appearance.

BENEFIT OF CO-OPERATION.

Diverse as may be the growers' opinions as to the proper method of caring for their orchards, on the marketing question only one answer seems to have been found. This answer is coöperation, as it comes through the Walnut Growers' Association of Southern California. Included in this organization, which yearly handles three-fourths of the State crop, are included twelve associations with a membership of about one thousand growers. The association's are scattered through Los Angeles, Orange, Ventura and Santa Barbara counties. The oldest is the Los Nietos and Ranchito associations, with headquarters at Rivera, and a second packing-house at Los Nietos. This organization has been doing business since 1887 and each year disburses one-third of a million dollars to its three hundred or so members. The other associations are the Fullerton, Golden Belt with headquarters at Placentia, Santa Ana Valley, Mountain View with headquarters at El Monte, Santa Paula, Saticoy, Santa Barbara county, Oxnard, San Gabriel, San Fernando Valley and Pasadena.

These twelve associations aggregate an output of six hundred cars, handling three-fourths of the California crop, and distributing to their thousand members one and one-half million dollars each year.

The coöperation idea finds expression in the preliminary processes, as well as the marketing proper. The rancher has but to pick, wash and haul the nuts to the packing-houses. Here the grading, blending, bleaching, packing and shipping are attended to for him at a far smaller cost than if he did the work for himself.

The writer had a chance to inspect the up-to-date machinery for handling the nuts at the Rivera walnut house recently, and very interesting he found it. The great American public, which clamors for a bright red tomato catsup and really green canned peas demands also that the shells of the walnut be lighter in color than nature provides. Happily this consumer can be accommodated without injury being done to the meat of the walnut. Bleaching machinery, to dip the nuts in a chemical bath, and then to again wash them, is now installed in many of the walnut houses. This process has displaced one for a similar purpose in which sulphur was largely used. After the bleaching and grading of the nuts, they are passed onto a wide, elevated belt to big bins. At the Rivera house the twenty-two bins, each with a capacity of four tons, testify to the rushing times which this house witnesses each autumn.

Then comes the sacking of the nuts. Each spring Secretary Montgomery sends to Calcutta, India, for specially woven sacks, the number ordered being well above 50,000, and costing a small fortune. Each sub-association has its own brand stenciled on the sack, that of the Los Nietos and Ranchito associations being the totem of the State—the grizzly.

Buyers for big eastern firms place their orders for nuts early, and so even is the quality of the brands and so perfected the system of marketing that each association receives checks for its shipments as soon as the nuts are in the cars. Think what this would mean to the orange or lemon grower—the elimination of all possibility of "red ink" sales. Is it any wonder that the walnut growers consider the marketing question solved?

PRICES GROWERS RECEIVE.

Prices received for the nuts vary somewhat each year, but have invariably left the grower a good margin of profit. This year's schedule of prices is as follows: 11 cents per pound for first grade soft-shells; 10½ cents per pound for standards; 3 cents less for second grades.

The cost of marketing the harvest (the items including maintainance of building, interest on investment, work of bleaching, grading, blending and making ready for shipment) in the Los Nietos and Ranchito associations is barely 1 per cent. of the crop value. Some years it has been much smaller, dropping to one-half of 1 per cent., but with the installation of more expensive machinery and better methods of handling the crop, has come a slight increase in cost.

No more progressive set of ranchers are to be found than the members of the Walnut Growers' Association. They have not solved all their problems, any more than have other business men, but they are working hard and in union at the puzzles with a good chance to solve them. With a fine record in the past, with the present outlook satisfactory and all kinds of good things prophesied for the future, is it any wonder that the growing of walnuts is regarded as one of the most interesting and inviting branches of horticulture in which one can engage in Southern California?

POWER FROM WASTE GASES.

German's Have Been Making Considerable Progress to Utilize Them for Auxiliary Work.

Enormous possibilities for power generation exist in the waste gases discharged by blast furnaces, coke ovens and other metallurgical furnaces. Much greater progress has been made to utilize these in Germany than in other countries, says the Forum. It is estimated that the so-called lean gases discharged from the blast furnaces of Germany are capable of developing 1,000,000 horse power. There are now built and under construction in Germany gas engines for this purpose, aggregating 400,000 horse power. These are mostly in large units, one firm alone having constructed 140 engines, totaling 120,000 horse power.

The utilization of coke oven gases has proceded more slowly, although the gas discharged from such ovens is of a much higher calorific value than the lean blast furnace gas. The richer gas enables a greater power to be obtained from an engine of a given size than is possible with the poorer furnace gas, but the lean gas permits a higher degree of compression to be used without danger of premature ignition, this giving the somewhat paradoxical result that the poorer gas enables the higher thermal efficiency to be attained.

There is little doubt that the apparent reluctance on the part of iron manufacturers and metallurgists to install great gas power plants is largely due to the fact that the manufacture and sale of power is an altogether different business from any of the metallurgical industries and that in many instances a power plant is dependent upon local industries which have to be built up in the vicinity. Although a portion of the power of Niagara is transmitted to Buffalo, the greater part of the output is taken by the electro-chemical and other works situated near the power-house. The same plan is needed to obtain the best results from the utilization of furnace gases, since only a small proportion of the total power available is needed for driving blowing engines and other machinery about the iron works, and a profitable outlet must be provided for the remainder. To develop the 1,000,000 horse power which it is estimated is now being wasted in the discharge gases of the British metallurgical industries might well be the work of an altogether separate commercial organization.

A Negro Department Store.

A business organizatioft of negroes, known as the Metropolitan and Realty Company of New York City, announces that it has bought a building which would be remodeled and operated as a modern department store for negroes. The company has a capital of $1,000,000. The treasurer of the company is a graduate of Hampton Institute and the New York Law School. Already a number of enterprises have been started.

ALL AROUND MEN ARE NEEDED.

SHOULD KNOW MORE THAN ONE PART OF A TRADE.

Reason Why Men Who Adhere Closely to One Thing Are Unable to Obtain Employment at Times—The More a Man Knows the Better for Himself.

"This is certainly a bum town for a man out of work," said the man with the overalls under his arm. "They told me when they made me quit over at my old job that it wouldn't be any trick at all to go out and find a job in a couple of days or so. Couple of days! Here I've been walking around with my overalls rolled up for two weeks and haven't had a chance to unroll them yet. This may be a good town for some kinds of work, but for a machinist it's worse than poor. Why, I haven't even had a scab job offered me. Not that I'd take it, you understand, but it would show that there was something doing in my line, at least. But, no. Not a whisper of anything. I don't know just what I'm going to do this winter. Certainly no show for a job around here—not in my line."

"What is your line?" asked the man whom he had made his wail to.

"Machinist," I said.

"And you can't get any work?"

"I said I couldn't."

"Well, I've got a friend who is in the manufacturing business on a small scale. He makes oil cups. I happen to know that just now he wants a man in his shop, some one who can run an emery wheel, and a drill machine, and make himself generally useful at the vise and bench. It's a small place, and what he wants is an all around handy man in a machine shop. He'll pay the scale, too, and maybe a little better. I'll give you his address and you can go up and see him if you want to."

"O, well, I don't know if I could suit him. Might not do any good to go up. I'm a lathe hand, that's my trade. I never had much experience with anything else. I'm all right when I'm put on a lathe with a piece of work before me, but I don't know if I could make good on the kind of a job that you're speaking about. You know a machinist isn't supposed to know all about a shop. He learns his trade, and that's about all. I don't do much besides running a lathe; that's my trade."

"Then you couldn't take this job even if it was offered to you?"

"No, I don't think so. I probably couldn't make good even if I did take it. It's out of my line, you see."

"But it's a job."

"Yes, but when a fellow gets used to doing one thing he doesn't like to change. He can't change without a whole lot of trouble. I've had lots of chances for jobs like this—where it was to do something besides what I was used to. I couldn't take them. What was the use? I couldn't do the work."

And yet this man honestly believed that it was his trade, and conditions in this city that made it so hard for him to get work. He was as intelligent as the average man of his trade, and he probably was an efficient workman at his particular work. But there his qualifications ended. He could not or would not adapt himself to anything beyond the mere requirements of his trade. Had a job as lathe hand been offered him he would have taken it, filled it satisfactorily, and been among the prosperous army of the employed instead of the dilapidated one of those who walk the streets in a vain search for work. Had he been an all around machinist, willing and able to adapt himself to other work, he would have secured work without the slightest trouble. But he wasn't, he wasn't the "handy" machinist, so he stood on the curb and grumbled while other men went by on their way to work.

It doesn't matter much what industrial conditions are, how plentiful machinists are, and how apparently scarce employment is, it is safe to say that there always is a place for the handy machinist. This is the age of machinery, and of machine workers. Never was there such a time for mechanical invention and progress, never such a time of opportunities for the mechanical vocations.

"But," said the leader of organized machinists, "the trouble is that too many of our men construe this fact in the wrong way, and become 'mechanical' themselves. For the capable, all around man who can do almost anything around a small shop the trade is a good one, full of opportunities, and one in which he always is sure of steady employment at fairly good wages. For the other kind of machinist, the kind who lets himself degenerate into simply an intelligence for the direction of some machine, it is a poor one. He will find it hard to secure a position once he is put out, and he never will advance to anything worth while."

"Well, what do you call the all around machinist who can do this?"

"The fellow who keeps his eyes open in the shop where he learns his trade and who afterward keeps himself up on the things of his trade. In other words, a man who can do a whole lot of things that he doesn't have to do to hold a job as a machinist in a shop where each man has a certain kind of work to put through and nothing else. The trade probably is divided into half and half in this respect—one-half is handy, the other half is not. The latter class furnishes the great majority of machinists who are out of work for long periods.

LOGIC OF THE EMPLOYER.

The difference in the opportunities for employment and advancement between these two types of one trade hardly can be realized until the employer is heard from. It is the employer always who knows why a man is hired and why he is rejected.

"Look at my place here," said the owner of a machine shop who was approached on this subject. "I need three regular lathe hands, two drillers, three men at the wheels, and for the rest of the men—twelve in all—the work is of a diversified nature. They've got to do almost anything and everything about the place. There isn't work enough of any one particular kind to justify me in employing specialists for that alone. There is, however, enough work when the different kinds are put together to give employment to the dozens of men that I have mentioned. When a man comes in and seeks employment my first question is, 'What can you do?' While it is maintained in other lines of business that the reply of the applicant usually is to the effect that he can do everything, here it is quite different. As often as not the man admits that there is only one thing that he is skilled in. Some of them take a pride in this. It's a poor sort of a pride here. If they are all around men and able to fit in at the different kinds of work here they have about four times as good a chance for being engaged as if they were specialists.

MUCH EXPERIENCE NEEDED.

"Then, again, in the matter of advancement, the man with the general experience has the advantage over the other fellow. The fact that he has adapted himself to several kinds of work, and that he has the mechanical talent to do them satisfactorily is, of course, a big recommendation to begin with. It shows that he is of the right kind, interested in his work, and all that.

"The man who is not interested in his work is the fellow who only takes trouble to learn the things that are directly necessary to his work. Naturally he is not fitted for success in this line. Practically the whole thing is summed up in the assertion that the machinist who is going to help himself up through his trade should be one with talent and interest in his work. He'll find a way for something better somehow, unless, of course, he is lacking in the qualifications for success that rule all sorts of vocations and men."

The machinist often bewails the lack of opportunity for anything but "making a living" that prevails in his occupation. The probability is that the trouble is not with his trade any more than it is with himself. He has chances if he will only see them; and it devolves on him to see them and make the most of them if he wishes to succeed.—[Jonas Howard in Chicago Tribune.

POISON IN FRESH EGGS.

French Chemist Says Many Persons Are Poisoned by Freshly Laid Eggs.

That many people are poisoned by eggs, and not by spoiled eggs only, but often by those that are freshly laid and apparently good, is asserted by Dr. Andre le Coq, a French chemist, says the Literary Digest. Numerous cases of poisoning due to eclairs, or cream cakes, have occurred recently in Paris, and it was in the course of an investigation of these that Dr. Le Coq came to the conclusion that the toxic action was always the fault of the eggs in the custard, never of mineral poison introduced accidentally or of the other ingredients of the cream. Fresh eggs, he asserts, often become infected before they are laid. Says the Revue Scientifique, which derives its information from Dr. Le Coq's article in the Bulletin Commercial de la Pharmacie (Paris, July;)

"The white plays a more important part than the yolk and is generally at fault when the poisoning is due to fresh eggs, since it is commonly beaten up raw, while the yolk is sterilized by cooking. The microbes in it find in the sugar, milk and gelatin of the custard an extremely favorable culture-medium.

"The yolk does its work when the poisoning is due to decomposed eggs, for cooking cannot destroy the toxins and ptomains of putrefaction.

"Chemical analysis shows the presence, in the poisonous cakes or in the bodies of their victims, of alkaloidal substances not identifiable with any hitherto known, but as these analysis have been made after a considerable lapse of time, it cannot be positively affirmed that these toxins are not simply due to putrefaction.

"To guard against poisoning of this kind it is simply necessary to cook all parts of the egg, especially the white, in making the cream, prolonging the process sufficiently to insure perfect sterilization."

SHEEP DOG'S INTELLIGENCE.

Has a Personal Acquaintance With Each Member of the Flock.

What a herd dog has first to learn is to know everyone of 200 or 300 sheep, and to know them both by sight and smell. This he does thoroughly. When Watterson was running sheep on the plains he had a young collie not yet put to the herd, but kept about the pumping plant, says a writer in Harper's Magazine. As the sheep came in by hundreds to the troughs, the dog grew so to know them that when they had picked up a stray from another band he discovered it from afar off, and darting as a hornet, nipping and yelping, parted it out from the band. At the time no mere man would have pretended, without the aid of the brand, to recognize any of the thousands that bore it.

How long recollection stays by the dog is not certain, but at least a twelvemonth, as was proved to Filon Girard after he had lost a third of his band when the Santa Anna came roaring up the Lone Pine with a cloud of saffron dust on its wings. After shearing of next year, passing close to another band, Filon's dogs set themselves unbidden to routing out of it, and rounding with their own, nearly twenty head, which the herder, being an honest man, freely admitted he had picked up on the mesa following after Filon the spring before.

Quick to know the willful and unbiddable members of a flock, the wise collie is not sparing of bites, and following after a stubborn stray, will often throw it, and stand guard until help arrives or the sheep shows a better mind. But the herder who has a dog trained at the difficult work of herding sheep through the chutes and runways into boats and cars for transportation is the fortunate fellow.

There was Pete's dog, Bourdaloue, that, at the Stockton landing, with no assistance, put 800 wild sheep from the highlands on the boat in eight minutes, by running along the back of the flock until he had picked out the stubborn or stupid leaders that caused the sheep to jam in the runway, and by sharp bites set them forward, himself treading the backs of the moving flock, like the premiere equestrienne of the circus, which all the men of the shipping cheered to see.

SPANISH OLIVE CROP.

The Yield Is Only Two-thirds of the Average and in Some Districts Only One-third.

Having been requested to forecast the quantity and quality of the coming olive crop in Spain, Consul-General B. H. Ridgely of Barcelona, under date of October 27, reports that, according to the best information he can secure on the subject, the crop will be considerably below the average, which accounts for the fact that prices are 20 per cent. higher than in the month of June of the present year.

As to quality, the present indications are good, the fruit is generally in a healthy state, and unless it matures badly the crop, though relatively small, will be of excellent quality. In connection with this subject it may be interesting to know that the exportation of Spanish olives amounted to 7644 tons in 1905, as against 7592 tons in 1904 and 7592 tons in 1903.

In one report received at the Barcelona consulate on the subject of the coming crop the following details forecasts are made: In Andalusia, one-third of the usual crop, of good quality; Aragon, one-fourth of the usual crop, and of fine quality; Urgel, half crop, and of good quality; Tortosa, one-fourth of the usual crop, of good quality; Ampurdan, one-half crop, and of inferior quality; Mallorca, one-fifth of the usual crop, and of average quality. From this forecast it would appear that only about one-third of the usual marketable crop is to be counted upon. The majority of the forecasts, however, indicate a two-thirds crop.

Do the Poor Need the Rich.

Miss Giulia Morosini, daughter of the wealthy New York banker, recently was quoted as boasting of the fact that she spends $200,000 a year on her gowns and that she is never dressed in "anything imitation;" nevertheless she sought to justify her position by the fact that she thus puts money in circulation and makes employment for the poor. She asked: "What would the poor do if there were no rich to work for?" This was promptly taken up by Mrs. J. G. Phelps Stokes, who before her marriage was a wage worker. She said that though Miss Morosini might never wear imitation gowns, she lived an imitation life in that her moral poverty almost reached immodesty. Miss Morosino she regarded as typical of a class who takes 70 per cent. of the wealth produced by by workers and then returns 1 or 2 per cent. in the form of charity. Replying to the question what the poor would do without the rich to work for, Mrs. Stokes said: "God willing, they would work for themselves," and instead of making things for idlers they would make them for workers, who would return the courtesy by making other things in return. She defined Miss Morosini as a moral pauper.

Want to Run Postal Service.

W. D. Boyce, the wealthy Chicago publisher, has made a proposition to the postal commission in session at Washington to run the postoffice department as a private enterprise under full government regulation. He said he had a $50,000,000 corporation back of him, and that he would undertake to reduce postal rates one-half, establish a rural postal express, pay the government rental for offices and letters and charge regular rates for government parcels and letters; to improve the service in charge of a well-known traffic expert at a salary of $30,000, eliminate the deficit and to pay annually to the government all profits beyond 7 per cent. on the capital. He stated he has associated with him as advertiser, a manufacturer, a merchant and a capitalist. Many publishers have been heard in reference to the scale of second-class mail matter. Most of them opposed the proposed increase from 1 cent to 4 cents a pound.

The Most Precious Gem.

An official of the National Museum at Washington gives some facts not generally known concerning the relative values of diamonds and rubies.

According to the latest figures obtainable, a ruby weighing as much as five carats is worth ten times as much as a diamond of the same weight, even though the latter be of the first water. The ruby, therefore, instead of the diamond, is the material that embodies the most money value in the smallest compass.

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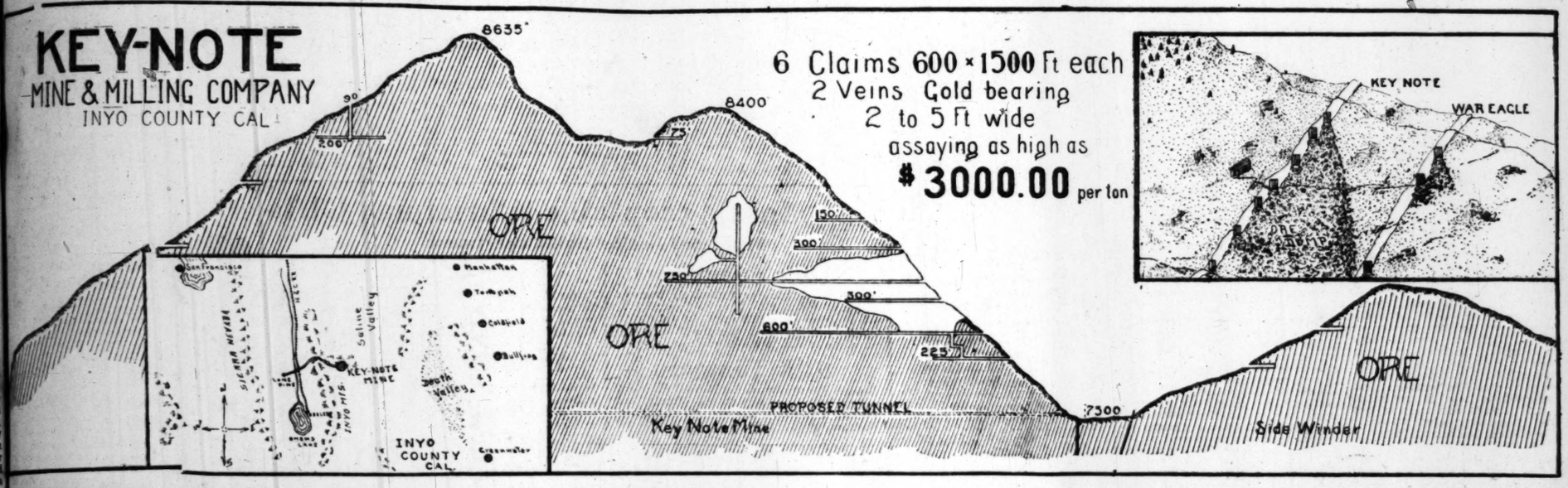
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The Greatest Opportunity for Investment Ever Presented to the American People-KeyNote 20c

Our first offering of the treasury stock of the great Keynote Mine of Inyo county at 20c per share.
Twenty thousand tons of ore now on the dump, which will plate better than $8.00 to the ton. Waits but the erection of a mill.
Not $8.00 by assay, but by actual mill test.
Figuring your stock at 20c per share, the value of this dump alone would mean 50 per cent. on the investment.
Actual value of ore in dump is really more than $160,000, enough to pay better than 10 per cent. on the entire capitalization of this company at $1,500.000.
Two great parallel true fissure ledges, with more than 2500 feet of tunneling at various places, showing ledge matter that will assay as high as $3000 in places, and this means that thousands of tons of ore are practically awaiting development.
The millable ore now in sight will run better than $20 to the ton.
Only small block of stock at 20c per share. Cash or installmetn of 10 per cent. down and 10 per cent. per month. Act quickly.
Authentic history and State reports show that this mine has produced millions practically at the surface.
These reports are in existence and are open for the inspection of any one. Why buy stock in a mere prospect or a lease when such inducements confront you?



The upper right-hand corner is an illustration showing the relative position of the two great fissure ledges, both 4500 ft. long, or exposing 9,000 feet of traceable ledge matter. The larger illustration shows the sectional view of the great Key Note Ledge, which is practically the same as the War Eagle. On one of these veins, not far from the surface, was extracted in one place over a million dollars. The illustration in the lower left-hand corner shows the geographical position of these mines.

The Great Key-Note Group Of Gold-Bearing Ledges

Their Status—Past, Present and Future

Statement of O. S. Williams

The property of the Keynote Mine & Milling Company consisted of seven (7) full sized claims, each 600 feet by 1500 feet; a water appropriation comprising a stream known as Hahn's Creek, Upper Springs and Keynote Springs, which appropriation furnishes more than sufficient water for all economical purposes; timber in close proximity to the mine workings, and a government permit for the cutting of all timber necessary.

These holdings are located in the Beveridge Mining District, Inyo County, State of California, on the eastern slope of the Inyo Mountains, at an elevation of 7500 feet and approximately 12 miles due east from the station known as Lone Pine, on the Southern & Colorado Railroad.

From the mine one can look down and across to the famed Death Valley country, and on further to well-known camps of Rhyolite, Goldfield, and Tonopah.

The Keynote ledge was discovered and located some twenty years ago, and previous to its acquirement by the Keynote Mine Milling Company the development of the mine and the extraction of the ores therefrom was of a greater or less spasmodic character. But notwithstanding the waste of time and labor, the crude machinery in service, and the misapplied efforts of the miners, this same mine has produced over One Million Dollars in bullion. If one will stop to consider that this bullion was saved by the primitive method of harnessing a mule to a heavy log and slowly dragging such stone over other stones and rock which was thrown the ore after having been broken by hammers to the size of an inch or such a matter, there will be some realization of the immense richness of these ores.

That this production was bona fide can be proven by authentic documents now in our possession, consisting of certified statements made by bankers who handled the bullion and official reports issued from the office of the State Mineralogist, all of which are open to inspection.

The excessive cost incurred by such methods precluded any possibility of working at a profit any ores of less value than $30 per ton, and such ores, of which there were thousands of tons developed with the high grade ores, were thrown over the dump as practically worthless.

The Keynote Mine & Milling Company, incorporated under the laws of Arizona, acquired by bond and purchase the property hereinbefore referred to and since such acquirement has proceeded continually with the development thereof.

There are two main veins similar in size, formation and value. These veins are parallel, about 600 feet apart, six or seven thousand feet long, and running north and south with the trend of the mountain range; dip west into the mountain at a 45 degree angle, are from two to five feet wide, with a well defined talc selvedge or clay gouge on each of the walls, and are a true fissure vein indicating permanency and depth.

Numerous outcroppings are traceable, coming down on one side of the mountain over, crossing the canyon and going up the opposite side a distance of nearly 2000 feet, then descending into the bottom of the canyon for nearly 4000 feet, thus cutting directly across the spurs for a distance of six to seven thousand feet.

The ore is a quartz, brittle, friable and yellow in color (by the oxidization of the iron); part of the ore is highly silicified and decomposed, and free gold is often seen with the naked eye, the pay being very evenly distributed. Pyritic iron and sulphides of copper occur in some of the ores, the concentrates from which are exceedingly rich and in volume run about 3 per cent.

The pay chutes as proven run from 100 feet to several hundred feet in length, are close together, and vary in width from a few inches to the entire width of the vein.

All the openings on the property for a distance of over 3000 feet along the course of both veins show pay ore in practically unlimited quantities.

There are excessively rich streaks and bodies of ore that frequently occur in the vein and assay well into the thousands of dollars. The gold is free in form, about 70 per cent. of the values being saved by amalgamation and thousands of tons have been ground and tested.

The poorest ore gives a value averaging anywhere from 8 to 15 dollars per ton, while the rich ore goes from $30 into hundreds. The ore has been tested in a small mill many times, and the plate and assay value has averaged over $20.

The method of developing this property by tunnel and all work to date has been by a system of tunnels run in on both veins, beginning at the canyon level, the tunnels varying in length from 20 feet to 750 feet, being some nine or ten in all. Seven of these tunnels are on one vein and three on the other, and from 100 to 500 feet apart. These tunnels for a course of over 2000 feet disclose thousands of tons of ore. The main tunnel above the bottom of the canyon shows in its inner workings fine values that are 800 feet underneath the surface. Two other tunnels are in over 200 feet each on ore, all being modern work, there being all told some 2500 feet of work, every foot of which shows the vein and ore to be strong, permanent, and promising. By the tunnel system, all shafting and hoisting is done away with; and in stoping, the ore falls by gravity to the ore bins and from thence will be sent to the mill in cars.

In the early days, all ore that went below $30 per ton was thrown away, also all concentrating ore, and there remains today a large dump of ore about 700 feet long, 150 feet wide, and in the center about 40 feet deep, containing many thousand tons of fine, first-class free-milling ore of a plate value, averaging about $8 per ton.

All this ore is immediately available for a mill, in addition to the ore shown up by the tunnels in the mines themselves. The mill being erected at the mouth of the lower tunnels, and the transmission of all ores being by gravity, insures a low cost of operation.

The development work completed to the present time, together with the ore on the dump, guarantees an ore production more than sufficient for the continuous operation of a 20-stamp mill.

The following assay samples were taken from various workings and claims, and show conclusively the value contained in the ore proper, in tailings and in concentrates.

Mark of Description—	Gold Oz.	Gold Value.	Silver Oz.	Silver Value.	Total Value.
War Eagle Mill Tunnel	1.	$ 20.67	5.	$ 2.50	$ 23.17
War Eagle Mill Tunnel No. 18	.75	15.50	7.	3.50	19.00
War Eagle Mill Tunnel No. 2	98.	2025.66	5.	2.50	2028.16
May Stope 750 ft.	8.4	173.62	64.	32.	205.62
Keynote Sulphides	110.2	2277.23	1.	.50	2278.33
Tailings (old)	3.1	64.07	.5	.25	64.32
Concentrates (O. M.)	8.7	179.23	1.15	.57	180.40
War Eagle	39.2	810.76	5.8	2.90	813.66
Gold Dollar	.3	6.20	1.	.50	6.70
Guadaloupe	2.	41.34	2.08	1.54	42.88
Side Winder	.5	10.33	4.60	2.30	12.63
Guadaloupe	4.57	93.46	3.96	1.98	95.44
Side Winder	2.	41.34	.90	.45	41.79
Keynote Sulphides assayed for copper 2.1 per cent. value					7.63
General Tailings	.5	10.34	2.53	1.26	11.60
General Concentrates	9.	186.03	1.94	.97	187.00
Con. No. 1 Cut	1.58	32.65	2.56	1.28	33.93
Con. No. 2 Cut	.56	11.58	.76	.38	11.96
Con. No. 3 Por. C. Dike	.22	4.55	.34	.17	4.72
War Eagle E. No. 2	4.02	83.09	3.52	2.29	85.38
No. 1 Shaft Xmas	2.12	43.82	4.18	2.10	45.92
Xmas Shaft No. 2	3.76	77.72	4.26	2.13	79.85
Triumph (Cut)	1.1	22.74	2.25	1.12	23.86
Gold Dollar No. 1	.15	3.10	.05	.02	3.12
Gold Dollar No. 2	.16	3.30	.04	.02	3.32
Side Hill Tunnel	.80	18.40	.51	.26	18.65
Side Hill Cut	.44	9.14	.96	.48	9.62

Gold calculated at $20.67 per oz.
Copper Calculated at 18c per oz.
Silver calculated at 50c per oz.

(Signed) J. B. CONTERNO, Assayer, Beveridge, Cal.

REPORTS MADE BY MR. J. B. CONTERNO, E. M.

Mr. Conterno is thoroughly conversant with this property, having made numerous assays covering the entire ground and having personal supervision over the test mill runs, the results of which are given below.

Test mill run, 16 tons, produced bullion value of $380.14, an average of $23.75 per ton.

Test mill run, 20 tons, produced bullion value $467.53, an average of $23.25.

The ore milled in these test runs was taken from numerous places in the mine workings and from the ore dumps, the idea being to obtain exact data regarding the possibilities and probable profit to be derived from mining operations.

Mr. Conterno writes regarding the Key Note Group:

"SECRETARY KEY NOTE MINE & MILLING CO.

"Dear Sir:—After careful and exhaustive examination of the Key Note Group, I consider same as promising a mining proposition as has ever been my privilege to report. The vein in the face is about 4 feet wide, walls being 5.5 feet apart, walls diorite, vein carrying high values.

"Have taken out a number of tons, all of which assays high and is first-class free-milling rock.

"I have personally examined and tested the rock in every tunnel, drift, stope, shaft, winze and cut, finding them as represented, carrying large values as a whole, the veins having every indication of being true fissures of great depth and permanency.

"The dumps alone, principally the one from the main tunnel of the Key Note, containing approximately some 25,000 tons of ore averaging $10, sufficient to keep a 10-stamp mill running day and night for something like three years.

"This dump has practically that amount of ore already mined, only awaiting to be milled. The other dumps contain several thousand tons more, besides large numbers of tons that can be extracted from the old workings averaging $20 per ton up.

"The War Eagle is a parallel vein identical in every respect to the Key Note in value, etc., and both can easily be traced for nearly a mile, crossing both sides of the canyon.

"There are numerous smaller veins on the property, all carrying values that should be considered high-grade milling, lowest assays being $12.00.

"Would propose starting a tunnel at the bottom of the canyon near the south end center, thereby getting a stoping back of nearly 2000 feet, stoping out everything to the surface on both veins, as all ore would then gravitate to the main working tunnel.

"These tunnels would disclose vast quantities of high-grade ore, possibly other bodies not cropping out on the surface, as these veins have hardly been touched.

"The values are very evenly distributed throughout the veins, there being very little difference whether taken from mouth, stope or breast, and can be mined and milled for about $3.50 per ton, very likely less in time, as it is purely a milling and concentrating proposition.

"Plenty of timber, water and wood for all mining and domestic purposes on and near by the property.

"A good wagon road may very easily be brought to the proposed tunnel, thereby overcoming the transportation problem, a very important item when contending with Mexican packers.

"I consider this property one of the finest, capable of being developed and made one of the most famous producers in the state, as it has everything in its favor.

(Signed) "J. B. CONTERNO, E. M."
(Signed) "O. S. WILLIAMS."

In the foregoing matter we have endeavored to present this proposition from a mining standpoint alone. Mr. O. S. Williams, who is President of the Key Note Mine & Milling Co., has certified under oath to the correctness of every assertion made, and further than this he assures us that any interested party can at any time make a thorough inspection of this property, and make any test which will tend to verify the claims made.

FROM AN INVESTMENT STANDPOINT.

Technical mining information does not always appeal to the prospective investor, and the actual operation of a mine is of but little interest.

To one who invests his money the prime question is, "What do I get for it?"

Allow us to sum the proposition up and make answer to you. We are giving you an opportunity to invest in the shares of a developed mine. This is no prospect in which you are asked to place your hard-earned dollars and gamble with them.

On the ore dump, awaiting the erection of a modern stamp mill lies 20,000 tons of ore which will average $8.00 per ton net, making a value of $160,000.

In the underground workings, taking into consideration the two principal veins similar in all respects, there is exposed by various tunnels approximately 110,000 tons of free milling ore, which should mill $16.50 net, a bullion value of $2,815,000.

If you will consider that this estimated tonnage only includes such ore as is practically exposed by the longest tunnel, now in 750 feet, and at a depth of 900 feet, and that it is further proposed to carry a new tunnel at a depth of 1100 feet, cutting through the mountain a distance of some 5000 feet, you can form some idea of the immense ore reserve contained in this property.

The Key Note Mine & Milling Co. has exploited this mine in every conceivable manner; by expert examination; by innumerable assay samples; by milling tests; by actual development work; in fact, every method which might prove that the property would make a profitable mine.

To make these various tests has called for an expenditure of thousands of dollars, and such funds have been furnished by the present owners. They have accepted all the chances and have now a proven mine, with thousands of tons of ore, but awaiting the installation of a stamp mill.

The corporation is capitalized at $1,500,000. We are selling the present allotment of stock at 20 cents, making a theoretical valuation of the property of $300,000, which is by many dollars far below the real intrinsic value.

But allowing for this theoretical valuation of $300,000 only a 20-stamp mill would give results as follows:

20 stamps, crushing 2½ tons per stamp daily, 50 tons.	
50 tons daily at $20 per ton	$ 1,000
50 tons daily, mining and milling expenses	175
Net profit daily	$ 825
300 days per year	$247,500

$247,500.00 per year profit on an investment of $300,000 yields an interest rate of 82½ per cent. per annum.

Sounds too good to be true, doesn't it? But remember that old time-worn adage, "The proof of the pudding is in the eating." Apply it to this particular proposition in any way you choose. Send an expert to the mine with instructions to examine to the minutest detail; have him call at our office and go over engineers' reports, assay certificates, bankers' letters regarding bullion received; Wells-Fargo & Co.'s agents' letters regarding bullion shipped; state mineralogist's reports showing development of the mine and amount of ore extracted; in short, have him investigate thoroughly this proposition from every possible point of view, and if you are then doubtful we can make no further argument.

We are selling this stock to those who care to make money and we want none to come in who might be disappointed should their wealth increase.

Now, after reading this advertisement, if you are still in doubt as to whether you will buy Key Note stock, let this proposition sink deeply into your system.

First, take the amount of your subscription; put it in any national bank; immediately have the properties of the Key Note Mine & Milling Company examined by any practical and experienced mining engineer or expert of good repute, and should such engineer or expert fail to find on said properties ore of an average value of $15 in sufficient quantities for the continuous operation of a 20-stamp mill for a term of at least 300 days (a milling year,) your subscription shall then be returned to you, and we agree to pay all the expenses incurred by such examination, provided that the liability for such expense shall be limited to the amount of 10 per cent. of your subscription, and that said examination shall be made within 30 days from the date of your order. This is the strongest and most liberal offer ever made by any sane promotion or mining company in the history of mining.

Say what you will, but the fact remains that Practical Mining Engineers say there is enough ore already mined and piled on the dump waiting treatment, to guarantee every dollar invested in this property.

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Send me full information, reports, maps, prospectus, etc., regarding the Key Note mine.
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You may reserve for me.....shares of the Key Note Mining and Milling Co.'s stock at 20c a share until I have thoroughly read their literature. Please send me maps, booklets, reports, etc., free of all cost. If after reading same I find I am not satisfied I reserve the right to cancel this contract.

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IN THE SMOKING COMPARTMENT



"I wonder what would have happened to us if that fellow should have gone to sleep at his post," said the red-headed man in the corner as the train stopped for orders at a way station, through the windows of which the night telegraph operator could be seen busy at his key.

"We might be unfurling our wings in the New Jerusalem," suggested a flippant tourist from Cincinnati.

"More probably we would be calmly smoking our cigars, just as we are now," said a commercial traveler, whose suit case had the word "Chicago" in black letters on the end. "Every train order isn't a matter of life or death and it isn't as often as most people seem to imagine that the fate of a train load of people rests entirely in the hands of a single operator."

"Yes, that's true enough," assented the red-headed man, "but the fact remains that once in a while a sleeping or careless operator does cause a terrible disaster, and no one may know how often his life may be held in pawn by a youngster at a lonesome station."

"You're right, there," put in a passenger who had shown the conductor a Pullman pass as well as a railroad annual. "In spite of all the block signal systems and other safeguards much still depends on the individual watchfulness of the telegraph operator, and the public doesn't appreciate his loyalty, and devotion to duty as it should. There are tens of thousands of railroad telegraph operators at work in this country and they receive hundreds of thousands of train orders every day. The wonder is that the railroad business is conducted with such a small percentage of loss of life. If you don't mind, I'll relate a little incident to illustrate this."

"That's the stuff," cried the red-headed man. "It's the picture business that makes things move nowadays. Give it to us."

"Well," resumed the man with the annual, "I'm a telegraph operator myself, although I haven't been doing anything in that line for a long time. But about fifteen years ago I was night operator at a little place up in Iowa. The station was some distance from the town, so that after 9 or 10 o'clock at night I was left pretty much to myself. I had a twelve-hour watch, 7 to 7, and if you've ever had to sit up all night alone, you can imagine how time drags when one has to do that thirty nights in the month. You've got very little work to do, but you must keep within hearing of your instrument. This confines your diversions to a small area and though books are the night operator's mainstay, even they pall on one after five or six hours. If it wasn't for the arrivals of trains, the calls from the train dispatcher and the ceaseless chatter of the instruments the life of a night operator at such a station would be unendurable. As for keeping awake that is mainly a matter of habit. After a man has been in the business a few years a night operator has no more desire to sleep while on duty than a day worker has to take a nap while the sun is shining. But it's pretty hard on the raw beginner and he has to resort to desperate measures sometimes to keep the drowsy god from getting the best of him.

"That little station up in Iowa was my first night job and while I was chesty with the importance and responsibility of my position, I was also at the age when the temptations of the flesh pull the hardest on a fellow. My chief delight was, therefore, not the hustle and stir which attended the arrival of the midnight express, but the big basket of lunch that I waded into as soon as I had reported the departure of that train. Being young and healthy I would eat until I could hold no more and then, of course, I would get drowsy. I was in that condition one cold night in January when I was aroused by the excited way in which the train dispatcher was calling the next station west of me, a place called Lancaster. He was making the wire fairly boil, but could get no answer. I knew by the sound that something important was on hand and all my drowsiness was gone in a moment. Pretty soon the train dispatcher called me. 'Sure No. 5's gone?' he asked. No. 5 was the midnight express, west-bound. I went out and looked, just to be sure nothing had held her at the switch. 'Yes,' I answered, 'clear out of sight.' 'O.K.' he said, and then commenced calling Lancaster harder than before. Still no answer. 'Man at NA must be asleep,' I said to myself. 'Guess he'll be lookin' for a job tomorrow.' Presently the dispatcher called me again. 'Is there any sort of a private line over to Lancaster?' he asked. 'Yes,' I said, 'there's a—' and then he broke me off. 'Get to it, quick,' he fairly hollored over the wire,' and have somebody wake up the operator there or flag No. 5.' I didn't yet know what was up, but I didn't have time to ask any questions and wouldn't have dared to do it if I'd had a week. I fell into my overcoat and got out of that station like a streak of greased lightning. A couple of young fellows had rigged up a pony line between my town and Lancaster just for amusement. It was half a mile to the house at my end of the line. It was blowing a gale cold as blue blazes and the snow was six inches deep on the level, but I didn't know it. Talk about seven league boots! why, I felt as if I had wings and I was at that house and hammering at the door in no time at all. I soon had the cub out of bed and was pounding at his little amateur instrument. Luckily the boy at the other end was up and in his room where the instrument was. I had to send slow, fearfully slow, but at last he got my message, or at any rate he answered 'O.K.' and closed his key. 'He lives right across the street from the depot,' said the youngster at my side, and then I hustled back to my office nearly as fast as I had come, and reported to the dispatcher. 'Good,' he said, 'maybe we can save them yet,' and then he explained that the operator at Rolla, the second station west, had been instructed to hold No. 12, an east-bound fast freight, until arrival of No. 5, but his red light had gone out and the freight had passed without stopping. Unless No. 5 could be stopped at Lancaster there would be a collision. He told me all this in ten words and two seconds and then he went on calling 'NA,' but now his call was slow and hopeless. It was evident he no longer expected a reply. I waited in breathless suspense for the tragedy I felt certain was about to occur. I hardly thought it possible the boy over there had time to prevent the disaster even if he understood my message, which I doubted. But just as I had given up even that slender thread of hope the circuit was broken. There was a halt of a fraction of a second that seemed like a week, and then slowly and haltingly, with many breaks came this message: 'Have—flagged—train—found—operator — unconscious — at — desk.' 'Thank God!' the train dispatcher jerked out.

"After everything had been straightened out I learned that the operator at Lancaster had been taken suddenly sick and before he could call for help or notify the dispatcher had fainted away.

"No one on that express ever know how near to death they had come and yet but for the chance existence of that amateur line no earthy power could have saved them. It was, of course, a combination of circumstances that wouldn't happen again in a thousand years, but circumstances have a curious way of combining every once in a while, and when a disaster results the railroads are blamed for it, although every possible device may have been adopted to prevent it. The wonder is, as I said before, that accidents are so few, when one considers the millions of passengers carried every year."

"Yes," said the red-headed man, "I believe statistics prove that a man is safer on a railroad train than at home in bed, but although I have been traveling for twenty years and never had a scratch I still prefer to risk the bed."

There was a meditative silence for a little while and then a voice from the seat next the window broke through the smoke clouds.

"That story brings back old times to me," said the voice, "particularly what was said about the desperate measures young operators sometimes take to keep from going to sleep. A long time ago, so long that I have almost forgotten it myself, I was a plug railroad operator myself. At that time we didn't try so hard to keep from going to sleep as to keep from getting caught at it. I worked for one of the southwestern roads. It's a great system now but then it was a one-horse affair with only one passenger train each way a day and only a few freights. Night operators were few and far between and scarce as they were they had little to do. About the only risk involved then in going to sleep was that affecting the operator's job. When an operator's been at one station for a few weeks the train dispatcher's call will usually wake him and the greatest danger was in letting a train get by. You might think it funny that a certain sound from the telegraph instruments will arouse a man from sleep quicker than a moving freight train, but it's a fact that it will. A favorite trick in those days was to tie a string across the track and attach one end of it to a tin pan placed on a table or desk in the office. When a train struck the string the pan would come down with a crash, the operator would jump up and report and nobody would be the wiser. Sometimes he'd use a thread and tie one end to his finger, and that's how I got out of the railroad business. I was a pretty hard sleeper in those days and once or twice the tin pan had failed to work on me. Likewise the thread on my finger. So one Sunday night, after I'd been up all day with my best girl, I decided a more radical scheme would have to be tried. So I got a strong cord, one I couldn't break, and fastened it across the track in the usual way, but instead of tying the other end to a pan or my finger. I tied it to the leg of my chair. Then along about 11 o'clock I leaned back, put my feet on the table and went calmly to sleep."

"Did it work?" asked the red-headed man.

"Work!" exclaimed the ex-operator, "you bet your life it worked. A special carrying the general manager came along about midnight. It was running at the terrific speed of thirty miles an hour and when it hit that string something happened. The first I knew of the trouble I was laying sprawled on the floor and that blamed chair was scootin' through the open door like it was goin' for the doctor. It banged up against the side of the engine with a crash that scared the engineer out of a year's growth and he stopped the train so quick it sent the general manager turnin' flip-flops down the middle of his car. When the train backed up and they found out the cause of the rumpus the things that general manager said to me would have put a whole flock of Sunday schools to flight and I retired forever from the railroad business right there."

The Medical Jeames.

A friend of mine had occasion to go often to an eminent physician," and said to Jeames: "You will be tired of opening the door for me." "Not at all, sir," was the gracious reply; "you are but a hunit in the hocean." Another Jeames was accustomed to say during his master's occasional absences: "You had better try hopposite. There's a very respectable man hopposite as we often sends to when Sir William is habsent. His name is Jenner."—[Lancet.

Christmas Hosiery

We are now showing a most pleasing assortment of ladies' fine hose, suitable for Xmas gifts. They come in colored and black lisles in the prettiest of lace effects. You'll find them at just the price you wish to pay, ranging from, per pair, 35c to $1.50

Also pretty line of ladies' fine pure silk hose in blacks and fancy colored effects, at per pair, $1.25 to $5.00

Lane's
327-329 So. Broadway

Hair Dressing Dept. 3rd Floor

Monday we start a big money saving sale on all hair goods. Stock taking for this department is not far distant and in order to reduce our hair goods stock we are going to make some big cuts.

Natural curly switches in best colors reduced to nearly half. Straight hair switches, 50c and up.

Popular cornet curls, $3.00 to $6.00 set.

Excellent assortment of gray switches in all lengths greatly reduced in price. See them and compare values.



Great Doll Sale at 50c on the Dollar

Tuesday Is Doll Day

We do not carry toys or dolls, but one of our buyers picked up three hundred dolls from an importer at less than half price.

We intend to sell the entire lot in one day to get them out of the way. The lot consists chiefly of prettily dressed dolls, twelve to eighteen inches in height and a very few undressed dolls. Remember, Tuesday only you can choose them for less than half.



Gifts for 25c

Pretty Hat Pins
Pearl Necklaces
Beauty Pins
Ring Cases
Children's Purses
Trimmed Pin Cushions
Children's fleece-lined Gloves
Buster Brown Belts
Novelty Stamp Boxes
Pin Boxes
Pretty Side Combs
Guaranteed Rings
Stamped Doilies
Round Garters
Pillow Tops
Men's Ties
Men's Suspenders
Men's Hose

50-Cent Gifts

Back Combs
65c Leather Belts
Pretty Barrettes
Kid Belts
Coin Purses
Laundry Bags
Pretty Stationery
Fine Lisle Hose
Men's Neckwear
Ladies' Silk and Cashmere Gloves

75-Cent Gifts

Photo Frames
Collar Boxes
Belts
Pocket Knives
Ribbon Novelties
Coin Purses
Holiday Stationery
Umbrellas
Boys' Fur Top Gloves
Men's Gloves

Three Big Money Saving Offerings for Monday

SPECIAL NO. 1
Taffeta Silks
Monday we put on sale 5000 yards of fine washable taffeta silks in fancies and all wanted plain colors, in lengths of 1 to 10 yards, and worth 50c to $1.00; 9 to 11 a.m., per yard 25c

SPECIAL NO. 2
Flannels and Suitings
Big lot of all wool fine French flannels and Scotch suitings, 30 and 42 inches wide; flannels come in navy, pinks, and pretty pastelle grays and blues; pretty materials worth 50c to 75c. Monday, per yard 43c

SPECIAL NO. 3
Panama Suitings
Popular Panama suitings in pretty checks, plaids and plain colors, 44 inches in width; a splendid skirt and suit material; actual $1.25 and $1.50 values for Monday, per yard $1.19

Most Acceptable Christmas Gifts

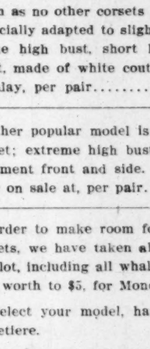
From Our Ladies' Suit Department

Silk Sacques
Japanese silk sacques, elaborately trimmed in pretty laces, with loose or fitted backs; these pretty garments come in light pink, blue, cream and black, and are worth up to $12. Now on sale $9.50

Silk Jumpers
Stylish silk jumpers, made of fine black taffeta with prettily tucked fronts and backs. A very popular garment, at $4.00

Net Waists
Pretty little exclusive lace and net waists made full across bust with prettily trimmed yoke and tucked back; elbow sleeves. A pleasing gift for $5.00

Emb. Net Waists
Fine embroidered net waists made with tucked sleeves, French tucked back and pretty Val. lace-trimmed cuffs. Values up to $9.00, for, each $6.75





Silk Petticoats
A most pleasing lot of fine silk petticoats in black and colors; made of fine heavy taffeta with deep tucked and shirred flounces; exceptional values at $5.00

Fancy Silk Petticoats
Fine silk petticoats in stripes, plaids and plain silks; elaborately trimmed with accordion pleated flounces, embroidered ruffles and feather-edge ruchings. Elegant Xmas gifts at $10.00 to $25.00

Fur Scarfs
Rich Isabella fox scarfs, made of beautiful high luster skins and furnished with large natural tails $10.00

Boas
Coney fur boas in black or brown, made of good quality skin and nicely finished with 6 large tails. Special values at, each $1.98



Bath Robes
Ladies' blanket bath robes in pretty colors and patterns, made collarless with large pockets and cord girdle; a sensible gift, for $5.00

Stylish Coats
Pretty seven-eighths length half-fitted coats in fancy stripes and mixtures; stylishly tailored and worth up to $15. Monday $10.00

Dressing Sacques
Best ripple eiderdown dressing sacques with neatly embroidered collars, and ribbon ties shell crocheted around edges. Offered for Monday at $1.50

$6.00 Wool Waists $3.50
Broken lines of silk and wool waists in good light colorings, values up to $6.50. Price to close the line at $3.50

Ladies' Underwear

Ladies' extra fine fleece lined vests and tights, in knee and ankle length, hand trimmed. Monday, each 60c

Boys' Shirts and Drawers

Boys' part wool shirts and drawers, extra value at, per garment 38c

Short Skirts

Outing flannel short skirts in pink and blue stripes; also plain pink and blue; nicely finished with deep ruffle and button stitched edge; a fine value at 50c

Linen Dept. Offerings

Pretty 22x44-inch hemstitched dresser scarfs elaborated with fancy drawn work 65c

Table Damask

Fine $1.25 bleached table damask, 72 inches wide, large assortment of new designs for, per yard 98c

Heavy unbleached all linen table damask, 70 inches wide, and regularly sold at 89c, for, per yard 75c

Warm Bedding For These Cold Nights

A big sale on blankets, just when you need them most.

Fine all-wool blankets, 11-4 size, extra large fancy borders, $6.75 regularly; Monday and Tuesday, per pair $4.98

Same quality blanket in the 10-4 size, worth $5.50, for, per pair $3.90

About 25 pairs of all-wool gray blankets slightly soiled, but marked at half.

$15.00 blankets, per pair $7.50
$ 9.00 blankets, per pair $4.50

$20.00 Rugs for $15.98

Good quality body Brussels rugs in new patterns; size 8-2x 10-6 ft.; sold regularly at $20.00. Monday and Tuesday at $15.98

RUGS

Axminster rugs 3x6 ft., and just the thing for a nice Xmas gift ..... $3.79 and $4.50

Other gifts from this department are Morris chairs, writing desks, rockers, table and couch covers and carpet sweepers.

The Fit of Your Gown Improved

Kid Fitting Corsets insure not only comfort but a graceful figure as well, and improve the fit of your gown as no other corsets can. Here is a new model especially adapted to slight and medium figures; extreme high bust, short hip, garter attachment in front, made of white coutil; Monday, per pair $2.50

Another popular model is the "New Length Waist" corset; extreme high bust, long hip with garter attachment front and side. Now on sale at, per pair $2.00

In order to make room for an entirely new line of corsets, we have taken all broken sizes and put in one lot, including all whalebone corsets worth to $5, for Monday, per pair $1.49

Select your model, have it fitted by our expert corsetiere.

Christmas
Handkerchiefs and Neckwear



Monday's handkerchief offering consists of ladies' all pure linen hand-embroidered handkerchiefs, worth 12½c, on sale at, each 8⅓c
Or dozen, 85c.

Linen and Swiss hemstitched embroidered and embroidered edge handkerchiefs, good 25c values, for, each 25c

Coque Boas

Newest things in the flat coque boas, 2¼ yards long, in white, brown, pale blue, gray. Fog will not take the curl out of these. See them; they are splendid values at $4.50

Swell plaid four-in-hand stocks, a collar decidedly new and attractive, at $1.50

Beautiful fancy collars in colors and white, in two lots. Monday, each ..... 50c & 75c



In the New Winter Models

Embraces the widest range of exclusive and fashionable models ever exhibited by one manufacturer.

The original shapes, soft and pliable leathers, faultless fit and excellence of workmanship combine to make SORORIS the ideal shoe for women.

$3.50 and $4.00

BUY A SOROSIS CERTIFICATE FOR XMAS. Good for a pair of Sorosis shoes any time or any place.

A Sweeping Sale of Millinery Prior to Moving

We have decided to move our constantly increasing millinery business from the second floor to the third floor of our store. The new department will be enlarged, elegantly fitted up, and stocked with a top notch millinery stock. To further this plan we inaugurate a most sweeping millinery sale Monday. All ostrich tips, plumes and pompons, coques, pheasants and fancy feathers, velvet ribbons, flowers and fruits, including the ultra-fashionable silk cabbage roses, as well as the elegant pattern hats, Peter Pan, large hoods and untrimmed shapes.



All Offered at a Positive Reduction of One-Third Off Regular Price

J. R. Lane Dry Goods Co.
327-329 South Broadway



Holiday Gifts

Hamburger's
SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

ays to Xmas

We want to make it easy, and have gone ...t likely articles that you will want to give ...gestions." You can by no possibility ...e limitations of your pocketbook. And ...ne, and by paying a deposit, we will hold ...e we suggest sending your mail orders at ...mise prompt service. Let us impress on ...mas goods in Southern California, and ...all this week to listen to the wants of ...can the little tots get so much attention

For Girls

...-piece Manicure Set, in case.
...dkerchiefs, in fancy box.
...Girls' Ball Bearing Tricycle.
...Jointed Kid Body Doll.
...Enameled Toy Tea Sets.
...-piece Manicure Set, in case.
...two bottles French Perfumes.
...Girls' White Hats.
...Fur Trimmed Felt Slippers, size to 2.
...Girls' Patent Kid Slippers.
...Sil Silver Napkin Rings.
...Sil Silver Baby Spoons.
...Girls' Enameled Watches.
...Girls' Gold Filled Bracelets.

For Sister

$1.25 for Hand Made Lace Handkerchiefs.
35c for Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 75c.
$3.98 for Silk or Chiffon Ruffs, worth $7.50.
$2.00 for Auto Veils or Drapes, worth $3.00.
$3.50 for Hand Made Lace Berthas.
$1.50 for Silk Gauze Fans, worth $2.00.
$1.00 for Scarfs and Drapes, worth $2.50.
$2.50 for Round Lace Collars, worth $5.00.
98c for Silk or Gauze Fans, worth $1.75.
$2.50 for Chemisettes and Sleeve Sets.
$1.00 for pair Fancy Lace Sleeves.
50c for Fancy Lace Neckwear, worth $1.00.
75c for Fancy Silk Neckwear, worth $1.25.
$1.00 for Lace or Chiffon Stocks.
$5.98 for Lace Net Robes, worth $8.50.
$7.50 for Liberty Silk Ruffs.
98c for Lace or Chiffon Face Veils.
50c for Hand Made Lace Stocks.
$2.00 for Lace and Ribbon Fancy Apron.
$1.50 for Lace Bolero Jackets, worth $5.00.
$1.00 for Arm Glove Garters, worth $2.00.
$8.95 for Silk Petticoats, worth to $12.00.
$4.98 for 10-piece Sterling Budoir Sets.
$3.50 for 36-inch Fur Collars, worth $7.50.
$5.95 for Mink Collars, worth $7.50.
$7.50 for Imitation Marten Collars, with tails.
$3.98 for Short Silk Kimonos.
$6.95 for Short Silk Kimonos.
$6.95 for Long Silk Kimonos.
$12.50 for Long Silk Kimonos.

For Wife

$2.50 for Hand Embroidered Table Pieces.
$1.75 for Hand Embroidered Table Scarfs.
$6.50 for Hemstitched Table Sets, complete.
50c for German Damask Tray Cloth.
95c for Embroidered Pillow Shams.
$1.25 for Real Ebony Hair Brushes.
$2.25 for Real Rosewood Hair Brushes.
$1.75 for Celluloid Oval Hair Brushes.
$6.00 for Black Ostrich Plumes, in box.
$3.95 for Black Ostrich Plumes, in box.
$3.50 for Fancy Dress Slippers.
$1.98 for Marcel Pompadours, all colors.
$2.25 for Marie Antoinette Puffs.
$5.00 for 22-inch Wavy Switches.
69c for 18-inch Battenberg Pieces.
$1.40 for Hand Embroidered House Slippers.
$6.75 for Hand Embroidered Sofa Pillows.
$4.98 for Imported Tapestry Pillow Tops.
39c for Spacthel Scarfs and Shams.
$6.75 for pair California Wool Blankets.
$5.95 for Genuine Eiderdown Comforters.
$3.95 for 4-panel Hand Embroidered Screens.
$3.98 for Fancy Shell Back Combs.
$2.50 for set of three Fancy Combs.
$1.45 for Solid Silver Napkin Rings.
$3.45 for Solid Silver Tomato Servers.
$3.45 for Solid Silver Cold Meat Forks.
$2.95 for Solid Silver Cake Knives.
95c for Solid Silver Sugar Tongs.
95c for Solid Silver Cream Ladles.

For Mother

$2.75 for 24-inch Center Tables.
$6.50 for 6-foot Extension Table.
$4.95 for 16x20-inch Pastels, gold frame
$2.49 for 10x20 Pastels, gold frames.
$3.50 for Silver Plated Chocolate Pots.
$5.95 for Silver Plated 4-Piece Tea Set.
$2.49 for Silver Plated Tray and Scraper.
$3.50 for Silver Plated Baking Dish.
$2.49 for Silver Plated Fern Dish.
$3.95 for Silver Plated Fruit Stand.
$1.05 set of 6 Roger's Tea Spoons.
$4.98 for Stag Handle Carving Set, in case.
$3.50 for Silver Plated Chafing Dish.
$3.95 for Brass 5 O'Clock Teas.
$7.50 for 24-inch Decorated Parlor Lamp.
$7.98 for Solid Silver Sugar and Creamer.
$1.49 for Small Gold Bedroom Clocks.
$4.45 for 8-Day Mantel Clocks.
$1.00 for Women's Felt Slippers.
$1.45 for Women's Felt Slippers.
$15.00 for Bronzed Electroliere.
$1.49 for 12-inch Venetian Glass Vases.
98c for 5-inch Cut Glass Nappies.
$4.50 for Cut Glass Sugar and Creamer.
$1.00 for box six pairs Maco Hose.
$2.00 for box of six pairs Gauze Hose.
$1.50 pair for Women's Silk Hose.
$1.00 each for Women's Silk Vests.
$2.85 for box three pairs Kid Gloves.
$3.15 pair for Long Kid Gloves, in box.

...Needs

...hose support-...strap satin pad ...styles.
...supporters; ...white only; ...velvet grip.
...hose support-...side strap or ...style.
...pair four strap ...supporters; ...flexo grip. ...shaped pin ...silk covered ...tic.
...pin cush-...pretty and ...
...best 4-cord ...; worth 4c
...hemstitched hecks ...black or white ...tic.
...mercerized ...satin braid; all ...worth 5c.
...white pearl ...all perfect and ...
...with Shaker silk.
...pound box dress-...pins; needle ...worth 25c.
...TO ORDER. ...large line of ma-...ials for making ...fancy and also the ...sewing machine. ...material here and ...made to order.
...HAIR SWITCHES ...at $4.98 ...22 inches long; ...in all shades of ...dark gray; gen-...fifty; special

Clothing Suggestions



ALL WORSTED SUITS WORTH TO $18, AT **$9.45**

As a special feature for Monday we have taken 8 of our choicest lines of men's clothing selling at $15, $17.50 and $18; are all wool worsteds and come in the gray shades, plaid, mixtures and checks; long coats with form-fitting backs; long lapels, deep center vents and creased side seams; sizes 33 to 44; every suit guaranteed for wear.

OVERCOATS WORTH $25.00 AT **$12.50**

Choice of all our odd and broken lines; best materials, including imported kerseys, melton and vicuna cloth; come in black and grays, and are three-quarter length styles; medium or heavy weight and lined with silk, satin or heavy mohair serge; have silk velvet collars; some form-fitting, others broad and full; sizes 38 to 48.

$3.98 FOR DRESS PANTS WORTH TO $6.00.
A splendid assortment from which to choose; are made of the best quality French and English woolen worsteds; the patterns are in small stripes, checks and fancy mixtures; have high French waist bands; sizes 30 to 44.

$10 FOR YOUNG MEN'S SUITS WORTH $15.
Your choice of eight different lines of suits made especially for young men; materials are thibets, serges, vicunas and wool worsteds, in blue and black, single or double breasted styles; coats are long with deep center and side vents; broad shoulders; pants are medium or full peg; all seams double sewn; sizes 14 to 19 yrs.

Three Shoe Specials



WOMEN'S WINTER OXFORDS WORTH TO $4.00 AT **$2.55**
Made of a fine quality gun metal; come in the new winter lasts in Blucher oxfords and Gibson ties; have hand welted soles; are comfortably fitting shapes; Cuban or Military heels; all sizes.

$3.95 FOR WOMEN'S DRESS SHOES WORTH $5.00.
Made of the finest quality Paris kid or patent kid; are the street or dress boots and have hand turned or welted soles and military heels; very shapely and specially priced for Monday.

$3.65 FOR WOMEN'S DRESS OXFORDS WORTH $5.00.
Are made of an exceptionally good quality selected patent colt skin; are Gibson ties; very snappy, up-to-date lasts; have plain dress toes, hand turned square edge soles; spike heels and are perfect fitting graceful shoes.

"Nickeled" Ware for Gifts



$1.29 FOR "MARION HARLAND" TEA OR COFFEE POTS WORTH $1.50.
Are scientifically constructed and make the best tea and coffee at a saving of least 40 per cent. from the ordinary methods; are made of the best materials; very nicely nickeled; quart size and specially priced for Monday only.

$1.45 For heavy nickel plated tea kettles worth $1.60.
$1.25 For "Imperial" coffee pot, two-quart size, worth $1.50.
59c For crumb and brush tray, with ebony handle, worth 75c.
$7.95 For French coffee percolators, finely nickeled, worth $8.50.
$4.95 For a fine two-piece tea set, worth $5.50.
49c For nickeled coffee pots, 4-pin size, worth 55c.

FOURTH FLOOR.

...nd Sale Silks

...y at One-Third Less

...ncisco, have we been able to make as fortunate a purchase of silks as the one ...of over 20,000 yards the most dependable silks in both black and fancies. This ...ring what to buy for that Christmas present, nothing could be more acceptable or

...59c ...low price, and is

SILK SATIN FOULARDS WORTH 85c AT..... **39c**
Less than half the real worth; is full 24 inches wide and comes in navy, royal, brown, mode, tan, reseda, cream and black; large and small figures, polka dots and scroll designs.

$1.19 FOR YARD WIDE BLACK SILKS WORTH $1.50.
These come in two of the most popular weaves, taffetas and Peau de Soie; the taffeta has a fancy colored selvage and lustrous chiffon finish, pure dye and fully guaranteed; the Peau de Soie has soft finish with gros grain back; good weight and purest silk; both are yard wide.

89c FOR YARD WIDE BLACK TAFFETA WORTH $1.29.
A beautiful silk with fine French kid finish; is a good heavy quality and has pleasing rustle; is a perfect black and very durable; full 36 inches wide and cannot be matched under $1.29.

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59c Yard for Fancy Silks Worth to $1.25

A choice assortment of over 3000 yards; plaids, stripes, checks and jacquard figures; dots of all kinds; taffeta and louisine weaves; full 20 inches wide and all pure silk.

27-Inch Taffeta, Worth $1, at 69c

Beautiful silks in all the wanted colors; soft, lustrous chiffon finish; is a pure dye; will not split or cut; 15 different shades from which to select.

Rugs; Curtains



$5.95 FOR ROYAL WILTON RUGS WORTH $10.
The finest Royal Wilton rugs; 3 ft. wide by 5 ft. 5 inches long and come in a choice assortment of patterns and colorings; are the equal in every respect to the genuine Turkish rugs.

$3.95 FOR AXMINSTER RUGS WORTH $4.50.
Are full 3 ft. wide by 6 ft. long; come in the newest designs and colorings and are suitable for use in any room in the house.

$3.95 PAIR FOR HAND MADE CURTAINS WORTH TO $5.00.
Beautiful Novelty and French curtains; are hand made of the best French nets; in both white and Arabian color. Specially priced for Monday.

$7.25 FOR BRUSSELS LACE CURTAINS WORTH TO $10.
Beautiful curtains of real Brussels lace; are in the newest designs; specially priced for Monday at $7.25. THIRD FLOOR.

Corsets; Gowns



$2.00 FOR "ROYAL REGENT" CORSETS.
The newest models in the extreme long hip and high bust; made of a good quality Coutil; come in white only; have front and side hose supporters.

$4.00 FOR "LA VIDA" CORSETS.
Are made of either the finest French Coutil or Batiste; whalebone filled; have front and side supporters; and are in models especially suitable for medium figures.
SECOND FLOOR.

$5.00 FOR 3-PIECE SET WORTH $7.50.
Set consists of drawers, chemise and gown; made of a fine soft finished material and nicely trimmed with lace and ribbon; specially priced for Monday.

$1.25 FOR FLANNEL GOWNS WORTH $1.50.
Are made of an exceptionally good quality nicely fleeced flannelette and come in plain pink, blue and white; also stripes and are trimmed with braids; full lengths.

"Toyland and Dolldom"



Make your selection Monday, pay a small deposit, and we will keep them until wanted.

$1.19 FOR BALL JOINTED DOLL WORTH $2.50
A fine, high grade imported doll, 22½ inches tall; best quality bisque head; full ball jointed, and has moving eyes and sewed curly hair; fitted with lace trimmed chemise and pretty shoes and stockings.

$1.49 FOR STEAM ENGINE WORTH $2.50
Is a fine imported engine with black enameled body; is 12½ inches high; boiler is of drawn brass; all parts highly polished; brass oscillating cylinder; fitted with safety valve and steam whistle; engine mounted on nice base.



25c For Noah's Ark with plenty of animals; has natural wood finish, no danger of paint.
49c For iron train, consisting of locomotive, tender and four passenger coaches.
85c For large 10-inch drum with polished nickel shell, carrier and drumsticks.
$1.49 For well made electric motor, either upright or horizontal armature.
$2.49 For imported magic lantern with good lenses and 12 picture slides.
$4.95 For boys' soldier sets; artillery or cavalry outfit; complete with helmet, sword, pistol and chevrons.

$1.25 FOR WALKING AND TALKING DOLLS, WORTH $1.98
A fine imported mechanical doll that can walk, and while walking says "mama" and "papa;" is dressed in the height of fashion and specially priced for Monday. One to a customer, and no phone orders.

$1.69 FOR MECHANICAL TRAIN WORTH $2.75
Well made and propelled by mechanical clockwork; consists of locomotive with piston rods, separate tender, two vestibule coaches and one freight car; curved and straight track.

85c FOR AIR RIFLE WORTH $1.00
The well-known "Daisy;" has finely nickeled barrel and is one of the best air rifles made; is perfectly safe as a plaything; are specially priced for Monday. No phone orders, and one to a customer.

25c For large sailboat, either schooner or yacht, very nicely finished.
49c For well made metal violin, complete with bow.
98c For well made mechanical auto, 9 inches long; has strong clockwork spring and rubber tired wheels.
$1.25 For harmless air rifles with rubber-tipped arrow, target and markers.
$1.98 For parlor or bedroom set, finished in rosewood or white.
$3.49 For cycle wagon, finished in red; green enameled gearing.



$7.50 FOR AUTOMOBILE WORTH $10.00
The body is 15 inches wide by three feet long; made of all sheet steel except bottom; green enameled gearing; rubber tired auto wheels; has starting ratchet crank and come in a rich canary or red color.





Fresh Literature---What Authors are Doing.

NEW BOOKS REVIEWED.

[BY A TIMES REVIEWER.]

FICTION.

Romance.

MONTLIVET. By Alice Prescott Smith. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston. (For sale by Cunningham, Curtis & Welch, Los Angeles.)

"Montlivet" is a historic romance of the end of the century—the century being the seventeenth—in New France, Cadillac in command at Machillimacinac, and an English prisoner brought in by Hurons from a raid for the torture. The alternative is the desertion of the Hurons to the English. Young Armand de Montlivet, present by accident, determins to rescue the white man, although Cadillac will not interfere. An Indian girl in love with Montlivet's serving man assists, and the three depart together into the wilderness, where the Frenchman discovers that his English prisoner is—a woman. The Frenchman marries the prisoner to protect her, and the usual play ensues, each thinking love unrequited and in vain. The outcome is the expected one of the romantic writer. There is nothing new in the plot, from beginning to end, but the scenes are fairly well managed, the interest sustained, the events possible.

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Geraldine Bonner.

RICH MEN'S CHILDREN. By Geraldine Bonner. The Bobbs-Merrill Co., Indianapolis. (Price $1.50.)

Geraldine Bonner's first book showed remarkably good work in parts, for a beginner, but great inequalities, lack of power of even logical construction, lack of finish; and her later work, while steadily improving, has not yet eliminated these faults.

In her new book Mrs. Bonner gives us a picture of life in San Francisco, among the people who have won their own wealth in mines and real estate, and whose children are growing up under the advantages that large possessions give. Her studies include a young, effeminate wine bibbler, with "a mustache like an eyebrow," the scorn and amusement of his big, forceful, unscrupulous and yet warm-hearted father (a son who still further irritates the "old man" by winning his finest land, a ranch offered for a year's abstainence from drink.) the dainty, lovely daughter, and Bill Cannon's affections are set; Dominick, son of "Con" Ryan, husband of an adventuress, who became his mistress with the deliberate intent of forcing him to marriage; Dominick's sister, Cornelia, a victim of the love of gold, and their widowed mother, a waitress originally, who has done washing to keep the family when her husband was out of work, who was always the "man of the house," and is still dominant, even in old age. She refuses Dominick's scheming wife entree to her circle, and this leads to a rupture between the young couple, in consequence of which Dominick, now wholly disillusoined, goes off without a word into the country, is caught in a snow-storm while walking up from Rocky Bar to Antelope, found unconscious, and snowed up in Antelope for some days, together with Cannon and his daughter, Rose Cannon makes herself useful in attending the sick man—and results are disastrous to the peace of mind of both. In an instant of weakness, Dominick reveals his love for Rose, and Bill Cannon, coming upon the two unseen, finds his daughter in Dominick's arms. From that instant he is one with Mrs. Ryan in desiring the divorce of Dominick and his wife.

He therefore proposes to Mrs. Ryan that she offer money to Berenice Ryan if she will leave her husband, go abroad for a year, and at the end of that time ask him to get a divorce on the ground of desertion. Cannon makes the proposal—fifty thousand dollars; she refuses indignantly—but stay right there in San Francisco and be an eyesore to Mrs. Ryan, if she cannot be a recognized member of her family. Cannon increases the offer, and adds to it himself, until it has reached three hundred and fifty thousand. And still Berenice will not go.

In the meantime, Dominick Ryan has sought out Rose two or three times, has met her twice alone, by accident; but she has finely recalled him to his duty to his wife, and they believe that each is now to go his way. Berny Ryan, having witnessed a meeting between her husband and Rose, stops Rose in the street and taxes her with trying to win away Dominick, telling her of Cannon's part in the offer of money for a divorce. Rose is horrified; and her innocence, indignation and evident intention of right-doing open a new world to the eyes of the adventuress—a world of cleaner minds and high ideals. She recognizes that the girl is Dominick's natural mate, a finer type than herself. Still she will not yield her right.

But now another actor comes on the scene. An actor by profession he is, another of the party who were snowed up at Antelope. Some years back he was married in Chicago to a girl stenographer, who left him after a few months, when he had lost his position in the midst of the terrible summer heat, and was unable to find money in any way. The deserted husband—Carter is his name—was helped to the Klondike by a friend who was going, and there, his friend and partner dying, was reported dead by mistake. He has now come to San Francisco to find his wife, who was a native of the city, and returned there on leaving him; and the strange fact is that he has seen her, followed her, and watcher her enter Dominick Ryan's flat. Ryan supposes it may be some friend of his wife, who is fortunately just coming in, and he expects her to explain. But when the wife enters, explanations are not needed. Berenice recognizes her former husband, and Ryan is free.

Here are the elements of a splendid plot, a plot that, in the hand of—say—Margaret Deland, would furnish a heart-thrilling story. Mrs. Bonner has handled it—not badly, but not with consummate art. One great defect, that is felt through three-fourths of the book, is that the oppression of association with vulgar and ordinary characters is little relieved by contrast with elements. It is only in the latter part of the book that we have any guarantee except the word of the author for believing in the high-mindedness and selflessness of Rose Cannon; and as for the hero, he is a faint and colorless figure throughout the book. He does nothing very forceful in the whole story, plays on the contrary, a decidedly negative, wondering, from time to time, at the high opinion of him cherished by Bill Cannon and his daughter. Here is opportunity lost—the opportunity of emphasizing character and attaining effects by contrasts. As it is, the character study is uneven and at its best only photographic. The story as a whole, if an improvement on Mrs. Bonners' earlier work, does not show her yet the master of her literary tools.

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Problem Plot.

MADE IN HIS IMAGE. By Guy Thorne. The Bobbs-Merrill Company, Indianapolis. (Price $1.50.)

The romance of this story—the love story in it—is of minor import, whether intended to be so or not; it does not appeal greatly to the interest, neither does it mix well with the other. The plot deals with the idea, more than once proposed in some seriousness, of removing criminals and paupers to a colony by themselves, away from the better population, feeding them, but compelling them to labor and guarding against their increase through self-propagation. The moral of the story is not entirely obvious; neither with or without the ministrations of religious teachers are the colonists affected in their life and character. In an uprising of them, the man who still believes in the efficacy of religion sacrifices himself to save the other to the woman both love, as in "The Tale of Two Cities;" and the other returns to the pale of religious belief. But beyond this, nothing is demonstrated except that the colony idea is not a good one—in practice—if this is demonstrated.

In style, the book is planned upon the imaginative lines of H. G. Wells's work, but is of far less literary skill, conveying rather the impression of melodramatic plot and grandiloquent style.

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Slender Plot.

THE FACE IN THE GIRANDOLE. By William Frederick Dix. Moffat, Yard & Co., New York. (Price, $1.25.)

"The Face in the Girandole" has for sub-title, "A Romance of Old Furniture." It is distinctly a Christmas book, the plot of the slenderest, and the only end really likely to be attained by its reading is that the reader may, like the hero, catch the craze for old furniture. The story goes with the craze; it is a parlor drama, with nothing very striking or exciting about it.

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Reprints.

OLD CREOLE DAYS. By George W. Cable. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.
ON NEWFOUND RIVER. By Thomas Nelson Page. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York. (For sale by C. C. Parker, Los Angeles.)

Scribner's Sons reprint this season two notable books of southern life. George W. Cable's earlier short stories, known to us all under the general title "Old Creole Days," and Thomas Nelson Page's fine romance of the time "befo' the wah," "On Newfound River." The books are both finely suitable for holiday gifts, favorites of the people; they are reproduced in excellent form, and should find good sale.

JUVENILE BOOKS.

Life of Lincoln.

THE BOYS' LIFE OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN. By Helen Nicolay. The Century Company, New York. (Price, $1.50.)

The season brings two biographies of Abraham Lincoln—the study of him in his work as attorney by Frederick Trevor Hill, and Helen Nicolay's story of his life, written for young people. Of the two, the latter book is not only the more readable, but gives a clearer picture of the man. It appears to us that it should come before the public as a juvenile book, so excellent and complete is its work, so broadly, calmly judicial are the views taken on moot questions. In distinction from this, Mr. Hill is often a special pleader, impatient with those who differ from his particular ideas, which do not strike the reader as always entirely unbiased.

The very modern character of Miss Nicolay's work may be gathered from her introduction, which adds as wise a word as has been spoken to the controversy over Lincoln's debt to ancestry. She says:

"Abraham Lincoln's forefathers were pioneers—men who left their homes to open up the wilderness and make the way plain for others to follow them. For one hundred and seventy years, ever since the first American Lincoln came from England to Massachusetts in 1638, they had been moving slowly westward as new settlements were made in the forest. They faced solitude, privation, and all the dangers and hardships that beset men who take their homes where only beasts and wild men have been before; but they continued to press steadily forward, though they lost fortune and sometimes life itself, in their westward progress. Back in Pennsylvania and New Jersey some of the Lincolns had been men of wealth and influence. In Kentucky, where the future President was born on February 12, 1809, his parents lived in deep poverty. Their home was a small log cabin of the rudest kind, and nothing seemed more unlikely than that their child coming into the world in such humble surroundings, was destined to be the greatest man of his time. True to his race, he also was to be a pioneer—not, indeed, like his ancestors, a leader into new fields, but a pioneer of a nobler sort."

Mr. Hill says, on the contrary: "One of his eulogists declares that 'Lincoln is not a type. He stands alone—no ancestors—no fellows—no successors.' The facts fully justify the tribute.

It is more than probable that Lincoln inherited many sterling qualities of mind and character from the worthy mechanics and farmers from whom he was descended, but there is very little on the face of the record to encourage any definite claims on their behalf for the shaping of his career." Miss Nicolay's viewpoint is the more recent, the viewpoint of modern scientific anthroology, which finds in "the enterprise of the alobeer a quality offering probability of other high gifts.

The book is full of the little touches that make the man real to us, and Miss Nicolay has a way of reading into circumstances and environment the value in the life of Lincoln that common sense approves as probable—and no more; a wise restraint. This book should take its place not merely as a youth's history of Lincoln, but as a popular biography, read by all. It is finely illustrated with drawings.

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A Good Story.

HARDING OF ST. TIMOTHY'S. By Arthur Stanwood Pier. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston. (Price, $1.50. For sale by Cunningham, Curtis & Welch, Los Angeles.)

This is an exceptionally good boys' story, dealing with life at a private school. The interest centers in the question of a secret society—its usefulness and desirability, and many parents will approve the lesson taught. The book is, moreover, excellently written, by one who knows boys and their aims and inclinations, and will appeal strongly to those for whom it is intended.

A Hero Out of History.

THE STORY OF GEN. RICHARD MONTGOMERY. By Percy K. Fitzhugh. McLoughlin Bros., No. 890 Broadway, New York.

Here is a hero story intended not for the older, but for younger boys; as one guesses from the careful crudity of its exposition, which is distinctly a "writing down" to its audience in matter, while the manner style remains often "grown up"; stilted and pedantic and dry, somewhat on the Rollo-books order. The viewpoint is also often partisan, perhaps almost necessarily so, in the attempt to render great historic questions comprehensible to younger readers; and the question is whether the facts thus imparted atone for the bias thus instilled in young and plastic minds. It is time, in this twentieth century, that books written for the young should begin to take note of their responsibility for the impression they convey, the bent they give the mind of their youthful readers.

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Christmas Books.

THE GOLDEN GOBLIN. Told in prose and verse by Curtis Dunham, author of "Two in a Zoo," and in pictures by George P. Kerr. The Bobbs-Merrill Company, Indianapolis.

THE JINGLE OF A JAP. By Clara Bell Thurston. The H. M. Caldwell Company, Boston.

MOTOR CAR PETER. By Archibald Williams. Illustrated by A. Wallis Mills. George W. Jacobs & Co., Philadelphia.

LAZY JOHN, THE BOY WHO WOULD NOT WORK. By Charles and Amy Steedman, after Heinrich Meise. Drawings by Gertrude Caspari. George W. Jacobs Company, Philadelphia.

"The Golden Goblin" is a beautiful production of the bookmaker's art, the text profusely illustrated and printed over illustrations, the pictures imaginative, the text large and clear, the cover an ideal child's book cover, strong and bright with color—the title showing under a large and charmingly drawn picture of two children soaring on a flying fish. The story is of fair value, imaginative, a fairy tale, and will please many little readers.

"The Jingle of a Jap" is a Christmas book for very little ones and of fascinating illustrations in color, portraying the adventures of a Japanese doll. It is one of the prettiest of the Christmas books for the very little ones, who delight in color. The two books named above from the press of George W. Jacobs are delightful imitations of German models. "Motor-car Peter" in particular, patterned after "our old friend Struwelpeter, is one of the most successful things of its kind that have been done, and may be strongly recommended to the adult, as well as the child, especially to the adult who owns a motor car, for his amusement and delectation. The drawings are admirable, the best possible imitations of the German originals that accompany the famous text. The sad and moral tales of the book concern Motor Peter, Cruel Adolphus, Headlong Henry, Disobedient Frederick, Willful William, and Flighty Michael. Motor Peter introduces the book:

"Motor Peter here you see—
What a spectacle is he.
Look, his hands are never clean—
'Tis a year since they have been;
And the oil has patched his clo'es
From his collar to his toes;
Any job is nicer far
Than to currycomb a car."

"Adolphus was as bad a man
As ever made a Panhard pan.
He dearly loved to blind and, choke
In clouds of dust all passing folk;"

And the tale follows Adolphus through many misdeeds until he brings up in bed his delirious fancies haunted by a monster dog that

"Lolls its tongue and bids him try
Some liniment and humble pie."

To young and old this book is heartily commended.

BIOGRAPHY.

Henry Irving.

SIR HENRY IRVING. By Percy Fitzgerald. Revised edition. George W. Jacobs Company, Philadelphia. (Price, $3.)

"The present is practically the third issue of this life. It was written under Irving's hearty encouragement, and all the earlier sheets were corrected and revised by him. It has been thoroughly revised, large additions have been made which cover a period of some ten years and bring the work practically down to his lamented death."

It is an excellent work of its kind—chatty, full of anecdotes, dealing with the man and his work from all sides. This latest edition contains upwards of 300 pages, large octavo.

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Abraham Lincoln.

LINCOLN, THE LAWYER. By Frederick Trevor Hill. The Century Company, New York. (Price $2 net.)

Frederick Trevor Hill, believing that Lincoln's training in the law, in theory and practice, was his best preparation for the work of political leadership, has given us a large volume upon this subject, full of the result of much careful research and a valuable contribution to history. Some omissions were made above on incidental moods of the author of this work; but the book as a whole is nevertheless excellent, and gives us many new glimpses of the great emancipation. It is finely illustrated with drawings and halftones.

MUSIC.

History of Opera.

THE STANDARD OPERAS. By George P. Upton. New edition, revised and enlarged. A. C. McClurg & Co., Chicago. (Price, $2 net.)

McClurg and Company issue a new and profusely illustrated edition of Upton's handbook of operas—a very complete compendium of short biographies of composers, with comment on their work, the chief fault of which is that they are arranged alphabetically in the text, whereas this arrangement should have been followed in the index and the historical sequence in the text. However, the book is convenient as small and compact, yet very full in its data. The present edition contains nearly 500 pages, small octavo.

DRAMA.

Captain Letterblair.

CAPT. LETTERBLAIR. By Marguerite Merington. Arranged from the prompt-book used in the original Lyceum production. The Bobbs-Merrill Company, Indianapolis.

This clever play is amusing reading, although it makes apparent the fact that that may please upon the stage which is both too light and too exaggerated in effects to satisfy when read—that the modern stage, at least, achieves success with plays that, even if fair as wholes, cannot stand detailed criticism. It is doubtful whether "Captain Letterblair" in book form will find a sufficient sale to pay for its publication; while the play has always an appreciative audience.

OTHER LANDS.

Panama.

PANAMA; THE ISTHMUS AND CANAL. By C. H. Forbes-Lindsay, author of "India, Past and Present;" "The Philippines Under Spanish and American Rules;" "America's Insular Possessions," etc. The John C. Winston Company, Philadelphia. (Price, $1 net.)

This appears to be a careful, conservative history of the canal project of Panama down very nearly to date—that is, bringing matters down to six months ago—with some added chapters on the influence of canals in general, and a survey of the trade effects of each of the great canals of the world. The volume is a handbook of information, not very detailed, but sufficiently so to meet the needs and desires of the average inquirer for information on this subject. It will doubtless have a good sale just at this time.

PEOPLE AND THINGS LITERARY.

William Dean Howells has returned from Maine, where he spent the summer and much of the fall, and will probably be in New York during the winter.

Prof. Louis Derr, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, is an enthusiastic photographer as well as a professor of physics, and he has combined these two pursuits in the writing of his book on "Photography for Students of Physics and Chemistry," which is just published by The Macmillan Company. Prof. Derr describes this volume as an attempt to present a discussion of photographic processes, so that the photographic worker of ordinary scientific training may obtain a clear idea of the nature and purpose of his operations.

The Macmillan Company announces for early publication a book on "Freedom in the Church," by the Rev. Dr. Alexander V. G. Allen, professor of church history in the Episcopal Theological School at Harvard. In this important work Dr. Allen will treat such topics as: "Ruling Ideas of the Angelican Church in the Age of Reformation," "Variety of Interpretation, as the Condition on Which Creeds Are Held," "The Vows of the Clergy," "Clerical Honesty," "The Virgin Birth and the Apostle's Creed," "The Catholic Theory of the Incarnation," "The Angelican Theory of the Incarnation," "The Modern Sensitiveness About the Virgin Birth," etc.

The recent death of Mrs. Jefferson Davis gives a new interest to many chapters of Mrs. Myrta Lockett Avary's book, "Dixie After the War," which has much intimate, biographical detail and reminiscence of the entire Davis family. She tells, among other things, the story, little known, of how Mrs. Davis prevented her husband from escaping in his flight after the fall of the Confederacy. After leaving Washington, Ga., Mr. Davis had heard that marauders were in pursuit of his wife's cortege, and turning out of his course, he rode hard across country, found his family, conveyed them beyond the present danger, as he thought, and was about to renew his journey south. The party camped, when he was roused at dawn by his negro servant, who said troops were coming. Mrs. Davis begged her husband to leave. His horses and weapons were near the road down which the cavalry was coming. In the darkness of the tent, he caught up what he took to be his raglan, a sleeveless, waterproof garment. It was hers. she then threw a shawl over his head. He went out of the tent, she keeping near. "Halt!" cried a trooper, leveling a carbine at him. Mr. Davis dropped his wraps and hurried forward. Mrs. Davis say the carbine, cast her arms around her husband, and lost him his one chance of escape, for he might have slipped away in the dark.

NEW MAGAZINES.

The Engineering Magazine for December gives the leading place to O. M. Becker's article on "Modern Adaptations of the Apprenticeship System." The topic is one of great and increasing interest, under existing industrial conditions, and the information given concerning the methods and experience of many leading firms is of real importance and value. Henry W. Jacobs's study of organization and economy in the railway machine shop has a like claim on the attention of the advanced works manager; both are fully and effectively illustrated. A. E. Dixon continues his review of accepted practice in the planning and construction of the power plant, and his illustrations tell a story as significant as his text. Other features of the issue in which the pictures are most effective in illustrating the letter press are an account of the new tin region of the York Peninsula, Alaska, by Frank L. Hess, the official of the United States Geological Survey, who examined the region, and an analysis of the Peruvian water powers and their possibilities, by Emile Guarini, professor of engineering in the Lima University. Reginald Pelham Bolton, the well-known expert, discusses the prevention of elevator accidents in a manner likely to suggest much needed reforms in methods of inspection and regulation, and Edwin J. Prindle concludes his synopsis of patent law with an abstract of the patent relations of employer and employé.

"My Life—So Far," by Josiah Flynt, is an important autobiography, the first installment of which appears in Success Magazine for December. Mr. Flynt, who is the author of numerous stories dealing with tramps, pickpockets, and other denizens of the underworld, begins here the narration of his life-story of wandering through many countries, always seeking a will-o'-the-wisp, the treasure at the end of the rainbow. The route of this noted wanderer led him in his fruitless chase from the brakebeam of an American box car to the home of Tolstoi, to the University of Leipsic, to mysterious cities of Asia, to the "open road" of the vagabond adventurer in half a dozen countries. Vance Thompson writes of some remarkable features of "The Dreyfus Affair," and its bearing upon the destinies of the French republic. Samuel Merwin tells of the first meeting of the People Lobby, the national legislative bureau for which Success Magazine is receiving contributions. This issue is strong in fiction.

It will be remembered that in 1903 C. Lowe Dickinson published anonymously a volume entitled "Letters from a Chinese Official," making use, as he says, of a familiar literary device to expose what appeared to him certain weak points of western civilization. The book called forth from William Jennings Bryan another, entitled "Letters to a Chinese Official, Being a Western View of Eastern Civilization," Mr. Bryan being unaware that the authorship had been avowed. Now Mr. Dickinson has written a rejoinder to Mr. Bryan, which will appear in the December Century under the title of "Eastern and Western Ideals." It confirms the idea put forth in the review of Mr. Bryan's book in these columns. "I do not propose to defend my representation of China against Mr. Bryan's," says Mr. Dickinson. "For my purpose I selected all the good, as he, for his, has selected all the evil; and a controversy carried on upon such lines as those can have no fruitful result. Nor would it be really interesting or relevant. Like Mr. Bryan, I am a westerner; it is western civilization with which we are both most nearly concerned; and if I differ with him, it is not, I think, upon the question of ultimate ideals, but upon the degree to which we have realized, or are in process of realizing, them."

The December number of Suburban Life carries out most successfully its policy of catering to the great and steadily-increasing number of our population who like to combine country life with city wage earning. Although this number starts off with an article by Miss Martha McCulloch-Williams called "An Old Plantation Christmas," which describes the joys of Christmas time in the South "before the war," and there is an editorial on suburban living and the Christmas spirit by the Rev. Charles F. Dole, the number is not entirely devoted to the Christmas literature, so to speak, as are many of the magazines. An interesting article is "Let's Have a Den," which describes briefly the sort of room that men like to have, and is admirably illustrated with photographs showing the greatest possible variety in furnishing this sort of room. Edward T. Hartman, secretary of the Massachusetts Civic League, writes up "The Boston Town Room," showing what an admirable institution this is, and indirectly advises other cities to take up the same movement. There is also a most practical and interesting article on "Buying a House With a Mortgage—Is It Cheaper than Paying Rent?" by Charles J. Fuess, well known as author of books on economy of household holding. An illustrated article on "The Luxury of a Sun Room" tells how any one who has a piazza, or a porch, may inclose them with glass and add a fascinating room to the house.

She Was Relieved.

The big green automobile sped down the frosty road. Above the noisy "chug chug" of the machine he had proposed and had been refused.

"Life is not worth living," he sighed. "My heart is punctured." The beautiful girl smiled.

"Thank goodness!" she exclaimed in great relief.

"Thank goodness for what?"

"That it is your heart that is punctured and not a tire. We are twenty miles from a repair station."

Without a word he put on full speed and ran over a pig and two cows just to let his feelings out.—[Chicago News.

California Children on Spanking.

Prof. Barnes's returns from 3000 California children indicated overwhelmingly that they did not resent whippings as such; any punishment was resented if the child thought he had not had due notice of the consequences, or that his excuses had not been sufficiently considered, or other children had been let off more easily; but a scolding that did not satisfy these requirements left more bitterness than a whipping that did.—[Good Housekeeping.

INVESTIGATING IRISH MISERY.

Members of Parliament Are Properly Shocked.

Fifty Dollars a Year for Some Families.

Congested Districts Scene of Hopelessness

BY ARTHUR R. HINTON.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

DUBLIN, Nov. 18.—An event that may have a very important effect upon Irish legislation before Parliament, is the visit of eight Liberal members, headed by Percy Alden, M.P., to what are known as the congested districts on the west coast of Erin. The party accompanied by a number of members of the Friends' Social Union, traveled through the parts of the island that are most distinctively Irish, the least known and least understood by Englishmen, and the poorest.

Commencing at the northwest corner of Ulster province in County Donegal the visitors went south through Sligo, Mayo, Galway, including the Connemara district lying west of the city of Galway, and through County Clare. Roscommon and adjoining counties in the interior were visited as well as a large part of the balance of the island. The report of the party, as stated by Mr. Alden in a newspaper interview at Liverpool, on his return, is anything but encouraging.

The writer made a tour of most of these same districts about two weeks before the band of legislators arrived on the scene. At that time the potato blight had begun to work sad havoc and the prospects were for great suffering among the people of these districts who are poverty-stricken at best. Mr. Alden confirms all this and adds even more. He furthermore states that his views are concurred in by his colleagues.

WILL NOT SELL.

Compulsory purchase of the huge grazing estates that now keep the peasantry in many places off the best lands, is frankly advocated by the legislators. Not even the liberal terms now offered them under the present land laws, even with bounties offered as an inducement, have been sufficient to bring about a sale of the lands that are often most desired. For years the Nationalists have demanded a law that will compel the landlords to do this and Mr. Alden frankly declared that the entire party is united in favor of this course. The effect of such a stand in Parliament may be very great. Next to home rule it is likely to prove the most important question to come up. If a bill for this is introduced it will be fought with determination by the opposition upon the ground, no doubt, that it is in effect a measure of confiscation of property. But then it will be by no means the first time that private property has been taken under the right of eminent domain when considered necessary for the public good, sometimes even without any compensation being given. The Dillon and De Freyne estates in Roscommon county are especially referred to by Mr. Alden as being subjects for compulsory sale.

The compulsory sale of the grazing lands to the tenants will not, however, as Mr. Alden points out, and as is self-evident to any casual observer in the country, solve the problem in the worst of the congested districts of Connemara and County Clare. For here there are scarcely any lands of practical value for farming available, nearly all are bog and rocks. To remove the people to another distric is also a hard matter as where there is good land there are plenty already there to occupy it who feel they should have first choice. Another difficulty may be found in the unwillingness of the peasant to move, for few Irishmen move in their own country although they may go to England, America, Australia or South Africa willingly.

FRIGHTFUL POVERTY.

In some of these poorer districts there are cases of land being sold as low as one and half pence an acre on four-teen and a half years purchase. The terrible poverty of the people is shown by the fact that many families—not small families, either—have incomes only of from nine to ten pounds a year—less than $50. Their houses are often far inferior to the stables used by English and American farmers. Poverty, filth and misery are the chief characteristics of the people, who are often paying rent for land at the rate of a pound or thereabouts up that would appear to a visitor high at six pence.

In parts of the congested districts a gradual improvement is being effected. The Congested Districts Board, a commission appointed for the purpose of improving conditions, is building better homes for the people where the lands have passed from the hands of the landlords to the government and are being sold to the tenants. These buildings are of stone, with substantial roofs and floors, and several rooms instead of one room, with dirt floor and thatched roof.

The people have been induced to undertake the betterment of their own premises, too, and to build outbuildings for the chickens and pigs instead of keeping them in the family home. Strange as it may appear to a visitor, the people often must be shown and urged to this, although there are not wanting those who are possessed of some little means and could do it with ease. It seems as if they had been down so long and lived for so many generations in filth and poverty that they fail to realize that there is any better way to live.

DOING GOOD WORK.

The legislators pay high tribute to the work of the Congested Districts Board, saying that wherever it has been at work there is a marked change for the better. While concurring in this opinion, the writer must add that among the districts in Clare and Connemara, as well as some in other parts of Galway, Mayo and Donegal, there is the greatest need for such changes where there is no evidence that anything has been done.

A royal commission is at present inquiring into the conditions of the congested districts, and Mr. Alden declares that he believes that its report will be in favor of compulsory purchase and sale to tenants of the lands. From this it looks very much as though the days of the landlords are numbered. Already many of the big estates have been sold to the government, and then resold to the tenants, or rather the government has advanced the purchase money for the tenants. The latter repaying it in installments covering many years, fifty or thereabouts being about the number usual, at the end of which time the property passes to the tenant and becomes his in fee. The terms of repayment make it virtually a question of a change of landlords until the amount is settled. The first benefit received by the farmer is in the form of a reduction of about 20 per cent. in his rent.

FARMERS FAVOR IT.

There is considerable fault found with the details of the workings of the Land Purchase Acts by political leaders and some others, the alleged high prices being a frequent cause of complaint. The farmers generally, however, appear to recognize the improvement over old conditions. Much remains to be done, and when the land is finally transferred to the people it is likely to take time before the full benefit is realized. The cessation of the years of strife over the land question will in itself, however, be a great boon. More industries are the crying need of Ireland, but where is the man who will invest his capital in any business in a country that is in a continual uproar and where agrarian strife is the rule.

It is likely also that Parliament will be called upon to establish relief works to furnish employment. The visiting members are of that opinion, and will probably recommend that it take the form of building piers and slips on the coast, the construction and improvement of roads and the extension of railways, all of which are badly needed. With better facilities for shipping a great improvement might be had in the sea commerce of several towns while there are large districts without railroad connections. As the Irish railways are paying but very badly at present the owners are not anxious to invest in many extensions. The Midland Great Western, which serves the west coast and congested districts, in particular, makes a very poor showing in its last annual report. The dividend was only 3 per cent., and this was paid by the use of moneys not generally so expended.

OF THINGS LITERARY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Nov. 21.—William Shakespeare is the hero of a new and striking novel by the Danish woman writer, Sophus Banditz. Moreover, British and American readers will probably soon have a chance to read this tale, for Queen Alexandra, who recently read it in the original, was so much impressed by its merits that she at once advised the authoress to have it translated into English. This translation is now proceeding, and the English version is to be dedicated to the Queen who is, of course, herself a Dane.

Sophus Banditz, who has thus ventured to put the "Bard" into a novel, is a comparatively recent recruit to the world of letters. But her work has shown such all-round brilliance that she is being spoken of everywhere as the coming novelist of Denmark. Among the Danish people, her books are extremely popular, and she has had much commendation and help from the royal family of Denmark, and especially from the Queen of England and the Dowager Empress of Russia.

In her new novel Miss Banditz takes Shakespeare to Denmark as one of the players of Leicester's company of players. He is, however, known simply as "Will." At Elsinore he meets with an accident and is nursed by Iver Kramm a schoolmaster, and his sister, Christence. During his convalescence he reads the Latin Chronicle of Saxo Grammaticus, and is deeply interested in the story of Prince Amlet. Christence learns to love "Will," and declares herself. When she finds he has a wife and children in England, like Ophelia, she drowns herself. Kramme does not know "Will's" surname until years afterward, when the captain of a ship presents the schoolmaster with a copy of the 1603 edition of Hamlet. Then "Will's" identity as Shakespeare is revealed.

Lady Troubridge, who wrote, "The Woman Thou Gavest," and whose other books are known in America, is hard at work on a four-act play. I doubt if there is another equally well-known writer in England who can claim to have started as young as did this beautiful society woman, who is a sister to the Countess of Dudley. Lady Troubridge—then Laura Gurney—began writing fairy tales in the nursery, and at the age of 10 she had a story published and paid for. It was a simple but dramatic little tale called "The Death Card." The English Argosy published it and for many succeeding years Laura Gurney was one of the regular writers for this and other magazines.

She is still an indefatigable literary worker, although she has no need to write for any financial return it may bring her. She was born in the purple. When she came "out" in society and was presented at court, she instantly became known as the most beautiful of debutantes. Before the summer was over she was the beauty of the season. Noblemen of all degrees, great men of the service, money kings, and princes of art and letters were her attendant satellites.

Like many other fashionable and wealthy women of London, Lady Troubridge, before her marriage, worked among the poor children in the East End slums. She especially devoted tender care to the cripples. One of the sights of her wedding, a sight perhaps never before or since witnessed, was the presence of several score of crippled children at the church.

She was a great favorite with the late G. F. Watts, R. A., the famous artist. He painted many pictures of her as a girl and encouraged her greatly in her writing.

For the first few years after her marriage Lady Troubridge devoted herself exclusively to her home life. Then when her three children, two daughters and a son, became of a school age, she plunged once more into her literary work. Today she is perhaps the best-known woman of title in the literary world of the country.

Yet she is still noted also for her beauty and the beauty of her daughters. The most exquisite picture now on exhibition at the Grafton Galleries is one by Archibald Wortley depicting Lady Troubridge and her children. Her eldest, a girl of eleven, is considered the prettiest of Lon... children.

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THE RAMBLER.

He Was All at Sea.

As the little steamer from Long ... the little wharves and nearer to the ... puffed nearer and nearer to the ... piers of San Pedro, the bride ... nestled fondly against her new husband's sleeve and pointed, cooing out: "Oh, George, what is that?"

"That," said George tenderly, "is a bell buoy, dearest."

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That's where the prefect made a mistake, for it presupposed that cow performed the miracle of swimming the Straits of Messina and reaching the mainland—also traveling hundreds of miles in as many days. These facts, at first overlooked, attracted attention, and an ingenious journalist in the extreme south of Italy, published an interesting article on the cow and how, if it had wings or had been a passenger on a first-traveling airship, might have arrived in his town a few minutes after the official telegram.

When other papers took up the story of the cow, officials in the departments of Posts and Telegraphs and in the department of Justice, began to tear their hair.

The government finally issued a circular complaining of the extravagance in the matter of telegrams, where indeed, was an illustration of the extent to which Italian functionaries use the right of sending official telegrams at the public expense. Giuseppe Morlin, the subordinate head of the police of a little town near Palermo, did not lose his cow but he did hear from the government. And the communication came through the channels by which the police was signed by the Prefect himself. It demanded that a full report on the lost, strayed or stolen cow be sent to the official general alarmed Questore in Rome but—not to headquarters.

The result of the whole affair was that there has been the receipt by the Italian government of a bill from the government telegraph office for the telegrams sent and odd telegrams answered. The bill amounted to the pretty sum of 507 lire, or about $100. This represents half of the sub-prefect's annual salary and also the whole salary, many cows such as the one strayed or stolen one.

Signor Giuseppe will work harder and be sure to be careful in future not to put out telegraphic general alarms. The government is rather pleased with the publicity given this case, as it will be, the Ministers believe, a salutary example of officials in Rome and other departments. Moreover, the cow nothing has been heard of.

Not Straight Enough.

"He's the ruler of that ward."

"Oh, no, he's the machine boss of the ward."

"Well, 'machine boss' or 'ruler,' what's the difference?"

"My friend, the word 'ruler' has nothing straight."

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The foolish maiden, the Rambler, is sure, has had a long line of successors, and probably always has had all women—especially when they are very young—know the wide gulf that lies between courage and foolhardiness. Certainly the pretty girl of lions in Omaha, Neb., who wanted her lover, a young man of Oakland, Cal., to be married in the midst of her big pets, was asking rather much even from a Californian. "The feast is spread, the guests are met"—then why does the bridal procession tarry? Because the lovely bride had suddenly thought of something novel and brilliant she would be married nowhere but at home," in a lion's den.

There was no wedding that day, of course. Yet the would-be bridegroom's boldness was in trying to live up to such a foolish behest as that of his bride-to-be (and not to be) admiration for courage did not detract from his inability to take the cage. None but a driveling idiot would have done it on such short notice. It takes time to get used to the close proximity of unchained lions.

Any man who has not the courage to say what I do every day is "a man I can marry," said the disdainful princess of lioness.

Any woman who dares to contemplate living behind the bolted bars of a den with such an Amazon as this must be branded as a coward!

IN THE BIG INDUSTRIES.

Glass Tile for Roofing.

Probably the greatest achievement of the present day in tile roofing from a practical point of view has been the development of glass tile for lighting purposes. Its advantages over the ordinary glass skylight are manifold. The glass tiles are of the same pattern as the clay tile, and in factory work, upon an open steel construction, the glass tile may be inserted just as a clay tile would be in any number or in any position desired.

As to durability, the doing away with the sheet metal work, or even of wired glass, plays an important part. Advocates of tile roofing contend that galvanized iron and tin yields quickly when it comes in contact with the gases that arise almost invariably from a factory. The life of this customary support to the skylight is three years, or four at the outside, and then it must be renewed or away goes the skylight. Moreover, the glass tile washes clean, while the glass surrounded by the sheet metal work never can be.

Oil Trust Rival Booms.

Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock gave his official indorsement of the project of Mellon & Co. of Pittsburgh for constructing a $7,000,000 pipe line from Bartelsville, I. T., to Port Arthur, Tex., for the purpose of competing with the Standard Oil Company in the Southwest. W. L. Mellon of Pittsburgh, head of the concern, said the public might rest assured that the Standard Oil Company would have nothing to do with the new pipe line. He said the ultimate object was to get at the Indian Territory oil, which has been found to be almost as good as the Pennsylvania product. The pipe will be an eight-inch one all the way, which will take care of a large territory.

Make Traction Engines.

The D. W. McLaughlin Company has secured four acres of land in Berkeley for the erection of a plant for the manufacture of traction engines. Over one hundred men will be employed. Plans are under way to break ground before the end of the year. Buildings will cover over half of the site. The engine to be manufactured is patented by the head of the firm, D. W. McLaughlin. The company has now a plant in San Francisco.

Paper from Papyrus.

A band of British capitalists propose to revive paper making from papyrus. The cultivation of this plant has been extinct for over 1000 years. The papyrus reeds, at first, will be brought to England and made into pulp in an English mill until sufficient trade has been worked up. Then the papyrus syndicate will build its own mills in Egypt and ship the pulp. Smedley Norton, the author and explorer, was commissioned to revive the seventh-century papyrus reed. The Nile grass, commonly known as papyrus, is not the real thing. Mr. Norton discovered some true papyrus seeds in remote parts of Syria and Palestine, near the River Jordan and Sea of Galilee, and cultivation was begun.

After exhaustive experiments, Dr. Querin Weirtz, consulting chemist and analyst of the Paper Makers' Association of Great Britain, has produced the most admirable pulp. A committee of experts has outlined all the methods for cultivation and paper manufacture and the company is going ahead. Papyrus grows in water from seven to ten feet high, and one can gather three crops a year. The land of the company is irrigated by the Nile and is only plowed every five years.

They will begin manufacture of paper in the spring, when they will have 150,000 tons of papyrus ready for the market.

Large Winery Being Built.

The California Wine Association has commenced work on the erection of its warehouse and winery, on Point Molita, Richmond Island. The association asserts that on its completion it will be the largest winery in the world and that the cost will be more than a half-million dollars.

The plant will be capable of crushing 25,000 tons of grapes annually and accommodation for 10,000,000 gallons of wine is to be provided. There are twenty-seven acres devoted to the plant and the wharf for the shipments by sea is already completed. Tracks are to be run to the main lines of the Santa Fé and Southern Pacific railroads for interior transportation.

The buildings are to be constructed of concrete and in connection with the winery proper there is to be established bottling works, a cooperage and tartaric-acid retorts. Cattle are to be fed from the grape refuse.

PEOPLE OF THE COAST.

Miss Gladys Munroe, who has been for many years the leading violinist of Fruitvale, is soon to leave for Europe, where she will study music under European masters. She has given several recitals in Fruitvale and San Francisco, where she has attracted the attention of the music-loving people. She will fit herself for the concert stage.

Judge Henry McGinn, of Portland, a prominent attorney of the Oregon bar, was recently fined $150 by Judge Sears at Portland for quoting a line of Shakespeare at the court. The quotation was "Not poppy nor mandragora, nor all the drowsy syrups of the world shall pass judgment upon me." The words were hurled at Judge Sears by the irate attorney, and the court imposed the fine for contempt.

E. Goucher, chief gardener at the National Plant and Introduction Garden at Chico, has severed his connection with the garden and departed for Washington, D. C., where he will enter the service of the Department of Agriculture in another department.

A. E. Nye, appointed State Controller by Gov. Pardee to fill the place left vacant by the death of Edward P. Colgan, has been a newspaper man practically all his life, his last journalistic venture being the Oakland Enquirer, which he assisted in establishing.

Clerk H. W. Wood of the Appellate Court at Sacramento will resume the practice of law with the advent of the new year.

Editor Vaughn of "The Californian" of Eureka has been found guilty of an assault with a deadly weapon as a result of firing three shots at Editor Hyatt, of the Eureka Herald. The latter alleged that Vaughn had been blackmailing saloonkeepers.

SCIENCE NOTES.

Electrical Farming.

Experiments in electrical farming which have been held by Prof. Leusthoem of Helsingsfors, have demonstrated some very interesting facts. In one experiment with carrots the yield was increased 20 per cent. the first year and 90 per cent. the second year over plants that were not treated electrically. In another experiment with potatoes, where the current was generated galvanically in the earth by means of copper and zinc plates connected by insulated wires strung above growing vines, an increased yield of from 60 per cent. to 100 per cent. was recorded. Some scientists now claim that the large harvests of Spitzbergen and Finland are due to the electrical influence of the aurora borealis.

Indian Hemp and Catalepsy.

A single grain of the rosin of Indian hemp will produce catalepsy in a man. A few hours are required for the effects to reach a climax, when his limbs may be placed in almost any position without difficulty, and when once placed they remain in the given position indefinitely, although the natural influence of gravity would cause them to fall. During the catalepsy the body is usually insensible to all impressions.

A Narcotic from Lettuce.

The stem of the common lettuce when the plant is flowering will, when cut, exude a milky juice, which will turn brown in the air and dry to a friable mass. The smell of the dried juice resembles the smell of opium, and the effect on the brain is about the same—inducing sleep. The taste is bitter and remains in the mouth for a long time.

A Chemical Plant.

The French Academy of Sciences has heard Prof. d'Arsonval describe artificial vegetables, which he exhibited, that were produced by the methods of Prof. le Duc of the Nantes Medical School.

Prof. d'Arsonval interested his colleagues greatly, but unfortunately for the lay public, did not say whether these so-called vegetables are edible. Although they are described as vegetables, they have nothing of vegetables in their make-up. But they behave after their production as do the real vegetables they resemble under natural conditions.

Into the composition of these products nothing living enters. Prof. le Duc makes a seed in pill form of one part sulphate of copper and two parts glucose. This is deposited on a bouillon made of gelatine, to which are added 3 per cent. of ferro-cyanide of potassium and a little sea salt.

The seed develops sometimes on the surface of the liquid, sometimes in its depths, and finally gives birth to plants resembling seaweed and other marine plants.

Dust an Enemy to Long Life.

The eminent physician, Sir Lander Brunton of London in an article contending it ought to be the rule rather than the exception for men and women to retain their life activities from 90 to 100 years, cites dust among the life shorteners. Dust, he says, is one of the greatest enemies of advanced life, since it is the frequent cause of colds and respiratory diseases. He himself found that frequently in taking a dusty book from a library shelf he caught a cold in the head. This recurred so regularly that he now resorts to sponging the dusty edges of the books and shelves with a solution of carbolic acid before disturbing the dust deposit.

Sweets from Refuse.

The last place one would expect to find material wherewith to compound a toothsome sweetmeat would be a cotton mill. Yet the used-up pickers which have been discarded from the spinning looms form the basis of certain widely-popular jujubes or pastilles.

These pickers consist of long strips of hide studded with wire teeth, set like the wires of a metallic hair brush. After a time the pickers become clogged with fluff, dirt and grease and are then replaced by new ones. Until quite recently the discarded pickers were consigned to the waste heap; now they form the staple of a profitable industry. The hide is separated from the wire and freed from grease and dirt; the gelatine is then extracted and purified, combined with glucose or sugar coloring and flavoring, and sent forth to the lovers of sweetmeats in a variety of tasty confections. What left the mill for the waste heap returns as a dainty, tempting jujube. Verily, these confections, created out of the refuse of a cotton mill, may be regarded as the grub, chrysalis and butterfly of the work-a-day world.

Electricity and Food.

Electricity appears to have something in common with the forces of plant life, and it is just possible that some day the world's food supply will be furnished by its means. Already we know that when an intense electrical discharge occurs in air nitric acid is formed, which, when neutralized with soda, potash or lime, furnishes the indispensable nitrate for plant life.

But apparently electricity is capable of producing food substances in a much more direct way than this. Given carbon, hydrogen and oxygen, in the simple association existing in carbonic acid gas and water, the current under certain conditions will bring about, according to recent researches, a rearrangement of the elements until at length carbo-hydrates are obtained. It is stated that by merely passing a current of definite potential through soda water, or water impregnated with carbonic acid gas, a series of products is formed, culminating in sugars. First of all is formed oxalic acid, then tartaric acid, next citric acid, until at five volts and three amperes grape sugar appears. Should the process always work out correctly mankind will be face to face with a solution of the food problem.

Carbonic acid gas and water are abundant enough throughout the world, and to convert these simple substances into complex foodstuffs by simply manipulating them with the electric current surely promises to bring about the greatest revolution in the history of the world.

The final step would be the conversion of nitrogen into proteids, or the flesh-forming part of foods. Though at present proteids can not be constructed directly, yet the manufacture of nitrate by electricity is a source of stimulus to the synthesizing process of the plant, and, therefore, electricity comes again to our aid in the production of food. The mineral salts required are already a product of the electric current.

Doctoring Growing Wood.

According to Harper's Weekly, an official in the Department of Agriculture, in discussing the growing scarcity of the different woods in the United States, and the imitations being used by various manufacturing concerns, recently said:

"The practice of impregnating wood with fluid substances has been practiced for a long time, and has been done for many economical purposes, but powerful forcing machines and prolonged action were necessary for practical results. Now a French authority comes to the front with a discovery whereby various fluids required are absorbed by the tree by the operations of nature itself. The effectiveness of the process can be easily demonstrated by sprinkling the soil in which a white hyacinth or other white flower is growing with the juice of the Phytolaca decandra, when the white blooms assume in a few hours a red color.

"For coloring purposes the method most practiced is to place the bottom of a trunk of a tree in the fluid you wish to have absorbed, and in a few days it will be found that the liquid has ascended to the highest point. The tree should be cut while full of sap, and the liquid you wish aspired will invade all the texture except the heart. The applicability of the method to many cases will be seen at once.

"It is not necessary that a cut tree should retain all its branches. A single branch with undisturbed leaves at the top is sufficient to produce the circulation and ascension of the fluid. Nor is it absolutely necessary to fell the tree. A cavity made with an ax, or dividing a large part of its substance with a saw, will suffice. In placing the fluid in contact with the cavity it will be rapidly absorbed.

"The ingredient for giving durability to wood and for preserving it from dry or wet rot is pyrolignite of iron. To render wood incombustible or to prevent shrinking or swelling from dryness and moisture, chloride of calcium and the mother water of salt marshes or works are used.

"Colors are given by preparations which will affect the wood directly, or the substances previously introduced. Thus the pyrolignite of iron having been used, the color of ebony is produced by saturating the tree with a tanning matter, which will dye the whole black. The first liquid is so affected as to be converted into what might be called ink."

THE INNOCENT BYSTANDER.

Little Henry Finds Out.

His mother gets him to help her with the Christmas problem and he sleuths on pa and Uncle Bill.

Ma called me to her day before yesterday and sed she wanted me to help her do something.

She had a peece of pencil in her hand that was about a inch long and looked as if she had chewed it to sharpen it, and she had a lot of notes made on the back of a bill from the dressmaker.

Henry, she said, I am puzled to deth to kno what to giv your pa and your Unkel Willyum for Chrismus. I do wish you would kind of pump them and see what they would like to hav, and then tell me, without giving it away to them what you are trying to find out.

All right, ma, I told her, and tried to get a peek at her list to see if she had me down for the maggiezine revolver I want.

but she folded up the paper and put it away.

So that night when pa and Unkel Bill was sitting in the librarey talkin about the way senater Tillman had better look out or he will be playing in a dramma that has a press agent, or else he will be crackin a black snake whip aroun in Unkel Toms Cabin, I ast pa what he thot was the right kind of a Chrismus present.

You otto be satisfide with what you get, my yung man, he sed, without coming around and hintin.

I ain't hinting, I told him. I just wonderd what your idee would be about one for yourself.

Grate Scott! he sed. Has it come to this? it is bad enuff to hafto fork over for the fool things yure ma buys for me without havin to pay for something you get for me.

I dont want to get you anything, I sed. I just want to get yure idee about what you want.

Unkel Bill spoke up and sed most men could tell what they wanted better by telling what they dont want.

What would you like to hav, Unkle Bill? I ast him.

Well, now, he sed, thare is lots of things I would be glad to see in my stockin on Chrismus morning. If I was a woman of course I would yern for dimund bracelets and necklaces and rings and gold wotches that I could pin on me somewhare whare a pickpocket could get them without pickin my pocket. Thare never was a pickpocket that could pick a womans pocket, xcept one that lived in Noo York, and he had been marrid forty times, and he confessed that the reeson he got marrid so menny times was just becos he wanted to lurn whare a woman keeps her pocket. It was a matter of profeshnul pride with him, becos he sed thare was no profit in pickin a womans pocket when all you got was a bunch of samples and a button hook and a powder rag and betwene thirty and forty sents.

But I dont see what pickin pockets has to do with Chrismus presents, I sed.

You wate till you get married, pa spoke up reel quick.

Finelly pa and Unkel Bill they got me to tell them about ma astin me to find out what they wanted, and then they laffed and laffed, and Unkel Bill sed it was a refreshin indication of the change that was takin place when a woman even thought of thinkin about what you wanted. He sed thay usually went ahed and got what they wanted you to want.

You tell your ma, pa sed, that as neer as you can lern what I want is more hair on my hed, my wisdum tooth filled, and fokkin chares that I wont bump into with my legs when I get up in the morning.

And if she asts you what I want, unkel Bill sed, you tell her that I am noncomittal to a degre, but that you think I would prefer a tobacko pouch that has sashay powder inside the lining, a collar and cuff box with pink satin inside of it, a cigar cutter that I can hang on my watch chane whenever I want to feel pertickerly ashamed of myself, a silver handled pensil that she can borrow frum me the day after Chrismus and never giv back to me, and a smoking set made out of hamerd brass that I can sell to somebuddy for finger bowls.

That's rite, pa sed.

But the best Chrismus present for a man, unkel Bill sed, is to pick out a fifty dollar present for him, that he would hafto pay for when the bill comes in, and then not get it.

WILBUR NESBIT.

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BITS OF VERSE.

"The Word."

Oh! A word is a gem or a stone or a song,
Or a flame, or a two-edged sword;
Or a rose in bloom, or a sweet perfume
Or a drop of gall, is a word.

You may choose your word like a connoisseur,
And polish it up with art,
But the word that sways, and stirs, and stays,
Is the word that comes from the heart.

You may work on your word a thousand weeks,
But it will not glow like one
That, all unsought, leaps forth white hot,
When the fountains of feeling run.

You may hammer away on the anvil of thought,
And fashion your words with care,
But unless you are stirred to the depths that word
Shall die on the empty air.

For the word that comes from the brain alone,
Alone to the brain will speed;
But the word from the soul finds a broader goal,
And that is word men heed.

[Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Heartache.

The heart that goes on laughing
And the lips that sing and sing
That the way before them's rosy
And the world is always spring,
And never half so merry
And never half so wise
As the heart that keeps on laughing
Though an ache within it lies!

[Exchange.

Said the Automobile.

"I think," said the automobile,
"The country's not treatin' me fair—
Sometimes, at a pitch,
Don't I run down the rich,
An' kill off a poor millionaire?

"It's true that I'm climbin' the trees,
An' playin' leap-frog with the wall
'Round a church, holdin' meetin'
Red-hot, an' still heatin'!
Oh, I take in the sinners and all!

"It's sad," said the automobile,
"The way they berate me around!
They curse me to kill—
But 'I'm fillin' the bill,'
An' I certainly cover the ground!"

[Atlanta Constitution.

See the Amber Autumn Go.

See the amber autumn go!
Fading flower
And failing leaf,
Glowing dower
Of garnered sheaf;
Every hour
Too golden brief
Till the coming of the snow!

Let the amber autumn go!
Although shine
Gloves way to stress,
Chill wind's whine
And cold's duress.
Yet, divine,
Love's happiness
Still within our hearts we know.

SENNETT STEPHENS.

Music in the Woods.

Ere I had put the strings in tune
I heard the strident bee's bassoon,
And on the wind before I played
There breathed a lwand'ring music made
By the susurrus of the brook;
The breeze that closed my music book
Brought th' incommunicable note
Of morning in a thrush's throat.
And while I played each vibrant tree
Seemed singing imitatively
Till I could not but feel that now
The choric leaves, the aeolian bough
Took only what they gave me, in
The music of my violin,
Whose very soul of melody
Might in the sap of yonder tree
Have mounted upward from the sod
Seraphically pure to God.

FULLERTON L. WALDO.

The Tactful Mr. Taft.

If a country gets unruly,
And chastises us unduly—
We send Taft.

If a colony is sneezing
At our laws and acts displeasing—
We send Taft.

If we get into a rumpus
And a nation wants to thump us—
We send Taft.

If perchance we're badly mixed up,
Diplomatically we're fixed up
By our Taft.

When the Cubans with perfection
Pull off a big insurrection—
We send Taft.

If in Panama the workmen
Drop their picks and duty shirk, Then
We send Taft.

Then to that far distant shores goes
Our Taft.

So when Gabriel's trumpet calls us
Golden Henceward—it appals us—
We'll send Taft.

—[F. D. Pitzer in Philadelphia Ledger.

The "New America."

We love thy ponds and "cricks."
We love thy politics,
Thy Standard Oil,
Thy Southern lynching belts,
Thy Germans and thy Celts,
Thy "Teddy" Roosevelts,
O native soil!

I love thy Kokomos,
Hobokens and Cohoes,
Thy Pittsburghs, too,
Thy Hackensacks—and, yes,
Chicago's dirtiness,
And e'en, I must confess,
Kalamazoo!

—[Cleveland Leader.

The One Man Out of Ten.

Nine men toil while one man plays,
Nine men serve one all their days;
Nine men beg what one may give,
Nine men die that one may live.

One man laughs while nine men sigh;
One succeeds where nine men try;
One man wins the love he craves,
Nine men to pretense are slaves.

One man hopes while nine despair;
One usurps what nine should share;
"Some time," nine men weakly say,
Boldly one man says "Today!"

—[S. E. Kaiser in Chicago Record-Herald.

Midwinter Number of The Times

To Be Issued January 1, 1907

As usual, on the first day of the year, will be issued the **MIDWINTER NUMBER** of The Times, the great newspaper annual of the Southwest.

For twenty years this incomparable exponent of the resources and attractions of the Land of the Afternoon has carried its message to hundreds of thousands of readers in the East and in all parts of the world. It has been a steady and persistent, while conservative and reliable, missionary for this section. No other single agency has done more to swell the rapidly growing population of Southern California. During the past twenty years The Midwinter Times has been the direct means of bringing thousands of families to this section.

To promise that the forthcoming **MIDWINTER NUMBER** shall be better than that of last year would perhaps be promising too much. The Times has set a high standard in these special numbers. To excel further is something like asking a two-minute trotter to beat its own record. This, however, The Times promises—that the forthcoming number shall be, in every respect, as good as any that has preceded it—as interesting, as attractive, as reliable. There will be no frothy "write ups" of localities or freak illustrations, that need a chart to explain them. The **MIDWINTER NUMBER**, being specially intended for circulation among the millions east of the mountains, who are thirsting for reliable information about the Land of Promise, will be replete with such facts, set forth in readable, attractive form, masses of dry statistics, difficult of mental digestion and assimilation, being avoided as much as possible.

The Truth is Good Enough

Above all else, The Times prides itself that in these numbers no exaggerated statements of the advantages and attractions of Southern California are made, to lure unwary from their present places of residence. From the beginning, the motto of The Times has been "the truth is good enough about Southern California." Of the thousands who have been brought to this section by a perusal of the **MIDWINTER NUMBER**, not one can honestly say that he was deceived by delusive or exaggerated statments. Rather may these new arrivals say, with the Queen of Sheba, that the truth had not half been told them about the glories of he land where the sun goes down.

A Mammoth Number

The forthcoming **MIDWINTER NUMBER** will consist of six or seven bound magazine sections, of 32 pages each, similar in form to the Sunday Times Magazine, and aggregating about 200 pages. This, in addition to the regular news sheets. These 200 pages—there may be more—are equivalent in volume to seven ordinary books of 300 pages each, with 330 words to the page.

Illustrations

Those who saw the **MIDWINTER NUMBER** last year were specially enthusiastic over the fine illustrations. A prominent Eastern publisher declared that number to be the finest thing of the kind ever put forth from a fast printing press. In the forthcoming number special attention will again be given to the illustrative feature. There will be 50 full-page illustrations, executed in the highest style of the engraver's art, showing, at a glance, the leading features of Southern California, esthetic and material, so that the Easterner, who looks over this number, may feel himself, on arriving here, amid familiar surroundings.

Some of the Contents

Among the subjects discussed in the **MIDWINTER NUMBER** for 1907 are the following:

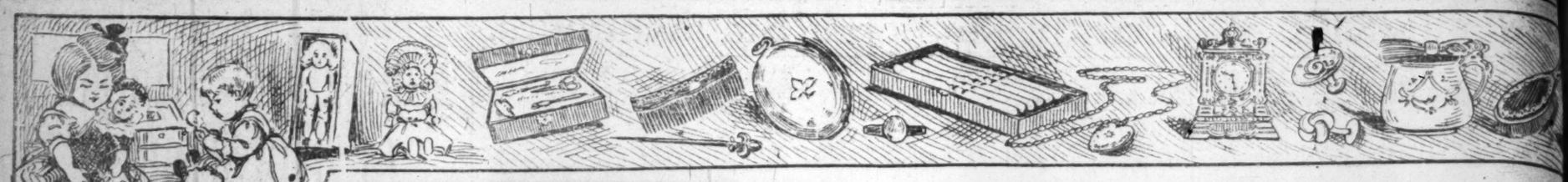
The Home Garden in the Land of Flowers.
Out of Door Amusements and Sports.
Wilmington Harbor; the Port of Los Angeles.
Our Great and Growing Manufacturing Industry.
Marvelous Development of Los Angeles City.
Striking Figures of Postoffice Growth.
Electrical Development in Southern California.
Housekeeping in the Land of Sunshine.
What Easterners Want to Know.
Our New Source of Water Supply.
Canning of Fruit and Vegetables in California.
The Eucalyptus Tree and Its Manifold Uses.
Profitable Products of a Fertile Soil.
Little Known Tropic and Semi-Tropic Fruits.
Land Values in Southern California.
The American Mining Investor in Mexico.
Wonderfully Rich Mining Region Trubutary to Los Angeles.
The Reclamation of the Desert.
Some Forgotten Industrial Ventures.
Climate and Health and the Out of Door Life.
Petroleum, that Furnishes Cheap Fuel.
The Culture of Citrus Fruits.
Breathing Places of Los Angeles.
Where Roses Are Grown by the Acre.
How Los Angeles Gets Its Fish Supply.
A Mountain that Yields Lime, Cement and Marble.
Benevolent Institutions of Los Angeles.
Manufacturing Fuel from Peat.
Where Boston Gets Its Baked Beans.
How the Busy Bee Helps Our Horticulturists.

In addition to the above, and many other special articles, an entire part will be devoted to the year's progress in the thirteen southern counties of California, and another part will be filled with authentic and down-to-date information regarding Arizona and Northern Mexico.

Advertising

It goes without saying that a publication of this kind, that will be read by a hundred thousand or more possible emigrants to Southern California, offers an exceptional inducement to those who wish to catch the attention of such people. All advertisements are attractively displayed, but to obtain preferential locations, it is absolutely necessary that copy should be received early. Those who send in their advertisements in the closing days of December must take their chance of being found "among those present." The latest date on which advertising of any kind can be accepted, for insertion in the **MIDWINTER NUMBER**, is December twentieth.

The Times-Mirror Co., Los Angeles



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For Husband

$1.65 for Men's $2.00 House Slippers.
$2.50 for Patent Leather Dancing Pumps.
$1.95 for Vici Kid Comfort Slippers.
39c for Silk Handkerchiefs with initial.
75c for Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
$1.00 for Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
$2.50 for Silk Suspenders, silver buckles.
$1.50 for Set Suspender Bands and Garters.
25c each for Plain Sheer Linen Handkerchiefs.
$1.00 for Dress Kid Gloves, all shades.
50c for Holiday Neckwear, all styles.
$1.00 for White or Semi-Dress Shirts.
$3.98 for full size Bath Robes.
$7.50 for German Blanket Bath Robes.
$3.98 for good cloth Smoking Jackets.
$6.50 for all wool Smoking Jacket.
$3.50 for Worsted Sweaters, colors and black.
98c for solid ebony Clothes Brush.
85c for Pint Size Flask, wicker covered.
$2.50 for Fancy Dress Vests.
50c for Imported Lisle Hose.
$1.50 for Silk Plate Hose.
$2.50 for All Silk Hose, embroidered.
$2.45 for any $3.00 Man's Hat.
$4.98 for 24-inch Cow Hide Suit Case.
$14.50 for Fitted Walrus Traveling Bag.
$4.95 for Solid Gold Spectacle Frames.
$2.45 for 10-year Spectacle or Eye Glasses.
$1.45 for Gold Filled Eye Glass Chains.
$3.49 for 12-inch Horned Alligator Bags.

For Brother

$7.49 for 14-inch Walrus Club Bags.
$2.98 for Gold Plated Shaving Mirror.
$14.75 Men's 20-Year Hunting Case Watches.
$1.98 for Monogram Stick Pins.
$3.98 for Solid Gold Signet Rings.
$4.95 for Men's 20-Year Watch Chains.
$1.49 for Sterling Silver Match Boxes.
$2.98 for Sterling Silver Match Boxes.
$2.95 for Solid Gold Cuff Links.
$5.98 for Military Hair Brushes, in case.
98c for Sterling Mounted Whisk Broom.
$1.75 for 14-inch Metal Steins.
$15 for Cut Glass Whisky Set.
$1.98 for 6-in. Plated Metal Shaving Mirror.
$3.50 for Triplicate Ebony Shaving Mirror.
$1.85 for Plated Mug and Brush Stand.
$4.50 for Real Ebony Military Hair Brushes.
$1.25 for Ebonoid Military Hair Brushes.
$3.98 for Divinity Circuit Bibles.
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98c for Book of Months, by Benson.
$1.05 John Dough and the Cherub (Baum.)
$2.50 for Fine Waterman's Fountain Pen.
$19.98 for Fine Set Shakespeare, in case.
$13.98 for "Ansco" Folding Camera.
$1.25 for Leather Collar and Cuff Set.
98c for Shaving Set, in box.
$5.98 for Poker Sets, in wood boxes.
$4.98 for Cigar Boxes, with moisteners.

For Fiance

75c for 2-ounce Mission Perfumes, in box.
50c for 8-ounce bottle Mission Toilet Water.
$1.85 for 6-piece Manicure Set, in case.
$2.98 for Solid Gold Signet Rings.
$4.98 for Solid Gold Diamond Rings.
$4.98 for Solid Gold Plain Band Rings.
$12.75 for 20-Year Gold Filled Watches.
$5.00 for Solid Gold Brooches.
$3.98 for Solid Gold Necklaces.
$1.49 for Gold or Silver Chatelaine Bags.
$2.49 for Gold or Silver Chatelaine Bags.
$6.49 for Gold or Silver Chatelaine Bags.
$2.49 for Silver Plated Jewel Boxes.
$15.00 for Solid Silver Purses.
98c for set Gold Filled Beauty Pins.
$1.45 for three Rhinestone Set Beauty Pins.
$1.49 for Gold Filled Watch Pins.
$3.49 for Watch Chains, 20-year guarantee.
$1.45 for 6-Strand Pearl Dog Collars.
$3.45 for Assorted Gold Filled Bracelets.
$4.98 for 20-Year Adjustable Bracelets.
$15.00 for Pearl Mounted Opera Glasses.
$1.95 for Silk Opera Bags.
75c for Gold Filled Belt Buckles.
$4.50 for Assorted Belt Buckles.
$12.50 for 7-piece Toilet Set, in case.
$6.98 for Sterling Manicure Set, in case.
$4.98 for Ebony Comb and Brush Set.
$9.98 for Sterling Comb and Brush Set.

Only 13 Sho

TIME is getting short—how much through the stock of this big store as Christmas presents, and append have a want we cannot supply and at a further—you can select any article from it for you up to the day before Christmas once and we will do our best to satisfy your minds as an indelible fact that we that "what others advertise we sell for his little friends, so bring the children as here.

For Boys

25c for Holiday Silk Neckwear.
25c for Boys' Fancy Suspenders.
$1.50 for Pure Worsted Sweaters.
$12.50 for Juvenile Velvet Suits.
$10.50 for Juvenile Velvet Overcoats.
$1.15 for Boys' Tan Kid Slippers.
$2.00 for Midget Ingersoll Watches.
$6.50 for Boys' 20-Year Open Face
$4.98 for Printing Press, with type.
$2.49 for Automatic Switch Trains.
$4.98 for Rubber Tired California
$1.49 for Infants' Toilet Set.
98c for Infants' Silk Bonnets.
$1.50 for Infants' Bear Skin Bonnet

Christmas China

100-PIECE GERMAN CHINA DINNER SET WORTH $17 AT
$14.29



Best English semi-porcelain in the Dutch Royal pattern; have blue borders; fancy edges and extra light weight; set made up from open stock and is complete for 12 people.

$14.95 For 56-piece cottage set, same as above, and worth regularly $16.00.
$36.68 For 100-piece imported green and red dinner set; Grecian borders; finest china and worth $41.
$39.75 For 100-piece set Haviland & Co. dinner set; apple blossom designs with solid gold handles; worth $45.
$41.19 For 100-piece Austrian dinner set; heavy gold borders; dainty decorations; complete for 12 persons; worth $46.
$29.50 For 100-piece Pougat Limoge French china dinner set; nicely decorated; worth $35.
$31.50 For 100-piece Haviland dinner set; Derby shape; light blue designs; complete for 12 persons; worth $36.

Christmas Millinery

$20 FOR PATTERN HATS WORTH $40.
Are the original French pattern hats in the most exclusive shapes and styles; among them are included our latest importations; are in silk or hand made lace, also maline and velvet, French felts and Beavers; all trimmed in the small chic styles; no two are the same and are in black, white and colors; 50 hats in the lot.



$10 FOR DRESS HATS WORTH $20.
Black velvet picture hats in French felts in the new shapes; plush velvet and Beavers, trimmed with large velvet roses or grapes and ribbon; ostrich plumes, fancy birds or feathers; black, white and colors; the styles are evening or street wear.
$5.00 FOR SUIT HATS WORTH $8.50.
In the newest shapes of pressed French felts or silk velvet; also soft hood shapes with plaid or plain ribbon, velvet, folds, Coque and fancy feather trimmed; all colors and shapes and worth to $10.
SECOND FLOOR.

Tailored Suits: Coats

$35 FOR TAILORED GOWNS WORTH TO $59.00
Handsome creations of the finest Broadcloth; come in all shades, also many of fine fancy suitings in all wanted colors; there are plain tailored coat styles and fancy blouse effects; many suits in the lot worth to $59.00.



$19.00 FOR SILK "AUTO" COATS WORTH $30.00.
An ideal garment for street and auto wear; are made of the very finest quality satin, nicely finished in every way, have patch pockets and coat collars; specially priced for Monday.

$8.95 FOR LONG COATS WORTH $12.50.
Are full seven-eighths length styles, made of a fine quality woolen cloth; come in the wanted black and white combination effects; nicely finished with contrasting velvet collars.

$25 FOR FINE LONG COATS WORTH $30.
The very newest designs in coats; among them are many of Broadcloth in shades of tan and gray, also black; some new effects in the novelty cloth; every garment strictly man-tailored.

$6.95 FOR SILK WAISTS WORTH TO $10.00.
A choice assortment of pretty waists of an exceptionally fine quality Taffeta silk, included in the lot are all colors; are plain tailored and lace trimmed styles; long or short sleeve models; all sizes and specially priced for Monday. Second Floor.

Toilet

50c
50c
40c
50c
35c
$1
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25c
27c
50c
12c
25c
12c
65c

1-2 PRICE
We have a
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some gold
all of which
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inal price.

Ribbons : Emb'deries



25c YD. FOR TAFFETA RIBBON WORTH 50c.
A choice assortment of soft lustrous Chiffon taffeta ribbons in print warp, pompadours, Persian and Dresden effects; also fancy stripes and two-toned paids, light and dark color combinations; widths to 5 inches.
50c YD. FOR SASH RIBBONS WORTH $1.00.
Are of taffeta and louisene in pretty pompadour designs, sprays and floral effects; are pastel colorings on white grounds; 6 inches in width.
$15 FOR EMBROIDERED ROBES WORTH TO $50.
Are of the finest quality sheer Batiste and are embroidered in copies of genuine French hand work; are pompadour, embossed or shadow designs in floral effects; also with panel effects or circular flounces; semi-made with ample material for waist and sleeves.
$3.98 FOR WAIST PATTERNS WORTH TO $6.00.
Are of Japanese crepes in white or dainty pastel shades; nicely embroidered in wisteria and other floral designs; some with combination of embroidery and drawn work.

Christmas Linens



SATIN TABLE DAMASK WORTH $1.25 AT **95c**
Is full bleached pure Irish damask; has fine satin weave; full 67 inches wide; patterns are shamrock, pansy, chrysanthemum and sunflower.
$1.50 YD. FOR TABLE DAMASK 2 YDS. WIDE.
Is an extra fine quality full bleached, close heavy weave and comes in handsome patterns, including snow drop, Fleur de Lis, pansy, rose, poppy and fern; free from dressing of any kind.
$3.25 FOR DOZEN NAPKINS WORTH $4.00.
Are full 24-inch dinner size; full bleached, fine satin finish, extra heavy quality; patterns are floral and snow drop, also plain colors.
$3.50 FOR LINEN BED SETS WORTH $5.50.
Consists of sheet 72x90 inches and two pillow cases; 45x36 inches; are an exceptionally good quality and very nicely embroidered.

Great Purch

Twenty Thousand Y

Not since our great sale of silks last June, which the public will remember as the which we have just consummated. Commencing Monday morning we are going sale will be doubly attractive, not alone because of the very low prices, but coming appreciated as a gift than a beautiful silk dress or waist pattern.

$1.00 YARD PLAIN OR FANCY SILKS WORTH $1.50.
A very special lot of over 8000 yards; are from 21 to 27 inches in width and consists of plaids, checks and stripes in taffetas and louisine weaves; also new Roman stripes and plain taffetas, peau de soie, messaline, evening brocades, poplins and liberty silks, all colors in street or evening shades.

59c durable quality; especially suitable

89c FOR "BROWN" SILKS WORTH TO $1.50.
There's just an even thousand yards of these pretty brown silks; are full 21 inches wide and range in color from the light golden brown to real dark seal; soft weaves and changeable effects.

79c FOR BLACK DRESS TAFFETA WORTH $1.00.
Is an extra fine quality and only a thousand yards in the lot; is 27 inches wide; has soft lustrous finish; a splendid black and woven from the purest silk and will give very satisfactory service.

98c for 36-Inch Black Taffeta, Worth $1.39
One of our very best offerings for the big sale; full yard wide silk of an exceptionally good quality; soft brilliant finish; free from gum or dressing, and is fully guaranteed.

49c for Plain Colored Taffeta Worth 75c
A splendid quality and is a good heavy weight; comes in all the street and evening shades; crisp, lustrous finish and is woven from pure silk; 19 inches wide; 22 different colors.

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Bob Hampton of Placer ..... Parish
The Tides of Barnegat ..... Smith
The Opened shutters ..... Burnham

50c FOR COPYRIGHTS WORTH $1.50
Sold only by Hamburgers.
Marriage of William Ashe ..... Ward
The Lightning Conductor ..... Williamson



The Sea Wolf ..... London
Daniel Sweetland ..... Phillpots
Rezanov ..... Atherton
Eben Holden ..... Bachellor
St. Elmo ..... Wilson
To Have and to Hold ..... Johnson

$2.50 for set 6 Vol. Geo. Eliot's works, cloth
$9.95 for set 8 Vol. Geo. Eliot's works, half leather.
$4.75 for set 10 Vol. Thackeray's works, cloth
$14.98 for set 10 Vol. Thackeray's works, half leather.
$4.98 for set 12 Vol. Scott's works, Waverly edition.

$7.98 for 15 Vol. Dicken's works, cloth
$2.50 for 7 Vol. Shakespeare, complete.
$3.98 for 6 Vol. Shakespeare, handy edition
$2.50 for 5 Vol. Gibbon's Roman Empire.
$10.00 for 8 Vol. Guizot's France.
$3.49 for 5 Vol. McCaulay's History of England.
$1.69 for 3 Vol. Josephus History of the Jews
98c for 3 Vol. Rise of the Dutch Republic.
$1.25 for 3 Vol. Ferdinand and Isabella.

$1.59 FOR TEACHERS' OR SCHOLARS' BIBLE
Is a large 8vo. size, Divinity circuit; nicely bound in French morocco and contains concordance and maps and helps; sells regularly at $1.98.

75c For handsome white prayer beads on silver chain; worth 98c.
75c For Catholic prayer book (Key of Heaven) white or full leather binding; worth 98c.

35c FOR GIRLS' BOOKS WORTH 50c
Dainty Volumes Illustrated.
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With eight colored illustrations.
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KAHN AND THE JAPS.
NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—"The Japa- question, as affecting San Fran- will be the subject of an ad- by Congressman Julius Kahn of fornia, at a dinner of the New Credit Men's Association in New York, Tuesday evening.

THREE BOYS DROWNED.
ALBANY (N. Y.) Dec. 9.—William Matthew Moss and George boys about 15 year sof age, through the ice and were today while skating on the River, opposite the city.

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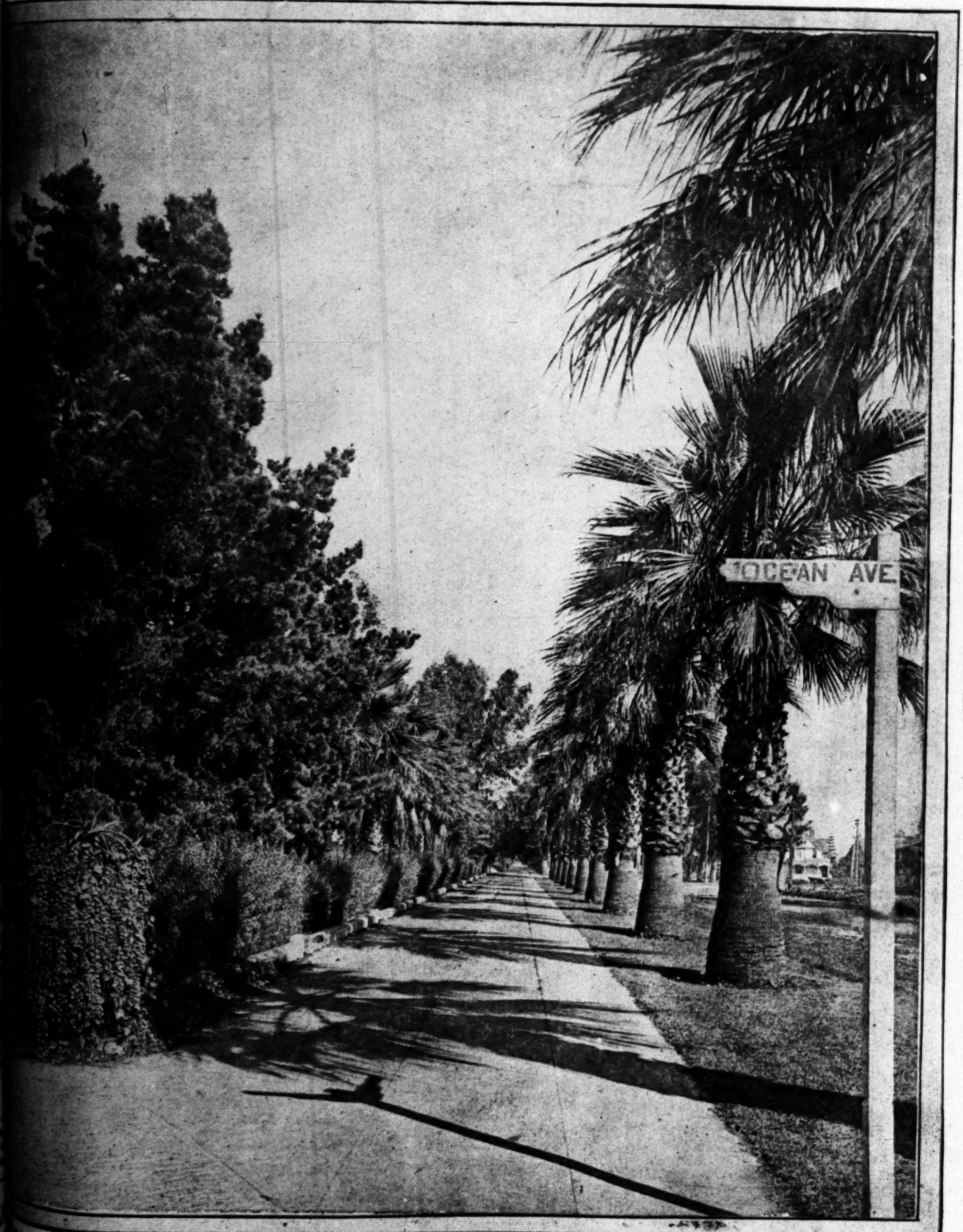
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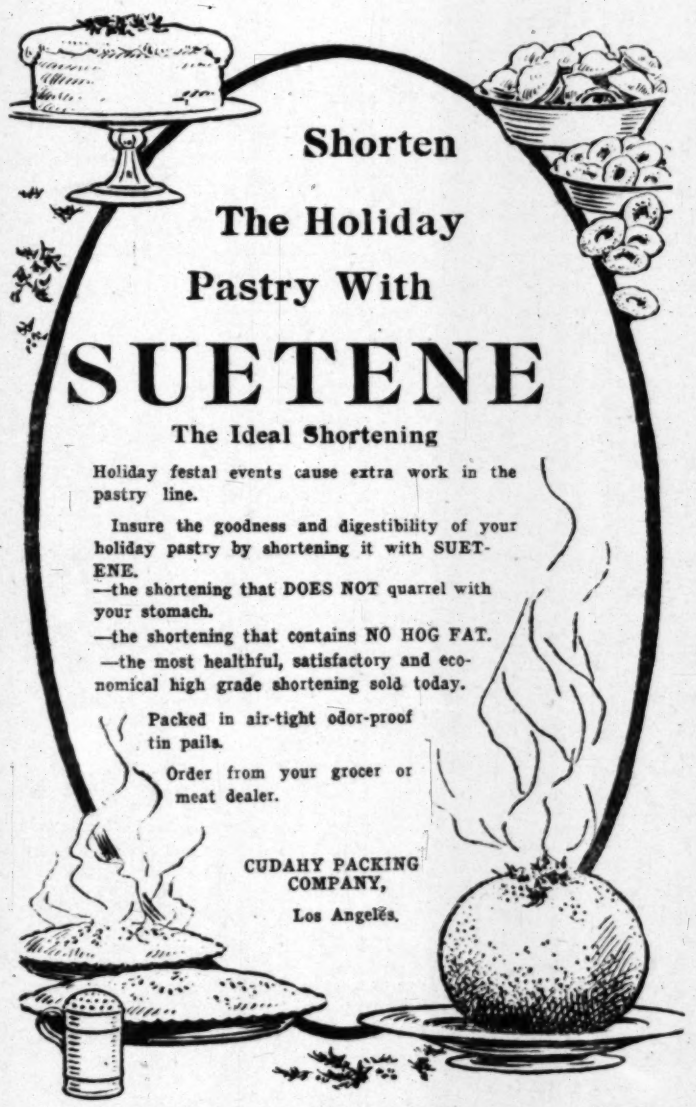
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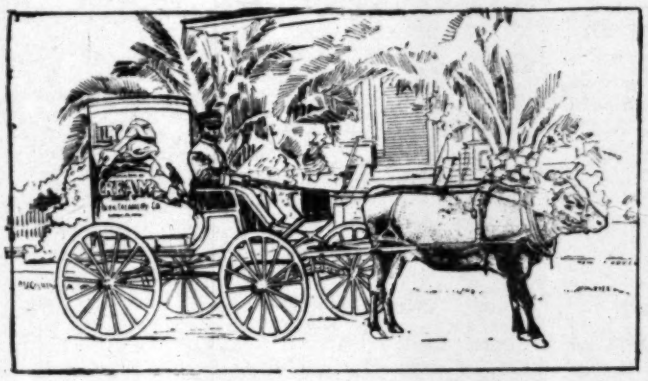
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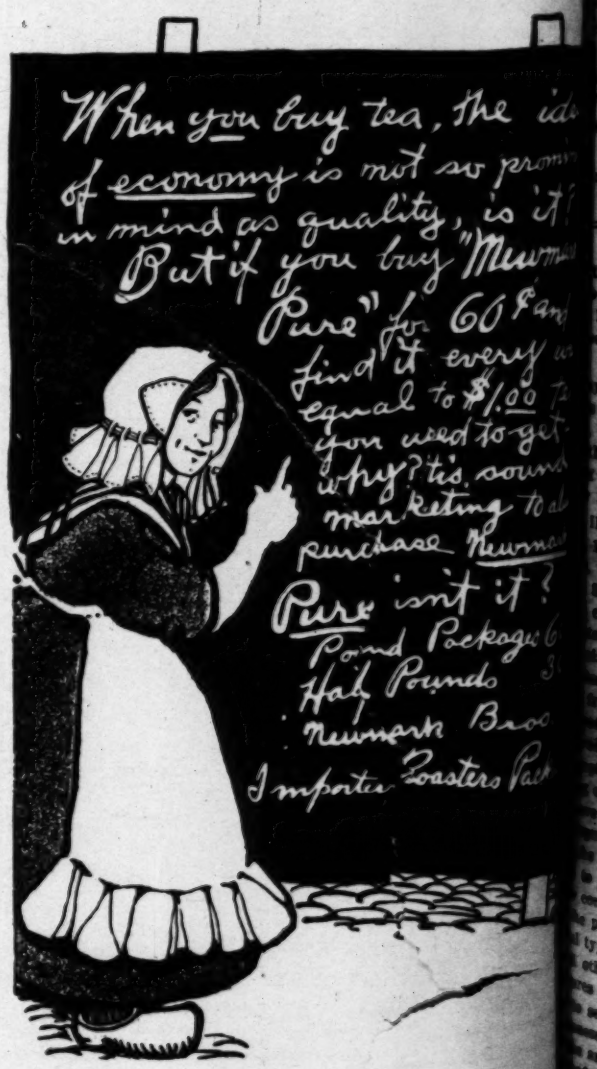
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NINE YEARS OLD.

privilege of many persons or many newspapers to celebrate two birthdays in a single week, has been the privilege of The Times during the year. And The Times does not claim to be

the parent paper. The Times itself, was 25 its readers already know. On Wednesday the Illustrated Weekly Magazine, entered the year of life. The occasion seems a fitting reference to the history of this magazine, and purpose.

Illustrated Weekly Magazine was started, on it entered upon pioneer work. Other had begun before that time to Saturday or Saturday supplements containing of the regular newspaper size, devoted and other special matter, but in its in the amount and character of the contained, the Times Magazine has its first issue. Its success was practiced once by the popularity with which It was not long before other papers began to imitate this new idea in journalism. the form and not the substance and and all failed to acquire any great while some of them have entirely Most of the attempts of this kind popularity by the restricted character. Some of them have relied almost presentation of handsome pictures, others graphy and artistic, not to say ornate, on choice literary work, and so on. and beautiful cover designs are attractive the attention, but their attraction is Delightful as they are, these alone especially useful or lasting impression. in a single class of matter, even if it fiction, the profoundest logic, the most scholarly science, the most beautiful poetry, or the most delightful humor, will fail of general appreciation among a constituency composed of readers of all classes, such as that to which the newspaper appeals. To meet the diversity of tastes and needs of the great masses of the people who patronize the newspaper, there must be a judicious combination of all these features. The attractive pictures must be there; likewise the choice fiction, the logical reasoning, the popular science, the beautiful verse, the pleasing humor, and descriptive matter, travel stories, and so on.

It has been and is still the aim of The Times Illustrated Weekly Magazine to present to its readers this judicious combination of features. Its size—more than twice that of most of the magazines that have sprung up in its wake—enables it to do this effectually, with the addition of a number of special departments, relating to physical health, agriculture, floriculture, horticulture, etc., in which special and expert information is given for persons especially interested in those subjects. In the choice of general matter used in this magazine much consideration has always been given to topics relating to Southern California. The special aim has been to reflect the attractions of the delightful land in which we live, this "little empire of health, wealth and beauty" of which Los Angeles is the metropolis, and to do this in such a manner as to interest the local reader as well as those "back East." In other words, we have aimed to do both home and foreign missionary work, to stimulate our immediate neighbors to a broader appreciation of their advantages and to bring to our friends beyond the Rockies, and even to those beyond the Tehachepi, a realizing knowledge of the opportunities for a happier and better life in this South Pacific Coast Paradise.

Every newspaper as well as every man has a moral as well as an intellectual character. It has been the aim of this magazine morally to be clean and pure and elevating in character. Its spirit is optimistic. It seeks for the good, the cheerful and the substantial, for that which is elevating morally and intellectually, believing the evil and the degrading are better left in oblivion than emphasized by unnecessary publicity. The many voluntary expressions of appreciation of this policy that come from our readers are at once an evidence of the elevated moral tone of the people who read this magazine and a most gratifying reward for their efforts to those who are responsible for its character.

It would be foolish to claim that the magazine is faultless. Few if any human products are without fault, certainly none that involve the variety of elements and conditions that enter into the production of this magazine. The reader must bear in mind that the amount of matter contained in a single issue of this publication is equivalent to that contained in a book of the average size of page containing almost or quite 300 pages, and that the magazine is issued not once a month but once a week. The material for its columns comes from nearly every known portion of the earth and in quantities sufficient to make a dozen, perhaps a score, of magazines of equal size every week. All this matter has to be examined and from it have to be made selections such as are deemed best suited to the purposes of the magazine. And it may be noted incidentally for the benefit of many whose manuscripts have to be returned to them, that it follows that much good material is necessarily rejected, for the reason either that it does not conform in character to the lines laid down for the conduct of the magazine or because of a surplus of matter of its kind already on hand.

In conclusion, The Times Illustrated Weekly Magazine desires to express to its hosts of readers its sincere gratitude for the evidences it has received of their appreciation and to assure them of its purpose to strive to become more and more worthy of such appreciation.

A CYCLE OF SONNETS.

VII.—IN CITY PENT.

Oh, sweet at this sweet hour to wander free,
Or follow some invisible beckoning hand,
Among the moody mountains, where they stand
Awed with the thought of their own majesty!
Sweet, at the folding-up of day, to be
Where, on the tattered finger of the land,
The uncourted flowers of the penurious sand
Are pale against the pale lips of the sea.
Sweetest to dream, on easeful earth reclined,
Far in some forest's ancient idleness,
Under the shadow of its bossy boles,
Beyond the world's pursuit and Care's access,
And hear the wild feet of the elfin wind
Dancing and prancing in mad caprioles.

—[William Watson.

THE TURKEY SUPPLY.

Ten fat turkeys standing in a line,
Along comes Thanksgiving—
Then there were but nine.

Nine fat turkeys weeping o'er their fate,
Along comes Christmas—
Then there were but eight.

One fat turkey-hen laying eggs galore,
Along comes an incubator—
Then there's plenty more.

—[W. J. Lampton, in Bohemian.

PRACTICAL ETHICS.

A SOCIAL DUTY.

HE was a wise young man who practiced an almost painful economy in order to lay aside sufficient from a meager salary to enable him to affiliate himself with certain organizations where he could hope to meet the people who filled a long and direfully-felt social want. When, therefore, his other-minded relatives remonstrated with him about this seemingly needless or superfluous expenditure, he calmly replied that from his standard of valuation of this world's goods, he was making a very profitable investment. It was a little hard to pay the comparatively high tax of membership, such as dues, assessments, and so forth, nevertheless, he felt assured that he was well paid for the original cost, and hence, despite the shaking of heads and vain entreaties of those who wished him well, but knew him not, the young man persisted in supplying the natural and legitimate demand of his social nature by providing opportunities for association with people who had power to affect in a most desirable manner the unfoldment of his manhood.

However true it be that "real companionship can exist only between two," and that no loneliness is quite so dismal as the loneliness felt in a crowd, yet it is an unassailable truism that in order to find the one or the few, we must mingle with the many. The same principle holds in the search for souls as that which we respect in the search for specimens in the study of natural science.

Uphill and down dale tramp the faithful disciples of Agassiz, across the seas and desert plains travel the evolutional seekers for the "missing link." The elements of earth, water and air are subjected to intent scrutiny under the microscope, to enable the investigators, aiming to fathom the mystery of life, to set forth more and ever more definite theories and perhaps to discover the final facts relating to the cause of being.

What a vast deal of material must be gathered and examined in the field and laboratory before we find the wee bit which alone is exactly the form of matter we have made the objective point of our inquiry! Where, oh where is the fragment that will help us to see that which we are studying, as a whole? is a question as pertinent in our quest for the people or social fragments that we need for the best development of ourselves as social beings, as it is applicable to the principles of biological science, to the research of the historian and to the analysis of the psychologist, in his examination and explanation of the phenomena of consciousness.

How many frequenters of society, so-called, reap the requisite social advantages, or, in other words, become thoroughly socialized? In a conventional social ring we may get at one another without approaching very closely to each other. We may extend the hand and withhold the heart, or we may work the head, as it were, mechanically, without proper moral or spiritual propulsion.

Again, society, what is it? Is it a something in which people meet, a place where they gather, or is it not the persons themselves? Why, of course, this is a self-evident fact, requiring no argument. True society, then, using the term in its restricted social sense, consists of a company of rational individuals, whose purpose is, pleasurable or profitable, intercourse. Every man who seeks another is a social being, and in so far as he contributes to the pleasure or profit of society, in so far is he more or less sociable.

Still society, whether taken in its restricted or in its larger and more extended sense, must mean socialization of the individual; that is, none can fulfill their social duties without permeating the social fabric, in the weaving of which they are engaged, with their own moral and spiritual essence. In other words, their mission, in order to insure social success, must be altruistic. They must think of and for others, and be for and to others and bring themselves and others to still others. To bring oneself is good, but to bring another self to himself, through himself and others, is the highest social duty.

In speaking of society as a whole, Blackstone says: "The true and natural foundations of society are the wants and fears of individuals." But this law applies with equal force to any part or phase of society. The "wants and fears of individuals" make men social as well as geographical explorers, the "wants and fears" of individuals impel them to seek other individuals who may allay their fears, or minister to their wants.

Hence society should be so constructed and perhaps still more, so constructed as to give nerve and steadiness to the fearful; to encourage the weak, to exercise the strong and to make memoranda of predominant wants and the possibilities of supplying them. Moreover, in such an order of society, who could be niggardly in the distribution of social benefits? For be it understood, there are social, as much as financial misers; there are men and women as selfishly inclined to stow away a valuable acquaintance as parsimonious individuals are wont to hoard their treasure rather than circulate their accumulated coin for the benefit of the community.

True society, then, should be productive of the spirit and grace of magnanimity. It should foster the largeness of heart and greatness of soul that would deem no social good a real gain until shared with others, and in this effort to share the intellectual joys, the esthetic delights, the moral strength and spiritual uplift that are to be derived from the companionship of superior men and women, whom to know is an inspiration, and whom to bring into touch with others who, like ourselves, are in need of the light and warmth that radiate from resplendent character and centrally-poised personality, is not only a high privilege, but the paramount social duty of every social and more particularly of every socialized human being.

BERTHA HIRSCH BARUCH.

By-Products Worth Millions. By Frank G. Carpenter.

SAVING THE WASTE.

LITTLE THINGS WHICH NOW BRING FORTUNES.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WASHINGTON.—The Agricultural Department is Uncle Sam's Aladdin. It rubs its old lamp, and a horde of new genii go to work for the nation. It is now looking up the waste places of our country and making them blossom like the rose. It brought macaroni wheat from the edge of the Sahara, and out of it built up a farming industry on the deserts of the west. It has thrust its long arm into the swamps of the South, and in Japanese rice is pulling millions out. By its discoveries as to the inoculation of the soil it has made myriads of bacteria work for man, and is now gathering more fertilizer from the air than comes from the nitrate fields of Chile and Peru.

The latest discovery of the department is as to cheap potash. This forms an important element in our fruit, tobacco and grain crops. It is about as valuable as nitrogen, and the small percentage of it in our commercial fertilizers makes them cost many dollars a ton. Potash itself is worth about $100 a ton, and we are paying out millions of dollars for that which we bring in from abroad. By this discovery we know that potash lies all around us, and that we can have it for the grinding. It is on the edge of our orchards, and it is accessible to almost every farming district. It is mixed with the granite of the hills, and that in such a way that a rock-crushing machine can get it out. All that is needed is to grind the granite to powder and let the potash loose. By this means it may be secured at a cost of a little more than 1 cent per pound, or five or six times as cheap as the price we are now paying, and that without the addition of freight. Companies are now forming in New Jersey and Maryland to grind up granite for this purpose, and, if they are successful, other plants will probably be erected all over the country.

Uncle Sam Worth $125,000,000,000.

Many people imagine that the United States is at the maximum of its prosperity. The truth is we are at the beginning. We shall make more during the next generation out of what now goes to waste, than we made a generation ago out of our staple crops. Indeed the waste of today makes the fortunes of tomorrow. This is especially so in our country. In 1870 our national wealth amounted to about $30,000,000,000, and thirty years later it had almost reached the hundred-billion mark. We are probably worth $25,000,000,000 more today, and the great part of the increase comes from by-products once classed as waste. Take the beef trust. Its big dividends come from the saving of every scrap in the refuse. If the choice cuts of the meat alone were sold, the packing-houses could not exist. They have scores of products which our forefathers never thought of from potted meats to bouillon, liquid extracts and drugs.

Indeed, the by-products of these establishments bring in millions, and a small army of scientists are kept busy analyzing the waste and making new things for man. It is said that every bit of the hog is now saved, excepting the squeal and the kick, and that not an atom of the beef goes to waste. A few years ago I visited a packing factory in Buenos Ayres and saw the blood running away in a stream. In our factories in Chicago the blood is worth $40 a ton, and is used to make albumen and other things. It is sold to printers, tanners and sugar refiners, and, as a fertilizer, it brings a big price per ton. In some of the Australia and New Zealand factories I saw the bones thrown aside. At Chicago the bones are first cooked to extract the fat and gelatine. Certain kinds are saved to make umbrella, tooth brush and knife handles, and other things in which hard bone is needed. The hoofs of the cattle are molded into ornaments, and the tips of the horns are flattened out and eventually sold as combs and buttons. The backs of brushes are made of horn tips, and some of the finest hoofs are shipped to Japan to be made into notions which are again sold in the United States.

Drugs from the Slaughter-houses.

The packing-houses are now getting big money out of chemicals and drugs of various kinds. They produce pepsin from the stomachs of pigs, and pancreatine and other digestants as well. From the calves they get a gray brain matter which is now used for nervous diseases, and is especially valuable in neurasthenia, insanity and St. Vitus dance.

One of the most important of the chemical by-products of the slaughter-house is employed in gold mining. It is a poisonous stuff, known as cyanide of potassium, which looks like alum. It comes, I think, from the hoofs of certain animals and other such refuse. This stuff has a strong affinity for gold and a certain proportion of it, mixed with water, is used to take the gold out of ground quartz. The gold goes into the liquid just like salt, and the fluid is then drawn off and the gold caught again, by running it over zinc shavings.

The bristles of the hog are saved, cattle hair is used for camels'-hair pencils, and also to make shoddy. The bile goes to the bookbinder, and the stomachs of the young calves to the cheese manufacturers.



PUTTING UP BEEF EXTRACTS.

Fortunes in Cotton By-products.

We are now making millions out of what once formed the waste of our cotton fields, and we are likely to make many millions more. The latest discoveries there are as to the fiber of the cotton plant. It has been found that it will make the finest of book paper, and the scientists predict that the stalks will be gathered for this purpose, and that a great industry will grow up in so using them.

About a generation ago the cotton seed of the United States went to waste. Today it is ground up and the oil pressed out for food and for use in manufacture of various kinds. Much of our so-called Italian oil comes from cotton seed. Our sardines are packed in it, and it is taking the places of lard and butter in cooking. It is burned for light by miners and also in cathedrals. It is used in baking, it makes excellent soap, and it is manufactured into glycerine and candles. The value of the cotton seed is said to be about one-fifth of the total value of the cotton crop. The refuse from the grinding and pressing is made into cakes and sold to feed stock, while the hulls are ground up for the same purpose.

The Papers of the Future.

Many people are now deprecating the cutting down of our forests to make wood pulp, and are wondering where we shall get our newspapers when the trees have disappeared. It takes a number of acres of forest to supply the paper for the annual issues of a large daily journal, and the sheet you are now reading was once a part of some spruce, poplar or other soft-wood tree. The forests of Canada are still vast in extent, and it will be a long time before the supply of pulp wood is cut off.

We have little reason to worry, however. The Agricultural Department is investigating certain sources of paper supply which will furnish the world all it needs for the future. One of the most important of these investigations relates to paper as a by-product of the crop. Indian corn stalks have a fiber which will make every kind of paper and cardboard, and I am told that there will be but a short time before mills will be established for them for this purpose. I have seen samples of paper and cards made from Indian-corn stalks. The best paper comes from the outside fibers, and a lower grade from those within. The pith itself is already used to make linoleum, and also as a packing for the shells of our gunboats. The pith is spongy, and it swells to a great size upon touching water. If a shells breaks through the armor plate of a vessel so packed, the water rushes in and the packing is soon swollen enough to fill the hole.

A great deal of paper is now made from bamboo found in Morocco and Algeria, and it is probable that the papyrus swamps of the Upper Nile will soon be harvested for this purpose. Between Upper and Khartoum there are vast tracts of swamps, filled with papyrus. They lie right along the line of railroad to Cairo road, and it may be that this will make them valuable. Papyrus was used to make the paper of the ancient Egyptians. The many scrolls of the famous Alexandrian Library were written on papyrus, and this paper will, it is said, make some of the best paper in the world.

Where the Buttons Come From.

One of the great questions of mankind since it began to wear more than fig leaves has been "Who comes of all the pins?" Another interesting one is as to where the buttons come from. They are made from waste and by-products. The packing-houses supply many made of horn and bone, and the big tin and can factories furnish their share. In the latter factories there are many little pieces of tin left after the bottoms and tops of the cans have been cut off. These are saved, and from them buttons are stamped. The scrap may be only big enough for one button, but there are so many that they provide a large source of profit.

Many buttons are made from shells, and many of vegetable ivory. The pearl fishers make most out of the shells of the pearl oyster than of the pearls themselves, and just now there is a great industry in gathering the shells of the fresh water mussel. Such shells are used chiefly for buttons, and it is said that at least 5,000,000 pounds of them are consumed in our own factories in a single year.

Grease and Garbage.

Within late years a business has grown up in saving the grease of our great cities. The garbage is full of oleaginous stuff, and it is so treated that this is saved. In New York City the waste food is run through great filters which take out the grease, and this grease is shipped off to Europe, where it is made into glycerine, soap and other products.

There is another kind of grease which is washed away by the streams. I refer to that in wool. Now the wool is sold without washing, and the grease and dirt in it make up a large part of the weight. The wool is cleansed at the factories, and various inventions have been made for saving the grease which contains potash and potash salts. It is said that more than 2,000,000 pounds of carbonate of potash are now annually taken from the wash waters of the wool-scouring establishments of France and Belgium. England is saving its wool fat, and there have been a number of patents granted for this purpose in the United States. Indeed, it is said that if we had the right plants in our western wool districts, millions of dollars worth of this stuff could be saved and that the wool shipped would realize as much as it does now, as the result in the saving of a vast amount in freight.

Old Rags and New Cloth.

Speaking of wool, that which is manufactured into cloth is used over and over again. Woolen rags are saved, respun and rewoven as shoddy. Sometimes it is mixed with the shoddy and the product sold as woolen goods. In 1900 as much as 75,000,000 pounds of such stuff was used in Great Britain. Nearly all the shoddy we manufacture comes from America, while Great Britain gets its rags from all parts of the world.

Cotton rags are used largely in the manufacture of paper, while the waste of the cotton mills, which is too short for spinning, is employed for cotton batting and wadding. We make about 10,000,000 pounds of this stuff every year.

Some Chinese Economies.

There is probably less waste in China than in any other country. There are no big factories, but nevertheless everything finds a use. Cloth of all kinds is carefully saved. Old clothing is sold to second-hand dealers, and it goes from one class to another until it comes rags. Even then the rags are washed and boiled and then pasted one upon another to make soles for Chinese shoes.

All kinds of metals are saved. There is a big business in China in old tin and old iron. Standard Oil cans, for instance, are flattened out and used for house roofing, and the best of the Chinese shoes are made of worn-out horseshoes, which are imported in the shipload from Europe.

As to food in China, nothing goes to waste. Almost every part of a chicken is eaten, even to the feet. Tea grounds are used over and over again. Not a scrap of meat is consumed. As to fuel, the leaves and branches are gathered up, and straw is used for cooking. The Chinese understand how to get the most out of manure, and nothing of this sort is thrown away. The house sweepings are saved for the

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...In the matter of fuel saving also, the French are ...making great strides. They are using the dust of their ...coal mines, and making it up into bricks, or briquettes, ...about the size of our building bricks. Many of their ...railroad trains are run with such bricks, and one sees ...piles of them near the larger stations. In St. Etienne ...they are now making briquettes which are half coal dust ...and petroleum, and also some which contain 97 per ...cent of petroleum. Petroleum bricks sell for about $15 ...a ton, but they have three times as much heating ...power as coal, and they weigh only one-third as much. ...They burn without odor or smoke, and will keep a long ...time without deteriorating.

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Managing a Woman.

THE WIDOW TELLS THE BACHELOR HOW IT IS DONE.

By a Special Contributor.

"WHAT ought I to do," asked the widow, carefully licking all the gum off the flap of a violet envelope and then trying to make it stick, "to a silly boy, who—asked me for a kiss?"

"What ought you to do?" repeated the bachelor, laying down his cigar and regarding the widow severely. "Refuse him, of course."

"Oh, of course," agreed the widow, rubbing the envelope spasmodically with the end of her handkerchief, "but what ought I do to teach him better?"

"I can't think of anything—better," replied the bachelor, charitably reaching for the violet envelope and closing it firmly with his fist.

"How about just taking the kiss—without asking for it?" inquired the widow naively, as she leaned luxuriously back among the cushions of the divan. "Wouldn't that have been better—for him, I mean?"

"Would it?" The bachelor looked the widow straight in the eye.

"Well," replied the [illegible]kly, toying with some fringe on a satin sofa pillow and carefully avoiding the bachelor's gaze; "he would have gotten it."

"And now he never will," rejoined the bachelor with a confidence he did not feel.

"Oh, I don't know." The widow became suddenly interested in the arrangement of the fringe on the satin sofa pillow. "But it isn't the man who asks a woman for a kiss or—or anything—who gets it. It's the man who takes for granted."

"Takes—what?"

"Takes her by surprise, Mr. Travers," explained the widow, "and doesn't give her time to think or to say no. The short cut to managing a woman is not argument or reason. It's action. She may like to be coaxed, but it's the man who orders her about whom she admires—and obeys. Eve has never forgotten that she is only a rib, and when Adam forgets it, she——"

"Makes him feel like a small part of the vertebrae," interpolated the bachelor tentatively.

"Naturally," returned the widow, tying the sofa pillow fringe in a hard knot and then untying it again, "when a man comes to her on his knees she is clever enough to keep him there; but when he comes to her with a scepter in his hand and determination in his eye, she has a wholesome respect for him. It's not the man who begs but the one who demands that receives. It's not the man who asks a girl to marry him, but the one who tells her that she is going to marry him, who gets her. It's not the husband who requests the privilege of carrying a latch key or staying downtown at night who can do so without fear and trembling, but the one who calmly takes the latch key and telephones his wife that he is going to stay downtown and then rings off as though the matter were settled. The question of who's going to have the whip hand in love or matrimony is decided the very first time a man looks at a woman and lets her know who's master."

The bachelor flicked the ashes off his cigar and regarded the widow curiously.

"Are you talking Christian Science or hypnotism?" he inquired patiently.

"Neither," replied the widow, "I'm talking facts, Mr. Travers. Haven't you ever seen a little short-legged man with a snub nose married to a beautiful, queenly creature, whom he ordered about as if she were the original Greek slave and who obeyed him as if he were Nero himself, and adored him in proportion to his overbearing qualities? And have you never seen a magnificent, six-foot-two specimen of masculine humanity, who was first in war and first everywhere but in his own home, where he was afraid to put his feet on a chair or light a pipe or make an original remark, because some little dried-up runt of a woman had him hypnotized into believing that he was the thirty-second vertebrae and she all the rest of the bones and sinew of the human race? A woman is like a darky, who fancies that 'freedom' means three-quarters of the sidewalk, or a small boy who imagines that doing as he pleases means smashing his sister's toys and stealing sweets from the pantry. Put her in her place and she will stay there; but give her an inch of power and she'll take an ell of liberty and boss you off your own door sill. The biggest, boldest woman that ever lived is built like a barge, to be towed; and any little man who puffs up enough steam and makes a loud enough noise can attach her to himself and tow her all the way up the river of life."

The bachelor laid down his cigar and gazed at the widow in awe.

"And I never knew it," he whispered huskily.

"I suppose," said the widow, beginning to toy with the fringe again, "that you've been asking girls to kiss you, all this time."

"Not all the time," protested the bachelor.

"And, of course," continued the widow maliciously, "they've all refused you."

"Not at all," repeated the bachelor, pensively.

"What?" The widow glanced up quickly.

"Once," explained the bachelor apologetically, "I didn't have a bald spot."

"When a man asks for a kiss," pursued the widow, thoughtfully, "a girl has to refuse him; but when he takes it——"

"She has to take it, too," said the bachelor, chuckling.

"Would you mind," asked the widow, ignoring the last flippant bit of persiflage and picking up the violet envelope, "posting a letter for me?"

"May I look at the address?" demanded the bachelor.

"It's to the boy," began the widow, "who—who——"

"Took the roundabout way?" finished the bachelor, helpfully.

The widow nodded.

"I have written him," she explained, "that he mustn't—that it would be best if he wouldn't come here any more. That will keep him in his place, I think."

"On his knees?" inquired the bachelor sarcastically.

"And I told him," proceeded the widow, with a reproachful glance at the bachelor, "how very rude and foolish——"

"Did you explain," interrupted the bachelor, "that the foolishness consisted in not taking the kiss?"

"Mr. Travers!"

"And that the rudeness lay entirely in assuming that you might not want to be——"

"How dare you!" cried the widow, flaming as red as the scarlet satin sofa pillow behind her head. "I gave him a dreadful scolding!" she added, looking pensively at the sealed note and toying with the edge of the flap, as though she half wished it would come open again.

"In other words," remarked the bachelor laconically, "having him down, you proceeded to wipe your feet on him. Since he had turned the left cheek, you made him turn all the way round, so that you could stick pins in his back and make him feel like the thirty-second vertebrae and——"

"I had to, Mr. Travers," cried the widow pleadingly. "It was my duty."

"Your—what?"

"To teach him a lesson," explained the widow promptly. "He's got to learn that in the situation between man and woman there's only one throne, and that whoever gets up on it first wields the scepter. He's got to learn that the conquest of woman is not like the Battle of Waterloo, an affair of strategy, but like the Battle of Bunker Hill or Sennacherib——"

"Or the Boston Tea Party or the Massacre of the Innocents," broke in the bachelor. "But aren't you a little hard on the girl? If you get him too well trained he'll beat her."

"Well," replied the widow promptly, "if he does she'll adore him. Besides, it's much better to have the matrimonial medicine administered in allopathic doses than in the little homeopathic pellets of caution and deceit, and lies and arguments which end in the divorce court, and a woman enjoys being bossed and bullied and ordered about by the man she loves quite as much as he enjoys the bossing and bullying. It's her natural instinct to look up, but she can't look up to a man who is figuratively at her feet. She may struggle against the man who attempts to conquer her by main force, but she enjoys being conquered just the same, and it takes a great burden off her soul to be able to lay her head on a broad, masculine shoulder and to know that every affair in life is going to be settled and decided for her.

"She may talk about thinking for herself and voting and all that, but she is always glad enough to sit back and be thought for and voted for by some man who has magnetized her into believing him the incarnation of intelligence. And any man can do it. If the average husband only had a little more nerve and fewer nerves, he could master his wife with one hand and his eyes shut. The heathen Turk can get along better with a whole harem full of women than the civilized man gets along with one lone, lorn wife. It isn't because he's any wiser or clever or kinder, but because the first Turk learned the short cut to managing a woman and passed the secret down in the family. They don't ask them to marry them over there, they order them; they don't request them to run an errand or sew on a button, they merely wave their hands and the women fight for the privilege of obeying. They have known for ages what the white man never seems to have learned, that the way to take a woman is by storm and the way to hold her is by force and that any man can manage any woman if he only knows how and has the audacity and the courage—— What are you trying to do, Mr. Travers?"

"I'm taking a short cut to the divan," replied the bachelor, sitting down beside the widow, "and I've got the courage at last——"

"How dare you, Billy Travers!"

"And the audacity——"

"Stop! Stop!"

"And the nerve——"

"Mr. Taylor," announced the maid, appearing suddenly between the portieres at this critical moment.

"Oh, mercy!" cried the widow, "and my hair is just——"

"Am I intruding?" asked a fresh-faced young man, entering briskly between the portieres.

"Not at all, Bobby," said the widow sweetly, holding out one hand and feeling her back hair with the other. "You arrived just at the—psychological moment. We have been talking about you for the last half hour."

HELEN ROWLAND.

OLD POINT COMFORT.

On a line due north from the Jamestown Exposition grounds, about five miles distant across Hampton Roads, lies Old Point Comfort. It derives its name from the fact that the storm-beaten voyagers of the Susan Constant, the Godspeed and the Discovery, having put in at Cape Henry, met with a reception by the Indians which was only a variation of their troubles, and being impelled to return to their boats, they speedily reached the point of jutting land to which they gave the name Point Comfort. Here they were free from the dangers of the deep as well as from the menace of the savages, and hence the appropriateness of the name they bestowed on their asylum.

But the phase to which particularity of attention is now directed came in after years—the world-wide fame of this resort as a scene of gay festivity. The Point Comfort of the year of grace 1607 became in the latter half of the nineteenth century Old Point Comfort through the endearing associations of social revelry with historic tradition.

Philippine Development.

THIRTY-EIGHT MILLION DOLLARS TO BE USED IN THREE YEARS.

By a Special Contributor.

THIRTY-EIGHT million dollars of foreign capital will be turned loose in developing the Philippine Islands in the next three years. A vast amount of government money will also be spent in local improvements, harbor dredging, building of jetties and docks, in road-building, and in municipal and sanitary advancements.

This is not "newspaper talk." The invasion of foreign capital from concerns now interested in the islands may be summarized from official information obtained from the engineers or managers as follows:

The J. G. White Company, a constructing company, which has contracted with the insular government for 400 miles of railway on the islands of Cebu, Negros and Panay, has work now being terminated and under way aggregating $20,000,000.

There are associated with the J. G. White Company in the building of these railroads in Negros, Panay and Cebu Islands, Cornelius Vanderbilt, William Salmon & Co., and Heidelback, Ickleheimer Company, all of New York, and C. M. Swift of Detroit, Mich.

Speyer Bros., the New York bankers, who have contracted with the Philippine government for 400 miles of railway on the island of Luzon, and who will take over and improve the existing Manila and Dagupan Railway, comprising with its branches a length of 200 miles, will spend $14,000,000.

Mr. Schuster, the Philippine manager of Speyer Bros., states that the work will proceed rapidly.

A number of mining companies on the islands of Masbata and Luzon, chief of which are the Philippine Mining Company and the Oriental Masbate Company, have already installed four stamp mills and several gold dredges of the Oroville type, and will spend $1,000,000 in developing their properties. While the Philippines are not strictly a mining country, yet in certain regions there is abundance of low-grade ore which is being profitably worked.

Among agricultural undertakings are the Philippine Plantation Company, a large tobacco and sugar concern which has already made extensive purchases of property; the International Harvester Company, which, though strictly not a planting concern, is making many improvements for the storage and shipment of the hemp it mostly buys, for binding twine, etc.; and several smaller concerns will probably spend, in the aggregate, $2,000,000.

A French company (I met the managers on the Island of Mindoro, and would be glad to give the name for the sake of definiteness if I could) and several American companies will put about $1,000,000 in modern lumbering devices to get out the valuable hardwoods.

The sum total of all these expenditures aggregates $38,000,000. This computation gets down to hardpan; it includes only a few of the larger undertakings; it does not comprise the investments constantly being made on a small scale, but which would perhaps make a decent aggregate to swell the sum total. Of course it could not include the additional capital that will doubtless be attracted by this activity, nor a number of companies whose promoters are now in the United States raising capital. It does not include the sum projected by the army in road and barrack improvements, the amount to be expended by the insular government, nor the capital that is constantly being invested by such big concerns as the Atlantic Gulf and Pacific Company. The International Harvester Company has, it is said, already spent about $5,000,000 in the archipelago. It has a large plantation on the Island of Cebu. The Atlantic Gulf and Pacific Company, a great engineering and constructing concern, has, it is believed, expended even more. The government has spent $3,000,000 in harbor work and will spend $6,000,000 more. The work of the insular government in different provinces for municipal and road improvements has already run away up in the millions, and more ambitious plans are now under way.

The significance of the investment of this large amount of capital in the Philippines rises above and beyond that of an industrial undertaking; it assumes the proportions of a huge sociological lever. If we take care not to lose sight of the ideal side of the Philippine question in a discussion of its commercial opportunities and development, and if we inquire what would be the effect of this wide distribution of money among thousands of Philippine laborers in return for useful industrial employment, we will find that, not only will the railways do more to advance the condition of the people of the Philippines than anything done by the Spanish government in their 300 years of occupancy, but they will probably be the greatest teacher toward a higher standard of living our little brown neighbors have ever had.

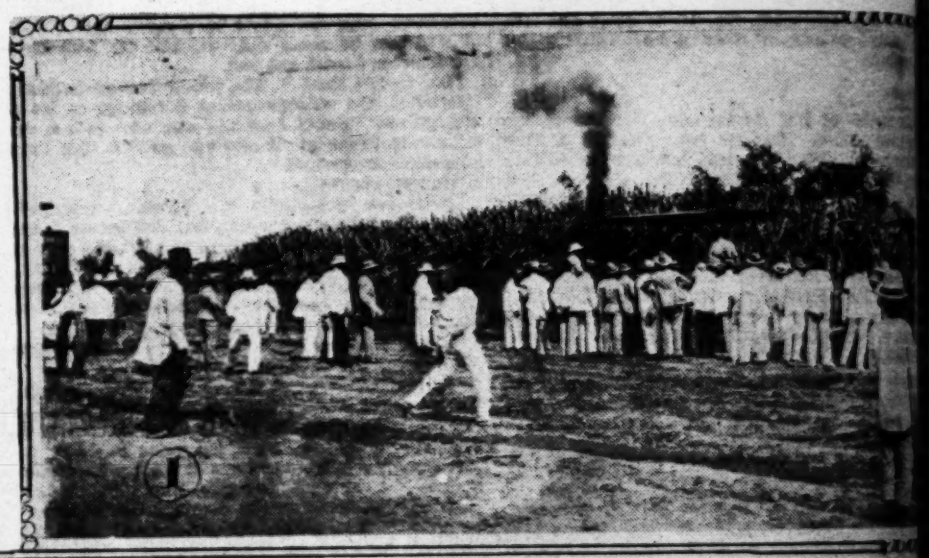
Some wonderful country will be developed by the Philippine railroads. The work on the lines has already commenced. In the early part of May last fifty engineers arrived in Manila to undertake the building of the 400 miles of line on the Islands of Negros, Panay and Cebu. A first shipment of 8000 tons of rails for three lines is on its way to the Philippines. This constitutes the nucleus of the surveying corps. The white men fill only the skilled positions, all minor positions being filled, to the number of several hundred, by natives. It is expected that, when the construction work is under full swing by the first of the year, from 5000 to 10,000 natives will be engaged. Negros, Panay, and Cebu, which are almost parallel and lie half way between Luzon and Mindanao, will be traversed almost their entire length by railroads. The line on Cebu will be about eighty miles long and those on Negros and Panay about 150 miles long each. These roads will open up some of the richest plantation regions in the world, where Nature has placed a veritable garden spot for the production of raw material and staple products of the tropics. Incidentally they will afford transportation facilities to more than half the people of the Philippines.

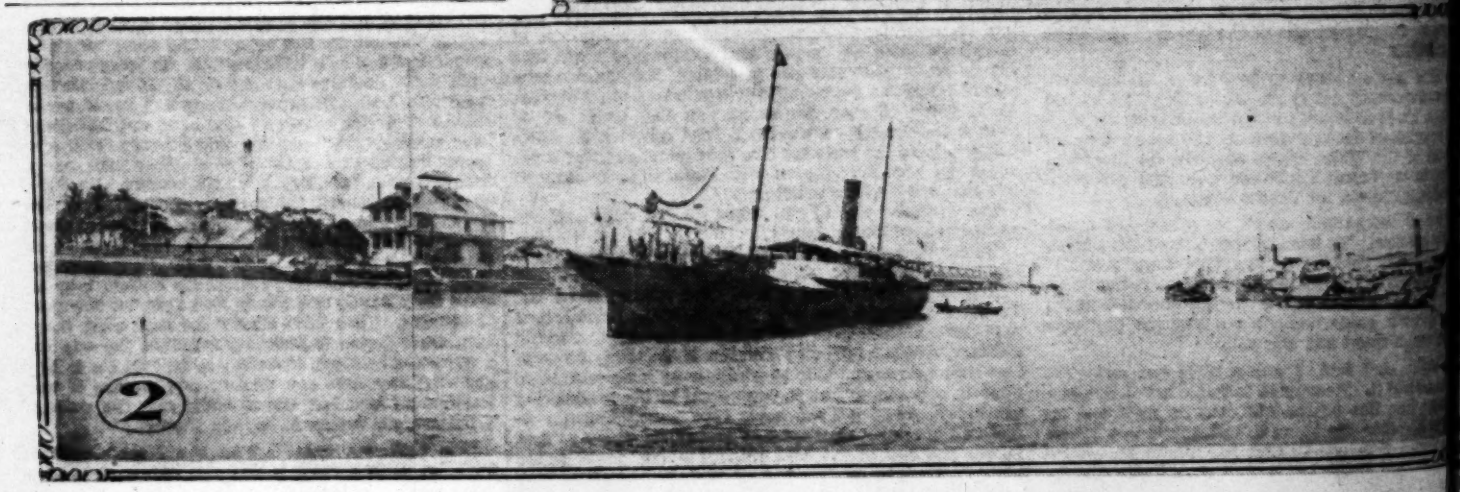
Negros is noted for its sugar, about three-fourths of the sugar output of the archipelago being raised on a narrow strip of coast extending fifty miles south of the town of Bacalod.

In Negros, also there stand vast virgin forests of commercial hardwoods. Red Lauan is the "softest hardwood" and most abundant commercial timber in the islands, which, by the way, reaches an enormous size, and is especially plentiful. The giant narra, or Philippine mahogany, and other valuable species are here found. Cebu is the most densely-populated island of the Philippines; and, if the Filipinos patronize this line as they do the electric railways in Manila and the Manila and Dagupan steam railroad, the trains generally will be crowded to standing-room only.

The line of Panay will run from the modern city of Iloilo, on the southern coast, straight through the interior of the island to Port Batan, on the north coast. Altogether the railroads will change the face of these islands as rapidly as any single industrial project undertaken by the Japanese has brought the Flowery Kingdom among the forefront of industrial nations. Even more wonderful, because vaster and more diverse in resources, is the rich territory that will be opened up by the railroad lines on the Island of Luzon. The 400 miles to be built on that island and the 200 miles of line to be improved will be links in a great chain of railroads planned to run the length of the entire island, not only with a branch extending along the northwest coast, but one extending through the rich and almost unknown interior of [illegible] and down the great Cagayon Valley to Aparri. [illegible] these lines are all constructed, one will be able [illegible] the "Luzon Limited" at Albay, in the southern [illegible] of Luzon, and ride 1000 miles, as the road will [illegible] the train pulls in to Aparri or Laoag.

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[Photos by Hamilton Wright.]

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A great era for the Philippines is at hand. Capital is going into the islands, and undoubtedly will get a good interest on investment. It will, too, help the natives; and it may here be taken, for it is a fact, that only those concerns in the Philippines which deal sympathetically and conscientiously with the people are successful in getting satisfactory labor. The American concerns which have done this have had success, where the Spanish government monopolies persecuted the people till the rifle and bolo put a mutual end to the oppression.

With the increase of money in circulation among the Filipinos as a whole, and the consequent increase in their purchasing ability, the Philippine Islands should become enormous consumers of American goods. Not only that, but the archipelago should afford a wedge for American goods into the enormous commerce of the Orient. Today we have not gotten our share of the oriental trade. Europe sells to that portion of the Orient which is in the tropics $600,000,000 worth of manufactured articles and goods annually, while the United States sells but $10,000,000 worth. Out of a possible commerce of $3,000,000,000, it is estimated that from $1,500,000,000 to $2,000,000,000 could be supplied by the United States and Europe.

Coming back to the Philippines, we find 8,000,000 of people who would eat our canned fruits, wear our American shoes (the best in the world), adorn themselves with our watches and jewelry, and till their fields with our modern agricultural implements, which are nowhere surpassed. The Filipino people all wear cotton print goods. These goods wear out rapidly, and the native is careful to have many suits of clothes or dresses so that he or she may appear clean and spotless. You seldom see a Filipino in a dirty white suit. When these people have the money and learn to use American print goods, there will never be the need to burn cotton bales, as was done several years ago in Atlanta, Ga.

HAMILTON WRIGHT.

Postage Stamps.

HOW THEY ARE MADE, HOW HANDLED AND DISPOSED OF.

By a Special Contributor.

OF late years, the United States has dropped into the fashion of changing the designs of its marking franks more frequently than any other nation, and gradually the first republic of the new world has come to the proud position of possessing postage stamps that are more artistic than those sent out from any other country.

It is not easy to understand what an immense amount of work is necessitated by the advent of new styles in this postal currency—what with the men who manufacture the paper, the two or three thousand men and women who assist in printing and gumming the stamps, the toilers who help in transporting the new products of the printing presses, and the 80,000 postmasters and clerks who sell the stamps to the public, it is estimated that fully 100,000 persons have a hand in preparing for a postage stamp "opening."

For upward of a decade the national government has been printing its own postage stamps—that is, the work has been done at the big institution at Washington known as the Bureau of Printing and Engraving, which is a branch of the Treasury Department, and designed primarily for the printing of national currency; but the gigantic task may at any time revert to private individuals or a corporation, if a disposition is shown to do the work more cheaply than the government can do it.

Every year, the Postoffice Department advertises for bids for furnishing the postage stamps, and the Treasury Department submits a proposition in exactly the same manner as the other bidders, but the plant of the big money factory at the national capital is so perfectly equipped that the manufacture of stamps can be carried on at a cost of less than 5 cents a thousand, and apparently the bank-note companies which formerly supplied stamps have concluded that there would be no profit in the transaction at such a price.

Engraving the plates which are used in the production of postage stamps is a delicate operation. Perhaps a dozen different engravers, each an expert in his particular line, contribute to a design for a stamp that is not an inch square. One supplies the vignette, a second cuts the delicate scroll work, a third furnishes the artistic lettering, and so on. The original plate bearing a stamp design, although baked until it is almost as hard as a diamond, is never employed in the actual printing. It is much too precious for that, since, were it distroyed, it would, in all probability, be impossible to engrave a new plate that would be an exact duplicate in every delicate detail. Accordingly, the original plate constitutes a steel die, with which impressions are made on soft steel, and these latter, termed replicas, are used, after hardening, for the actual printing.

Postage stamps are printed in sheets of 400, and all the printing is done in an immense room, known as the "bee hive," containing over 300 hand presses, each requiring for its manipulation the service of two operators—one, an expert plate printer, and the other his woman assistant, whose duty it is to feed to the press the blank sheets of paper and remove them after receiving the impression. The ink is applied by means of a hand roller, and, inasmuch as the varied hues inevitably tinge the hands and faces and clothing of the workers, the immense pressroom presents a picturesque spectacle of kaleidoscopic color.

Gumming the stamps is an important process, and those persons who never moisten a postage stamp without momentary uneasiness regarding the possible presence of germs or other evils, would doubtless be reassured, could they realize the many precautions surrounding the preparation and application of the sticky stuff most familiar to the American tongue. The gumming is done by an electrical machine, and each sheet of stamps after receiving the baptism of mucilage, is carried by an endless chain, operating like a miniature moving sidewalk, through a long wooden tunnel, where the temperature is 130 degrees Fahrenheit, and from which the sheets emerge with the mucilage perfectly dry.

To meet the different conditions of the seasons of the year, the quality of the gum is changed quarterly. In winter soft gum is used, while in summer a harder grade is applied to the postage stamps, and it is highly important always to keep a sharp watch on the mucilage to insure a quality least likely to cause the sheets to stick together by reason of the dampness in the atmosphere. The mucilage is prepared in accordance with a time-honored formula, and for boiling the strange concoction there are installed in the basement of the Bureau of Engraving three giant kettles, each of which will hold fully 100 gallons.

If placed end to end, the stamps printed for the use of the American people each year would gird the globe nearly four times. Under normal conditions, between 10,000,000 and 20,000,000 stamps are printed at the building during an ordinary working day of eight hours, but under stress of unusual conditions, when the great print shop has been in operation night and day, an average of over 40,000,000 stamps has been produced every twenty-four hours. Inasmuch as the average consumption of stamps at the present time is about 16,000,000 a day, the Bureau can usually more than keep pace with the transient demand; but the law requires that there shall be kept on hand, in the storage vaults at the Bureau, 100,000,000 1-cent stamps, and twice as many of the 2-cent denomination, and some care is required to see to it that this measure is not depleted.

The same manifold precautions surround the manufacture of postage stamps that characterize the printing of currency. Each sheet of stamps is counted dozens of times, during the process of manufacture, and if a single sheet is missing when the hour arrives for ceasing work, every employé of the division where it has disappeared is compelled to remain in the building until the misplaced bit of paper is found. At night the plates from which the stamps are printed are carefully checked off and locked up in great vaults fitted with time locks, the doors of which cannot be opened, the next morning unless all three of the men in charge be present, it being necessary for each to manipulate a lock of which he alone knows the combination.

Strange as it may appear, Uncle Sam, in the case of stamp manufacture, has installed an official whose duty it is to see to it that one department of the government performs properly the work intrusted to it by another branch of the government. This official is known as the stamp agent, and the United States stamp agency is, probably, in so far as the public is concerned, the least known of all the great Bureaus of the national government.

With his assistants this official exercises constant supervision to insure the proper performance, in the Treasury Department, of the big job of printing intrusted to it by the Postoffice Department. He sees to it that the paper used is of the proper quality, that the mucilage has not been spread on too thinly, that the perforations are straight, and that the dress of each new consignment of stamps is of exactly the same tint as on those which have gone before. Finally, an army of clerks in the institution attend to dispatching consignments of stamps to the American postoffices.

When an old issue of postage stamps is retired and a new series comes to take its place, there is a great conflagration in a specially-prepared furnace in the basement of the general postoffice at Washington, for here all the "left-over" stamps are cremated. Many preliminaries are gone through with, before the burning can take place; the chief task is, of course, the accounting. Uncle Sam maintains a book-keeping account with every postmaster in his service, and when an issue of stamps is called in for retirement, every bit of paper received at the postal headquarters must be counted and credited to the postmaster who returned it. Occasionally the government finds itself with a heavy stock of superannuated stamps on hand, and no chance to get rid of them. Thus, after the close of the Pan-American Exposition the "condemned" stamps which had been issued in commemoration of that show but remained unsold and were fed to the flames, had a value of over $1,000,0000.

COSTLIEST OF ALL FISH.

The fish was no bigger than a silver dollar. Its color was bright gold, and it had a beautiful bushy golden tail.

"That," said the pet-stock dealer, "is the finest aquarium fish in the world, a Chinese brush-tailed goldfish. It is handsome, healthy and long-lived, and if you were a trust magnate I'd advise you to give one to your little girl for a Christmas present.

"A good brush-tailed goldfish," he concluded, "costs $250 or $300, and some fine specimens have sold for as much as $700 apiece."

"Good gracious!" said the lady chauffeur, "that bull seems awfuly angry, doesn't he?"

"It's your red automobile, ma'am," explained the farmer.

She flushed and bit her lip.

"I know it is an old-fashioned 1904 model," she murmured, "but who'd have thought a stupid old country bull would notice that?"

Live "Missing Link."

FEMALE SPECIMEN SAID TO HAVE BEEN FOUND IN AUSTRALIA.

From a Special Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, December, 1906.—The recent cable from Melbourne stating that a real, live "missing link"—or perhaps we should say "missing linkess," for it is a she—has been bagged by Prof. Klaatsch at Port Darwin, Northern Australia, has been noted by government anthropologists. The discoverer is evidently Prof. Hermann Klaatsch, the German anthropologist of Heidelberg, who has come into international notice within the past few years. The only descriptive details as to the creature received here are that she is "the missing link between man and ape," and that "she has feet like hands." Prof. Klaatsch is said to have taken plaster casts and photographs of this individual, intermediate between the anthropoid ape and Homo sapiens.

If the creature really proves to be the missing link, Prof. Klaatsch is assured immortal fame, and will become more celebrated than if he had discovered the North Pole, squared the circle, found the philosopher's stone or perpetual motion. Scientists have been in earch of the missing link ever since Darwin launched his theory of evolution. They have not, however, seriously hoped to capture a live specimen. It has been generally agreed among them that when the creature is found it will be seen only in the form of fossilized bones. Dr. Theodore Gill, the eminent biologist of the Smithsonian, takes this view. When questioned on the subject, he denied the possibility of a live missing link's ever being discovered.

"The evolution from ape to man is not now in progress," said he. "The struggle for existence has crowded out all intermediate links between ape and man. The pithecanthropus, or missing link, which originally occupied the same ground with early man, did not have the intelligence to successfulily compete with man in the struggle for existence. But the ape proper continued to live in the regions hostile to man. Had the ape occupied territory necessary or favorable to man it would have long been out of existence."

However, there are some biologists who believe that a missing link might now appear on earth as a result of the phenomenon of reversion, or turning back to a primitive ancestral stock. This phenomenon is encountered in breeding experiments with both animals and plants. At any rate the region of Prof. Klaatsch's researches is regarded as a fertile field for discovering very primitive human beings. Port Darwin lies at the northernmost edge of that wild central strip of largely unexplored Australia known as northern territory. Its black heart is now penetrated by a telegraph line stretching from Adelaide, on the south coast, up to Port Darwin. If the creature was discovered at the latter port it doubtless had drifted up from the wild lands below. The aborigines living here are among the lowest order of human beings. They build no permanent dwellings, but live only in hovels. Their sole dress is a single garment, when they wear anything at all. Their hatchets are of stone, and their spears and axes of hard wood. Some of them practice cannibalism. They have no religion beyond fear of a giant believed to have been sleeping for ages and expected to some day awake and eat up the world.

Collecting Missing Link Casts.

The National Museum will endeavor to obtain facsimiles of Prof. Klaatsch's casts, unless his alleged discovery proves to be altogether the hoax of some yellow journalist of Melbourne.

The museum has been collecting casts of the skulls of creatures most nearly approaching the hypothetical missing link. One of these, in fact, is accepted by many anthropologists as being the remains of an actual missing link. This is a skull found about ten years ago by Dr. Eugene Dubois, a Dutch army surgeon and paleontologist, who dug it out of the bank of the river Bangawan, near Trinil, in the central part of Java. Only the top portion of the skull was preserved, but sufficient remained to indicate to Prof. O. C. Marsh and other anthropolgists that the original skull capacity of the creature was about two-thirds that of the average man. Yet it was considerably greater than that of the highest type of ape ever known. The arching of the top of the head is much higher and more rounded than that of any ape. While this skull has the narrowness and smoothness of man's it yet has the ape's ridges of bone ("supraorbital ridges") which hold in place the strong muscles of a jaw used in combat. Along with the skull fragment were two molar teeth and a whole thigh bone. The teeth are man-like at the crown, but ape-like at the roots. The thigh bone proves by its shape that the animal walked in an upright position. Hence Dr. Dubois named the creature "Pithecanthropus erectus" or erect ape-man. The cast of this skull has been installed in the great collection of crania in the National Museum's new division of physical anthropology, in charge of Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, an anthropologist, formerly of Bohemia.

Other Missing Links.

The skull of Pithecanthropus is ranked as about intermediate between that of the chimpanzee and that of man. Near its cast, in the collection, are those of the most ape-like of human skulls known to science. Two are reproductions of the skulls of the "Man of Spy," forming the nearest links to Pithecanthropus in the chain binding that creature and man. The originals were found in a cavern at Spy, Belgium, in 1886. The next most apelike skull is that of "Neanderthal Man." The cast in Dr. Hrdlicka's collection is from the original found in a cave in the Neander Valley, near Dusseldorf, in 1856. Some anthropologists have expressed doubt as to the ancient character of this skull, while others have denied that it was that of a normal human being of its period. Deformity has occasionally reproduced very similar skulls in modern times. However, at the time of its discovery it was considered less human and more apelike than any other known skull.

The links connecting this chain with prehistoric man as finally evolved are, notably, the "Man of Brux," the "Man of Podbaba," and the "Man of Cannstatt." The skull of the first was found in Brux, Bohemia, in 1871, together with an ax which seemed to belong to a later date. There has been some question as to this skull's antiquity. The second was found at Podbaba, in the neighborhood of Prague, by workingmen who said that they dug it from about two yards below the loam. As there was no scientist present to note the geologic layer in which it was found there has been some doubt as to its antiquity. The third skull mentioned was found at Cannstatt, near Stuttgart, Wurtemburg, in 1700, together with bones of animals belonging to the quarternary period of geology, in which man has generally been supposed to have first evolved from the ape form. This skull remained in the museum of Stuttgart for more than a century and a third before it was described, in 1835, and some doubt has therefore been attached to its authenticity.

When Man First Came.

By such finds as these light is thrown on the problem as to how long ago man was created, as well as upon other problems of evolution. In their study of the glacial epoch, or great ice age, naturalists have classified the earth's crust according to a time scale, denoting successively older periods the deeper the earth is dug into. The two latest great periods are known as the tertiary and quaternary, the former being the older. Before Dr. Dubois dug up his Pithecanthropus [illegible] neo, human-like skulls, including those in the above given, were found only in the quaternary latest period. In the middle of that period [illegible] the glacial epoch, or great ice age, and naturalists [illegible] been in a quandary as to whether man appeared [illegible] during or after that time. Dr. Dubois, however, [illegible] his Pithecanthropus in the dust of the tertiary [illegible] which, as stated, was earlier than the quaternary.

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There have been numerous accounts of the [illegible] the "missing link" before this cabled procla[illegible] Prof. Klaatsch's discovery of Miss, or Mrs. Flin[illegible] pus, at Port Darwin. A year or two ago it was [illegible] broadly over the earth that one Van Brun[illegible] merchant, had found in Java "a remarkable [illegible] to be the missing link." The animal was [illegible] very cleanly in its habits and as very fond [illegible] The females were said to bedeck themselves [illegible] wreathes of leaves and to croon to their young [illegible] they rocked them in crude cradles, which they [illegible] out of the wood of the forest.

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One of our new kinsmen.



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In Nazareth.

A TALE OF CHRIST WHEN HE WAS SEVENTEEN.

By a Special Contributor.

THE old Rabbi Jehudah sat at the gate of his house looking down the road. The sun had almost finished its day's work, just now gilding the western hilltops and throwing a magical color over the fertile valley. The quiet street of Nazareth did not offer much to attract the old man's attention, but he watched everything with the keen interest of one who knows that life is ebbing out and that he soon may have to leave behind him all that makes life rich and beautiful.

From the half-naked children playing in the dust his attention was drawn to the women with water jars on their shoulders going to fill them at the well.

For each one, as she passed, he had a kind word and a fatherly smile of approval, as he noticed their erect bearing and happy, contented faces. He knew them all by name. First came Martha, the wife of the sandal maker; then the old Hannah, with her handsome daughter Rebecca; Sarah and Rachel, chattering in girlish fashion, to their own mortification almost forgetting to salute the venerable old teacher.

A little later came Mary, the widow of Joseph the carpenter. Although her toga was made of the same coarse material as the other women's, she yet appeared different. The old observer could not tell just why she impressed him as superior to the others. A mysterious halo seemed to encircle her as she passed along, greeting the old man humbly and yet with a queenly air.

Rabbi Jehudah stopped her with a gentle motion.

"Still the same?" he asked.

Mary nodded her head affirmatively and a peculiar triumphant expression flashed from her generally dreaming eyes.

Meditatingly the rabbi stroked his long gray beard.

"And what is he making now?" he asked.

"A table, Master."

"But what about the scroll I lent him?"

"He knows it already by heart, Master. He said he would return it today."

"Yes, he learns quickly, thy son. I noticed that when I taught him reading and writing. He learns very quickly. Had he taken my advice he would now be sitting at the feet of the learned and wise men in Jerusalem. They would have made something great of him, but here among the Galilean hills, here will he forever remain a carpenter and nothing else."

"Master," said Mary hesitatingly, "I understand him not. At times it seems as if he thought of nothing but his work, but at other times some words of his or a look recall most vividly all the remarkable incidents connected with his birth."

The rabbi shook his head with disapproval.

"Remarkable incidents!" he said, "I am too old to believe in such tales. Also, I am waiting for Messiahs to come, but in glory and power I expect him to appear. However, I do not fail to perceive that thy son is remarkably gifted—too much so to be allowed to waste his talents in this remote corner. Where is he now?"

"I do not know, Master. At sunset he always disappears, sometimes not to return till the shadow of the night drives him home."

"Dreamer!" said the old man. And bidding Mary good evening, he walked up the street heavily leaning on his staff.

An uneven and narrow path led up to a small house surrounded by flowers and shaded by fig and olive trees. This was once the house of Joseph the carpenter, and at present was occupied by his widow and her son and his sons of an earlier marriage.

Rabbi Jehudah stopped at the gate, in order not to disturb a young man who, kneeling and turned toward Jerusalem, was absorbed in prayer. It was Jacob, the oldest of Mary's stepsons. When he at length arose, the old man greeted him with much fervor:

"God be with thee, my son! Dost thou know where thy young brother is?" came his anxious question.

"Ask the wind," said Jacob, after reverently saluting the old man. "Ask the clouds. Here he is not. As soon as the day's work is finished, he disappears. I know not where. It is not with my approval that he spends his evenings in this way, neglecting prayers and meditation. The last few evenings, however, he carried with him the scroll thou gavest him."

"It is natural at his age to dream," said the old man gently. "Remember thy brother is young, not yet 20 years old."

"He is only 17 and some months," corrected Jacob.

"Seventeen! Is that all? The age at which life is full of play and joy."

"But not for him. In tears I have seen him often, but laughing or even smiling, never."

"Hast thou never seen him smile?" asked the rabbi, astonished. "What burden weighs on his mind, thinkest thou?"

"I know not," said Jacob. "Oh, Master, ask me not about my brother! We love each other greatly, and me, the head of the family, he obeys, but I do not understand his inner being."

"What way did he go this evening?"

"As usual, up into the mountains. But do not try to find him—the path is steep and dangerous."

With a courteous greeting, Rabbi Jehudah crossed the road and, without heeding the warning, climbed the rough hill with uncommon vigor for a man of his age.

From the top he enjoyed the extensive view of the valley—on the south slope, Nazareth; to the east, Tabor in solemn majesty; to the west, the top of Mount Carmel; and still further west, a glimpse of the Mediterranean, just now absorbing the last rays of the sun. At the eastern horizon, the full moon rose simultaneously.

Disappointed in not finding the one for whom he was looking, Rabbi Jehudah sat down, meditating, as his custom was, over his people's uncertain future.

"Oh, Jehovah," he whispered, "have pity on Israel's need and oppression! Thou Eternal, send the promised Savior from on high, the King, the Messiah who is to lead our armies, and with sword and fire conquer our enemies and reign over them! Oh, Jehovah, hearken to my prayer!"

From his absorbing thoughts he was suddenly awakened by a young and sonorous voice. The song came nearer and nearer. Clearly it sounded now the Psalmist's words:

"The Lord is my Shepherd,
I shall not want."

There he came, the youthful figure. Slowly, but with light steps, he moved forward, kingly but reverent in his bearing. In one hand he carried the scroll, in the other some lilies. As he came in view, the old man rose and, stepping forward, said:

"Well met, my son. I rejoice to hear thee sing the holy words. Song is becoming to young lips—in times of joy as well as in times of sorrow."

The youth answered with a reverent bow.

"I see thou carryist the scroll. Hast thou read it?"

"From beginning to end, Master."

"And hast thou understood the prophecies?"

No answer came, but a glance from the deep, dark eyes seemed to say: "I know their meaning, but not as thou dost."

"My son, the twilight has overtaken us. Wilt thou help thy old friend down the steep path?"

The old rabbi rested his hand on the shoulder of the youth, who turned aside the branches, carefully leading the way.

"Thou art sure-footed, and thy arm is strong, though thou seemest frail and of little strength."

"Those who lean on me shall not stumble," came the answer, in a mild but majestic voice, which the old rabbi did not understand. Jehudah tried again to persuade his former pupil to go to the Holy City, there in the temple to listen to the words of wisdom from the learned men of Jehovah.

"Venerable Master," said the youth, "my time has not yet come."

With a noticeable tone of irritation Jehudah said:

"For what art thou waiting? The days slip by, year is added to year; soon youth is gone, and with it the time for studies."

No answer came, only the sudden support by the strong arm just in time to save the old man from stumbling.

"Thanks, my son. The road is even now, thy house is near by, and I shall find my way alone. Thanks, and farewell."

"At thy gate I will leave thee, Master, and return the scroll."

Quietly they walked through the city, approaching the children still playing at the roadside. Forgetting to salute the old man, the children surrounded the youth, clinging to his garment, happy to feel the touch of his hand on their heads.

"Oh, is this flower for me?" said a little girl, receiving from his hand a beautiful lily. "I thank thee so much!"

For all of them he had something—stones bright in color, quills in many hues, delicately-tinted shells, different kinds of fruits and berries. "Where does he carry it all?" mused the children, between themselves.

"Hast thou not anything for me?" asked a little pale boy who stood behind the others. And in answer a cluster of mountain grapes dropped in his outstretched hand.

With glee and thanks the children hastened home to show the mothers their treasures. Only the little pale boy lingered, as if waiting for something.

"Art thou not satisfied?" asked the youth.

"Oh, yes, yes! I thank thee. But I cannot eat the grapes. I am ill and cannot play." The child caught the hand of his benefactor, looking up to him in childish admiration.

"What is thy wish?" asked the youth, drawing the child closer to him.

"Nothing—only let me stay with thee," came the whispered answer.

At this a smile spread over Jesus's face, a smile that, to the old rabbi, seemed like a burst of sunshine, encircling and overspreading the whole universe in the stillness of the falling night. It seemed to him the light of moon and stars faded in this smile, the brightness of which gave him a vision of eternity.

"Take my gift," said the youth, gently kissing the child. "Not now, but later on, thou shalt be with me."

A warm color spread over the child's face. The lusterless eyes glowed with a brightness reflected from Jesus's smile.

"I feel quite well now," said the boy. "Was it not so late, I would like to play."

"Go home speedily, child. Chilly winds sweep from the mountains. No doubt thy mother is anxiously waiting for thy return."

At the gate of Jehudah's home, the young man returned the scroll with many thanks.

"Some day I shall be able to show my gratitude for thy kindness, Master."

"Jehovah's blessings rest upon thee, my son," were the old man's parting words.

Long after the slender figure had disappeared up the road, Rabbi Jehudah was still standing at the gate saying to himself:

"What a smile! Did it signify anything? It was like sunshine, only much brighter. Not that he can be the Promised One—but such must be the smile of the Lord's Anointed when He comes." SIGRID RUTH.

APPROPRIATE.

The society editor of the Jimpson Clarion was writing up a church fair.

"Mrs. Green, the wife of our prominent milk dealer," he wrote, "was appropriately gowned in watered silk."

A Pest of Bears.

THE MOUNTAIN STATES SUFFERING FROM TOO MUCH BRUIN.

By a Special Contributor.

"WANTED—a bear hunter." This is the call that is going up from the Rocky Mountain States. From New Mexico to Montana have come reports of unprecedented depredations of bears this fall. Stockmen and ranchers have lost many thousands of dollars owing to the boldness of bears in breaking into corrals and making way with the choice of flocks and herds. Cattle and horses have been struck down and devoured on the open range, and Mr. Bruin has gone fat and well fed to his long sleep during the winter of 1906-7.

In some localities there are giant grizzlies whose death will bring down the blessings of the community on the head of the slayer. An instance is that part of the Rocky Mountain range where Idaho, Montana and Wyoming meet. Here, on the edge of Yellowstone National Park, dwells a giant grizzly called "Old Boxer," who not only spreads death and destruction among flocks and herds every year, but who has a record as a man-killer. Three men have fallen before the fierce attack of this giant grizzly—Bob White, a cowboy, who was killed seven years ago, and John Jorgenson and Charles E. Smith, who were killed a year ago.

Colorado, has moved to Gardiner, Mont., the entrance to Yellowstone Park. Goff has a contract with the government to clear the park of mountain lions, which have been declared a nuisance owing to their killing of deer. It is possible that Goff will also be given a contract to rid the park of some of its most troublesome bears, including "Old Boxer." Bears have increased more rapidly than any other animals in the park, and they are growing to be a menace to tourists. If Goff is told to rid the park of its troublesome bears, "Old Boxer" may as well consider his death warrant signed. Goff has the greatest pack of dogs in the country and is a hunter who has emerged victorious from many contests with man-killing bears. In the meantime, unless Tregarthen kills him, "Old Boxer" will continue to leave death and destruction in his wake.

Ranchers in Central Colorado have not yet ceased rejoicing over the killing of "Old Mose" a year ago. This grizzly was the largest ever killed in Colorado. He had lived a life of slaughter and carnage for many years. He would kill a steer with one blow of his paw and then drag the animal to some convenient place, where he would finish his meal. He carried many bullets in his body, but they never seemed to bother him in the least. Although he had no men on his list of victims, "Old Mose" had given many a hunter a great scare and had kept several treed all night. Finally, he was laid low by a well-directed shot that pierced his heart, and ranchers for miles around wanted to decorate the bear hunter with a medal of honor. It is estimated that "Old Mose" alone had caused $5000 worth of damage among stockmen and ranchers.

States, and why the bears have shown such a ... increase.

It is believed that, if the destruction of ... tinues, the Rocky Mountain States will have ... bounties for bears and mountain lions, as in ... coyotes and wolves. The coyote and wolf ... resulted in the creation of a class of professional ... hunters, known as "wolfers," who spend all ... trapping and shooting these pests. A bear bounty ... create a similar class of bear hunters and ... decrease the number of grizzlies that are now ... despair to western ranchmen.

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REMEMBER YOUR WIFE.

In a recent divorce case the husband, when ... he ever made his wife any Christmas or birth... ents, replied:

"No, I am sorry to say I never did. I gave ... power to draw on my bank account and to buy ... she wanted. I was mistaken. That was not all ... have done. That didn't take the place of my ... things and taking them home to her."

It is astonishing how little even the majority ... bands know about the feminine nature. I recently ... a young wife say that she would rather have ... band bring her a bunch of violets than give ... times the money they cost. But she said ... never make him appreciate the fact that money ... all that she needed.

I know men who never think of taking home ... of flowers to their wives. They either think ... necessary extravagance, or that, if their wi...



"Old Boxer" has chosen his retreat with a cunning that seems something more than mere animal instinct. After making a raid he retreats into Yellowstone Park. No game can be killed in the government's great game preserve, so "Old Boxer" is safe from pursuit. Then he returns to some ranch bordering on the park, and the despairing farmer finds bloody evidences of the great bear's visit. "Old Boxer" is one of the mightest of grizzlies, and has been shot at times without number. He has been hunted with dogs, but bowls the hounds over like nine-pins. The three human victims on his list have all been terribly mangled, showing how mighty are the muscles of this giant grizzly. Every bone in the bodies of the hunters was crushed, either by terrific hugs or by blows from the great paws, any one of which would have broken the neck of a bull.

A little while ago a wealthy Englishman, Robert Tregarthen, whose favorite pastime is bear hunting, announced that next season he would return to the hunting ground where "Old Boxer" holds forth, and would devote months, if necessary, to running down and slaying the man-killer. The residents in that wild part of the country, used as they are to killing all kinds of big game, hesitate to follow the spoor of "Old Boxer." The great grizzly has come unscathed through so many combats, and has wreaked such terrible vengeance on hunters whose first shot fails to find a mortal spot, that the most hardened guide and hunter gives "Old Boxer" a wide berth.

John Goff, probably the greatest bear and mountain lion hunter in the country, who won fame by guiding President Roosevelt through the big game section of

The increase of bears in the western country is explained by the fact that bear hunting is not a sport to be taken up by anybody who is stout enough to "pack" a rifle. It requires considerable courage to face an oncoming bear and plant a bullet in exactly the right spot. The average bear is inclined to go his way and let the men go theirs, but if he is wounded he will never stop until the fight has gone to a finish. This is true, especially of grizzlies. The grizzly bears of Colorado and New Mexico are of a smaller type than the genuine old "hump-back and shovel-nose" of Montana and Northern Wyoming. Only occasionally do they grow to tremendous size. But the Montana grizzly is the mightiest of his kind. One of these bears will run for rods with a bullet in his heart, and, even when mortally wounded, will retain enough strength to kill his antagonist or chase him to a friendly tree.

This fall the best record at bear hunting, made by an outsider, was that of "Charley" Gates, son of John W. Gates. In a few days' hunting near Creede, Colo., Mr. Gates got five great bears. His guides unite in pronouncing him the best bear hunter that has struck the West in recent years, not even excepting President Roosevelt. But while a few hunters display courage and coolness, to say nothing of the necessary skill with the rifle, the majority of them will go all to pieces when facing a bear. Men who hunt all other kinds of game without a trace of "buck fever" will get a veritable ague of nervousness when it comes to the critical moment in a bear hunt. That is the reason there are so few hunters trying their luck in the Rocky Mountain

flowers, they can get them themselves. ... realize that women prize the little courtesies, ... attentions and evidences of thoughtfulness ... money. It is the invitation to the little ... tion, the little trip to another city, the ... of tickets to the theater or opera, or to the ... lecture; it is the hundred and one little things ... the average woman happy, and not merely ... her imperative wants are supplied in a ...

Most men overlook the fact that it does ... much, after all, to satisfy the average ... largely a question of the right spirit, of doing ... which indicate thoughtfulness. Just giving ... check once in a while, no matter how large, ... or telling her to draw as much as she needs ... bank account, will not satisfy a womanly ... yourself she wants with the money.—[Orison ... in Success Magazine.

THE CAT AND THE CHICKENS.

The old housekeeper met the master at ... his arrival home. "If you please, sir," said ... has had chickens."

"Nonsense, Mary," he laughed, "you ... Cats don't have chickens."

"Was them chickens or kittens that you ... last night, sir?" asked the old woman.

"Why, they were chickens."

"Just so," replied Mary, with a twinkle ... cat's 'ad 'em."—[Liverpool Post.

Prophet of the Kar...

STRANGE SCENES AT MIDN... A BURMESE JUNGLE.

By William Edgar Geil, F.R...

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Prophet of the Karens.

STRANGE SCENES AT MIDNIGHT IN A BURMESE JUNGLE.

By William Edgar Geil, F.R.G.S.

After a journey of 3300 miles across China from Shanghai to Bhamo, which means "the city of [illegible]," I made my way down the Irrewaddy River to Mandalay and thence to Rangoon. On reaching Burmese territory, I began to hear strange stories of one San Ye, a native-born Karen prophet, who was alleged to have been converted to Christianity and to have since performed almost unbelievable feats in building stone structures in the jungle. That he had actually been given a grant of 30,000 acres of land by the government I early learned was true. This made me think it would be worth while to gratify my curiosity, which about was great and growing, and to plan a visit to this wonderful man; for I reasoned that if all reports of his doings were true he must be one of the greatest men of the age among dark-skinned native races.

I started on the trip from Rangoon, which is the metropolis of Burma. It is a typical oriental city, although it shows traces of the transforming influence of the British. Many oriental religions are represented among the people, as are several Christian sects. Of all missionary bodies, the American Baptists have been longest on the ground, and have their work best in hand. They have a college with over 500 students, mostly intelligent young people. As to the sacred pagoda which every traveler sees when approaching on steamer, it is unnecessary for me to write. When I was there it was being recovered with gold at fabulous expense. Religion is expensive, and sacks its devotees of much-needed rupees.

The train to take us the first stage of our journey to San Ye left Rangoon at 6:20 a.m. Soon after leaving the station we passed a Burmese graveyard, where



A BURMESE OX CART.

[illegible] Slaves of the Dead. They are the grave-[illegible] and are outcasts. They are not permitted to [illegible] with others, and their children are not allowed to attend school with other children. This is the only approach to the caste system I have seen in Burma. When a body is burned these people perform the [illegible] task. Their support is derived from the [illegible] of the dead and the priests. For clothing they [illegible] clothes, and sometimes they have been known to take the body out of its coffin, clean the boards and sell them. The underlying reason for burning a body is to prevent witchcraft. During the process an interesting custom prevails. When the legs are gone and the head is in the skull it is stirred with a bamboo. If the body burns completely, the conclusion is that no witchcraft has been practiced, but that the deceased died a natural death.

At 9 o'clock we left the train to start into the jungle, for a place where we had heard San Ye was then located. After dinner at the village of Four Holy Trees I visited a large mill owned by San Ye and [illegible] husking rice with which to feed the vast crowds, sometimes many thousands, who sometimes remain for days at his meetings. I here learned that when the prophet gave up his necromancy, soothsaying and other antics belonging to the profession of false prophets among the Karens he changed his name, making it San Ye. His earlier name meant "Money," and he accounts he made the heathen pay well for his services when he also was heathen. But the new name means "Living Water," which every Bible student will recognize as having a sacred significance. I may say here that San Ye owns nothing but a yacht which is at the disposal of the missionaries. Everything is held in trust by native Karen trustees for the work.

Under the Holy Fig Trees we took ox carts and had a long, dusty ride. I walked and rode until 9 at night, stopping for tea at a miserable shanty. The woman who waited upon us was a heathen, and wore no clothing. She had a solitary garment about twelve inches long. Here we prepared our firearms, for tigers were said to be numerous and active.

The ox-cart jaunt was continued, we not knowing that we were then off the track. For two more hours we wandered about, lost at midnight in the jungle. The tigers scented us, but we were not molested. I suggested that as we did not know the road we stand still. The driver of my cart shouted into the jungle, and imagine our surprise when there came an answer. Two ox carts drove up, manned by natives who directed us on our way. I was almost dying of thirst and looked into the strange cart in hope of finding water. Instead, I received from the active ox a terrific kick on my left knee joint. It pained dreadfully. A native began to doctor me, native fashion, by pulling the sore leg and making the pain all the worse. Fortunately, we were carrying two dozen bottles of liniment as a present for San Ye. This helped me amazingly. It was after midnight when we reached the prophet's place, and I was carried into the house and dropped on a mat on the floor. In the dim moonlight I could descry the outlines of the prophet's monster building in the jungle. Now my faith in the man increased. To find such structures in the jungle compelled one to consider their building as a man of gifts.

At half past 5 I awoke, because the prophet had come to have a talk with me before the gathering of the multitudes, for when we had arrived at midnight he had dispatched runners calling the people together for a service at 9 o'clock. San Ye is of medium height, rather light weight, a vegetarian and an intense man. He impressed me as one likely to have influence with an audience. An intelligent face on which emotions played rapidly. Modest in manner, and dressed in white with a white handkerchief about his neck. We shook hands and sat on the floor. A man entered with soda water. This is made on the place to give to the crowds at the monster missionary meetings. Then the prophet, lest he forget it, gave each of us ten rupees to pay our expenses, because three missionaries had come with me. He is so pleased to see them that he invariably pays their expenses. I noticed hundreds of doves flying about. These the prophet likes because in the scriptures they are the emblem of the Holy Spirit. The heathen natives say he understands the language of the doves, and that they tell him secrets.

At 9 o'clock a crowd had gathered that seemed to have sprung by magic out of the waste of the jungle. The men and women attending were well dressed. San Ye would not sit on the platform, but on the lower step. He is a humble man. This was no shoddy building in the jungle. It was built of timber, contained rooms for day schools and Sunday-schools, and cost 60,000 rupees. There are teaching and religious services every day. A fine upright piano occupied a place on the platform.

The speaker told the hearers that they might have their sins forgiven and their hearts made white. The word "white" powerfully moved them. The Karens have a legend in which they all believe. They call it a prophecy. They, as heathen, have no literature. The nations about them have books, but the Karens none. On one side were the Chinese with their works of Confucius; around about the Burmese with the Pali writings of the Buddhists; beyond them the Vedas. Other people jeered at the Karens for having no sacred books. In reply they would say that their book was to come, and it would be a "white book." They were to hear of a black book, but that would not be for them. A red book would come, but not for them. But when the white book came they must accept it. They now believe that the Bible is the white book.

The prophet was asked to speak to the audience, and made a few remarks about these three books. He had a mighty grip on the audience. The people listened breathlessly, and when he ended there was a sigh as of relief from severe tension. He then placed a silver vessel on the platform, filled it half full of water, and told the people that if they wanted to give anything for the gospel to come forward and put it in the water. To my amazement, they literally crowded forward, putting 125 rupees in the silver vessel. I afterward asked San Ye why he took the collection in water. He made the shrewd reply that "money is hot and needs cooling off." He has built several of these huge buildings, and has raised close to 500,000 rupees from heathen sources for Christian purposes. At 12 o'clock there was another meeting, larger than the first, and when it became very warm the prophet took off his shirt!

I had an interview with San Ye, and here are some of the things he told me. "In the beginning I was a black-headed man—heathen. My understanding was slight. I sought a way in Gaudama. Whatever the priests told me to do I did with all my might. I built a monastery, several pagodas—one of brass still stands. While building the pagodas I fasted six days, but got no peace. I gave up Buddhism when I heard the teaching of the 'White Book;' then I got peace. For two years I pulled both sides. I was measuring things. I lived in a tree house twenty feet above the ground, for no other reason than that it was cooler. Then I gave myself entirely to the Lord. Put it down that I am working for the Lord, and that is enough for any man." The prophet owns no land, and is humble. But when he announces two weeks of meetings more than 10,000 will gather to hear him. A day with San Ye in the jungles of Burma is worth while.

THE KAISER'S FAMILY AT CHRISTMAS TIME.

Christmas is always celebrated by the Kaiser strictly en famille, says Wolf von Schierbrand in the December number of Lippincott's. The Empress keeps a special memorandum book in which, year after year, are noted down the presents made to every member of the imperial household (no matter how high or humble), as well as to friends and relatives. The careful study of this little book causes Her Majesty, for weeks before the actual festival season, no little thought and anxiety; for duplication must be avoided at all hazards, and the special wishes of each consulted, as far as possible, while valued old servitors must, of course, be specialy considered. In her small, dark, brougham the Empress nearly every day drives from store to store, making individual purchases.

For the higher officials, relatives, etc., jewelry, watches, sleeve links, and other trinkets serving for personal adornment are presented, for the Kaiser believes in things of permanent value and capable of constant use. In this connection it may be said that it has occasioned some sarcastic comment that of late years he has quasi-established a rule by which a large percentage of the above-named category of gifts has taken the form of twenty-mark gold pieces set in diamonds in the shape of a brooch (for ladies), and ten-mark gold pieces similarly encrusted for sleeve links (for gentlemen), but it is to be presumed that there were good reasons for making such an innovation.

Then there is a medium-sized tree for the Kaiser and the Kaiserin, and a small one for each of their children—all in a row, with a plethora of gifts beneath. For days previous the Muschelsaal has been forbidden ground for the children, even for the darling of the family, Princess Victoria Louise, now a tall, slender girl of 13. They, the brothers and sister, have been playing hide-and-seek with their own gifts (all purchased out of their by no means extravagant allowance of pocket money), and now the happy moment has arrived to bring them out.

The Kaiser makes it a rule always to include in his gifts to his family some article (generally of slight intrinsic value) which contain a lesson or adorn a tale; often these are whimsical and give rise afterward to pleasantries within the imperial family. The sons of the Kaiser are: Crown Prince William, born May 6, 1882; Eitel Fritz, born July 7, 1883; Adelbert, July 14, 1884; Augustus William, born January 29, 1887; Oscar, born July 27, 1888; Joachim, born December 17, 1890; and the only daughter, Victoria Louise, was born September 13, 1892; thus all of them are fast getting beyond the childish stage, to the intense vexation of their mother. Nevertheless, the Christmas traditions of their childhood are still kept up, and even the Crown Prince, though now a young benedict, at the Bescheerung is treated and behaves like a youngster.

THE BEREAVEMENT.

Pallid and trembling, the grief-stricken wife met her husband at the door.

"She is gone!" came the wail from her set lips.

The man's face blanched, and he reeled as if from a heavy blow. Half dazed, he sank into a chair.

"Gone!" he echoed vaguely.

"Gone," repeated the wife, with a brave effort at self-control. "Oh, what shall I do without her! I had learned to lean upon her so, she was so much to me, and now——" Her courage forsook her quite, and she burst into tears.

Her husband drew her to him.

"Don't weep, dear heart," he said tenderly. "Tell me about it. I had feared that it might happen, but the blow has fallen so suddenly."

The wife raised her head, her eyes flashed fire.

"How did it happen?" she reiterated in a changed voice. "Why, that cat of a Mrs. Jenkins offered her $5 a week and no washing or ironing. So of course Bridget jumped at it, and left without notice."

And the man sighed heavily, for he knew that for him it meant a weary round of intelligence offices.—[Lippincott's.

EXORBITANT PREMIUMS.

"What would you think of a 99 per cent. premium?" said an insurance agent. "A premium of $99,000 on a $100,000 policy. Hardly worth taking out, eh?

"Such a policy was once taken out, though, on a ship thought to be lost. It is a common thing, on overdue ships, to take out policies at 80 or 85 or 90 per cent.

"On the Bulgaria and the Croft, in 1899, policies at 90 per cent. were taken out, and on the Adelaide Mary, even after two of her lifeboats had been picked up, a policy of 92 per cent. was issued.

"Insurance is gambling, and there is no risk the companies won't take if you'll give them odds enough."

A CHRISTMAS COMPLIMENT.

"I am looking," she said, "for a really nice Christmas present for a young man."

The jeweler held a silver mirror up to her pretty face.

"You couldn't do better than this," he murmured, with a significant smile.

Passing of Pontchartrain.

DESOLATION NOW WHERE WAS ONCE A RESORT FOR THE RICH.

By a Special Contributor.

GONE with the other attractions of the Crescent City that have failed to attract since Miami and Palm Beach, and more latterly, Southern California have come upon the scene, is Lake Pontchartrain.

Desolate today are the wharves and the levees about this little waterway; stilled is the voice of the canoeist, gone is the water lover, to pastures new.

Away back in the days of that South of which Harriet Beecher Stowe wrote, Pontchartrain was famous for its villas. The rich, the ultra-fashionable, hied them to its shore. Now, in the summer, still there are villas, but they are poor, indeed, in comparison. In fact, one who takes the jaunt today to Pontchartrain is forced to recall again and again, how its glories have vanished.

There is one car for negroes, and another, with open-back seats only, for whites. The horse car of a Lexington turf man is attached, for variety's sake. Three little creole boys, 8, 10 and 11, going to spend the afternoon at ball, out at the Lake, are your only companions en route. The fare is cheap—only 15 cents 'round—so that, judging from the talk of the boys, the very poorest make it their excursion place. French-like, the youngsters exhibit the sou mother has given them to spend, and the little bottle of claret for "refraishment."

You pass out through the old part of the town, and, meantime, you interview the conductor. Today there are camps all along the Lake in the summer; but the campers, are they the élite? He shrugs his shoulders.

The old Southern places along the route are giving way to smaller, prettier, cheaper ones. Ladies are sewing on a bench in the gardens, children are playing about. The railroad takes the center of the street, and to right and left, are cheap homes in more gardens. Once this section was the famous Elysian Fields. Even now there are fig orchards in some of the gardens that recall the car ride to Versailles.

After that, the way is as it was in the olden time. Out



Lake Pontchartrain.



Mending Nets.



The piers in Lake Pontchartrain.



Along the shore.

French name, is it not? There are a few shops for fishermen, and one great long pier, with the track built out on it. To right and left of this run piers, set upon piles, which, in their turn, stand on great iron pipes in the Lake. Little camp-houses built on these piers, out over the water, these in numbers. One and all of them are of frame, and each has been given a fanciful name. Below, in the water, skiffs repose. Everything is closed now for the winter. A lone fisherman, mending his nets, is the only tige of life here.

You can make out where the shell road—of shells, obviously, comes in from New Orleans. They scan the Lake. It is very muddy and rough, there great white caps, and you can faintly make out the rizon. A steamer is plying it, far from where you You think of Eva—little Eva, of "Uncle Tom's Cab and miss the glory of the St. Claire place by the There is a long curving bay entering the land here a one-story bath-house takes advantage of it, and high out on a pier. There are signs not to stay water over an hour, and signs of two restaurants of them closed. There is a lighthouse right out Lake, on what seems an iron pedestal, washed

You take the car—Carondelet is the name—as of yore out through the old French quarter, now sadly fallen to decay. On the overhanging iron galleries negresses squat, their sunbonnets sheltering them from the warm mid-winter rays. One-story houses wear an air of neglect, and there, too, the darky's bandanna is ubiquitous. Doors and windows have modern wood shutters now, and only here and there, behind French-looking walls, is there left a bit of garden. More and more foreign does the section become, and then, of a sudden, the car is in a lawn, in the street center, riding through an aisle of sycamore trees, with the street of old-fashioned wooden blocks each side, and then old homes, typically Southern. You are going back a half century with each square on this route.

Even the heavy, old-fashioned walls are left about the gardens here, for the wistaria to climb about. Stately Southern dames are superintending the spring planting, while a darky does the work. It makes you think of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," again and again, and then again, in turn, of France. Somehow or other you have seen just such galleries, looking into just such gardens between Bordeaux and Paris or Boulogne. Here and there, too, there is a burying ground, walled about, as in France, and even the mint, down in this section, has a rather foreign air.

Narrow streets are bending off at angles as in the city, and laundry is hanging thick from the lines drawn to protruding poles. Old wooden pumps stand at the curb, with water gushing free, and there are signs "sold by auction" that indicate foreign make.

By and by you are at the end of the car line, the depot for the Pontchartrain trains. Once you might have found gathered here all the élite of the South. Today the place is lone and deserted.

through the swamps, where the blue iris rises from the dark brown water, and there are clumps of fan palms and sedges. Occasionally there is a dead, bearded tree out here, or else some young fresh fern, grown to three heights. Endless and weird are these swamps, and you recall once more "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Here and there there are fishermen in these swamps, catching the crayfish, or placing outstands (marked by red ribbons, to enable them to find them.) and on these, then, at night, fires are set to attract the frogs.

Here and there there is drained land, between the swamps, and one sees pretty homesteads. In the gardens are wells, with the toll-pole arrangement, that takes you back to Normandy and Gaulios. Then fields of the fleabane and similar flowers, intersperse. At one place there is a crowd of girls, one and all wearing sunbonnets, off on a day's lark. The Jewish cemetery is not far beyond, with a wall as around the graveyards of France. Then there are more of the slow, rippling swamps, with the occasional dead snake, and, by and by, you are at the end, the old "park," reminiscent of other days, at New Orleans. A great two-story summer resort this, now, with shutters at the doors and verandas about, but given over to frog catchers and fishermen.

Just beyond is the Lake, almost silent. You do not want to be disillusioned just yet. You back-track perhaps a mile to get some pictures of the bayous, and the track in the heart of the swamp. They, at least, are as was the way to Lake Pontchartrain in ante-bellum times.

Then, slowly, you plod back to the Lake. From the beach you can make out the very dim opposite shores. Here on this bank some summer cottages peer out among the trees. Closed, however, they now are, one and all.

Hereabouts was what is known as Muhleburg—old waters. This is connected by a side pier to the home, which is likewise built out in the water.

The whole prospect is desolate and lone. You regretfully, a moment—then pass on.

It isn't the same old Pontchartrain you had find.

FELIX J. D

IF KINGS HAD TO WORK.

Nearly all the royalties of Europe could, if it, earn their own living.

The Queen of Roumania, Carmen Sylva, makes an income from her books that many authors equal.

The Emperor of Russia has a sweet and w tenor voice. Had he not been of royal blood, undoubtedly have succeeded in grand opera.

The Queen of Italy is a linguist of Conversing fluently and correctly in eight she could get at any time a good job in a high

The King of England is one of the best judges and cigars in the world. As a wine or tobacco or as a dealer in these luxuries, he would grown rich.

The Queen of Portugal has a medical degree easily earn her living as a doctor.

The German Emperor, as everybody knows make a good living as a poet, a musician, a shipbuilder, a pottery manufacturer, a horse actor, a bookbinder, a clergyman, a tailor, a barber, a farmer, or a dentist.

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"Is he a famous man?"

"Famous? Rather! Why, they talk of automobile after him."

Peon to Millionaire.

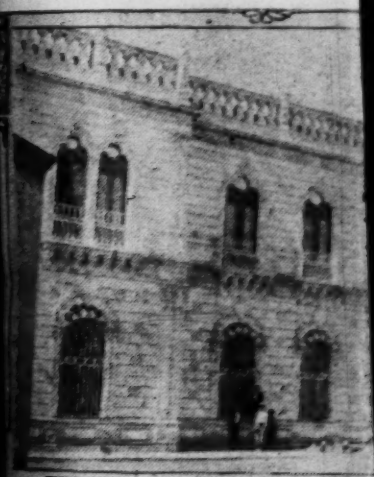
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DURING a recent trip through Europe, I was surprised to see articles in magazines and papers everywhere regarding Pedro Alvarado—even in remote Norway. All these articles were for the most part greatly exaggerated; and when I visited Parral recently it was my privilege to meet the famous peon multi-millionaire and inspect his palace. From himself and others who have known him for a lifetime I learned the true story of his romantic rise from poverty to great wealth.

Pedro Alvarado was born in Parral, about thirty-six years ago, of hard-working and honest parents, of very moderate means. Like many others of his class, Pedro's father came into possession of mining claims, which could be had at that time for the small cost of denouncing them, in the vicinity of Parral, where today it is all but impossible to find any virgin territory within a radius of many miles of the great mining camp. The claims denounced by the elder Alvarado had been worked from time to time by the antiguas, and later by the operators, and deserted again and again before they came into possession of the present owner by inheritance from his father.

Pedro passed his childhood in and about Parral, and received some education from the common schools, which he used to good advantage. He is by no means a Croesus that he has been painted. He worked various mines, like others of his class, and no more than seven years ago his name was entered on the pay-roll of a Parral mine for 75 cents a day. After the death of his father he continued to work in the shaft of the Palmilla mine, taking out a little low grade ore and selling it to the local buyers for money with which to execute work in the mine, full of faith in the future of the little hole in the ground. It was through no superknowledge of the geological formation of the ground around the elder Alvarado to denounce the Palmilla mine. It was luck, pure luck, that intangible something that the "success" magazines scoff at, and the existence of which the financial writers tell us does not exist, but here is the living truth of the old maxim that "better to be born lucky than rich," for had Alvarado been born rich, he might, like so many of his class, dissipated his wealth and passed his old age in ease. No, he has worked for his fortune, first of all, and then the luck came in the shape of a great bonanza which he was almost discouraged and had offered the mine to his creditors for a sum of about 5,000 Mexican money, over the amount of the indebtedness.

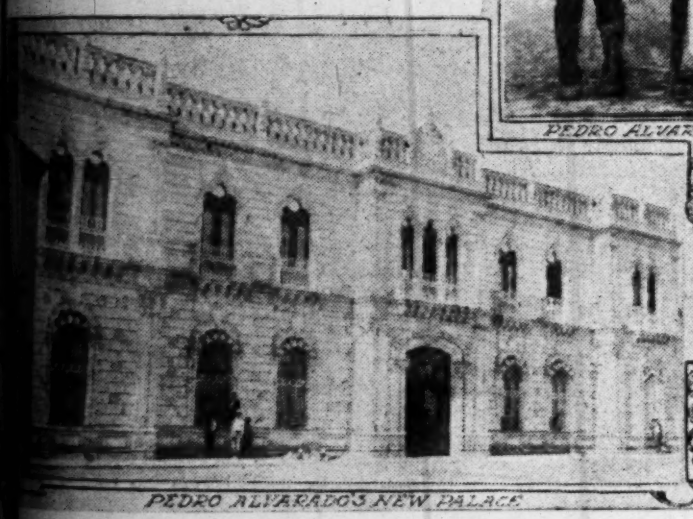
The first few tons of ore that were sold from the strike paid off his debts and left a handsome balance with which to prosecute work; and the ore grew richer and richer as depth was obtained, until Pedro Alvarado, the poor boy, had more money than he knew what to do with. He installed the members of his family, and the family of his wife, for whose brother he built a very beautiful home, and whom he made the manager of the Palmilla mine. But there was soon an open rupture between the brothers-in-law, due to the extravagance of Griensen; and after the death, about two years ago, of Pedro's wife, her brother was ousted from the management of the mine. Since that time Pedro has given the property personal attention, and the profits have been enormous, despite the fact that the pumps were inadequate to handle the large volume of water in the lower levels, and the mine was not worked to its full capacity of ore reduction. Under the management of a good American engineer the Palmilla would undoubtedly double its output. During the year 1905 Pedro Alvarado sold to one ore-buying company alone ore amounting to $2,200,000, of which it is said that at least one-third was clear profit. But as no one but the owner knows what the annual statements to, and he is extremely reticent. Although the great wealth-producing mine has always been the object of gross exaggeration, it is certain that the Palmilla has paid its owner a clear profit of over two hundred thousand a year for the past five years, and that is enough for anybody. He has refused to sell it at any price, gold.

Pedro is generous to his old friends to a fault, and is giving largely to various charities, Alvarado is no spendthrift. He has invested large sums of money in real estate in Parral, and now owns probably one-fourth of the thriving town. He has erected a fine hotel of marble and stone, which he is furnishing magnificently, and he owns several large and well paying ranches. He has established a free hospital for the poor, and remodeled and enlarged a church building, and it is here that all the fashionable weddings are celebrated. He is a very quiet, unassuming man, and one of his near neighbors told me that he had seen Alvarado but twice in three years. He lives happily in the great house, with his three children, two boys and a girl, going to the mine two or three times in the week, at an early hour and avoiding publicity as much as possible.

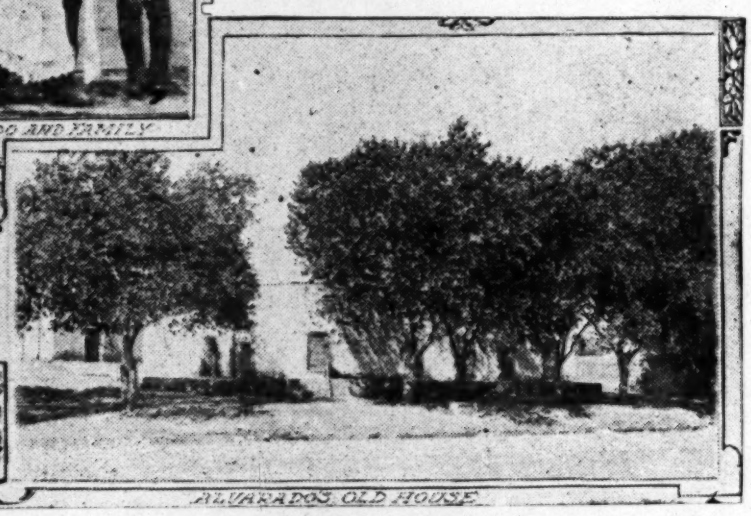
The Palmilla mine is situated about five miles north of Parral, and is only about four pertenencias, or ten English acres, in extent. It is a "blow-out," or core of an ancient volcano, probably, and the ore is fabulously rich, whereas the ore of other adjacent mines has not proved to be above the average grade of the Parral district. The property is well equipped with improvements, with large pumps, and an aërial tram is being built to deliver ore to the agency in Parral. This would have been done long ago by an enterprising American miner, but Alvarado has hitherto been content to have the ore packed by burros, in order to give work to many poor people, at a cost of transportation far more expensive than delivering by tram would be.



PEDRO ALVARADO AND FAMILY



PEDRO ALVARADO'S NEW PALACE



ALVARADO'S OLD HOUSE

It is a sight worth traveling far to see, when, as on every Saturday morning, hundreds of mendicants gather around the palatial home of the peon multi-millionaire to receive alms, which are distributed to all who ask. Large sums are spent, too, by the benevolent mine-owner on feast days for fireworks and other amusements for the common people.

Don Pedro's house is built of marble and stone, and stands on the left bank of the Parral River. The approach is through narrow streets, and small houses stand cheek by jowl with the palace. On the spot where the great house stands, it is said, Pedro first saw the light of day, and it was here and no place else that he would build his palace, as is customary with Mexicans of his class. The facade is simple but elegant, and well proportioned. The stone carving is very beautiful and harmonious. The central door opens into a spacious pátio, the most beautiful feature of any Mexican house. The stone pillars and Corinthian capitals, and the keystones of the arches are exquisitely carved. This is the work of native laborers, who have an unerring taste for the beautiful in such material; but alas, one cannot say so much for many of the paintings in the corridors, which are impossible landscapes, silly milkmaids, incongruous angels, etc., in the worst possible taste, by "artists" from various parts of Mexico. The onyx stairway and the iron railing are handsome, and the carving in the upper corridor is as beautiful as that below. The dining-room is at the back of the second story, and furnished in light oak, all made in San Luis Potosi, as is most of the furniture in the other rooms. There are several cabinets full of lovely crystal, and two full dinner services of massive silver, costing over $25,000. Even the soup plates are solid silver. Rich damask curtains hang at the carved windows but alack and alas, a piece of worn oilcloth covered the handsome oak table!

A large room to the left is the chapel. In the windows are figures of angels, between which is the richly decorated altar, a marvel of gold and silver tissue and lace and satin. In the center of the chapel is a catafalque of black velvet and silver, in memory of the late mistress of the mansion. On the walls are many paintings of saints and the stations of the cross, and there is an elaborate throne for the bishop, when he comes to celebrate mass in the gorgeous chapel. There is a small organ, and many other accessories usual in such places.

Farther on are the office of the owner, a series of bedrooms, all magnificently furnished, and each having a bathroom, a nursery, and then comes the suite of drawing-rooms that occupy the front of the second story. Here are gorgeous rugs, heavy crimson velvet curtains, brocaded furniture, silver vases, many mirrors, and bronze clocks. Family portraits adorn the walls.

The first story of the house contains other drawing-rooms, bedrooms, and rooms for other purposes, for the entertainment of Don Pedro's many friends.

The pátio is full of flowers, vines, ferns, and small flowering trees, all of which are well tended by a small army of servants, who are devoted to their kind master. There are many cages full of birds—in fact, the place looks like a bird store, and all were singing at once, that fine sunny morning when I inspected the house. A small turtle padded about, eating the fallen leaves, and all was happiness and contentment within the palace walls.

While no special style of architecture has been followed in building the house, and some of the furniture, paintings, and hangings are in atrocious taste, the beautiful wrought-iron work, the stone carving, and the spacious pátio redeem all else.

Don Pedro is a diminutive man, not more than five feet five inches in stature, not at all dark, and with fine, sparkling black eyes, beaming with good humor. He is proud of his house, of his children, of his wonderful mine; but no one could be more simple-hearted, more kind and charitable, and he gives himself no airs, such as are usually indulged in by the newly-rich. He has a good library, a fine pianola, which he manipulates with skill, as well as several other pianos; and reading and music occupy much of his time. His little boys are modest, well-behaved children, and the youngest, a pretty girl, one of the richest heiresses in Mexico, is being brought up in a simple, healthful fashion.

It is safe to say that few of his countrymen envy Pedro Alvarado the good fortune that has come to him, for he is honest, charitable, and progressive, and has helped many of his compatriots to comparative affluence.

"Viva Don Pedro" is often heard in Parral from all classes of people, foreigners and natives.

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SKATE FACTS.

The skate salesman, while the patron waited for his change, talked.

"Skates originally were made of bone," he said. "In and around 1100, men skated on the thigh bones of cows helping themselves along with pointed sticks. Steel skates was invented by the Hollanders in the seventeenth century.

"The Russians skate the best of all nations, and the nobility uses very costly skates. Some of the grand-dukes and ballet girls of Russia have gold-mounted skates, with jewels set here and there. In the Swiss winter resorts also, like Davos and St. Moritz, the skating and the skates are very fine. Pittsburgh, too, has some grand skaters and some very handsome jeweled skates.

"Balls have been given on skates, and games of cricket and baseball and football have been played on the ice. Once a battle was fought on skates. When the Spanish fleet, under Alma, was froze up in the Zuyder Zee, it was attacked by a Dutch army of 7000 men, all with skates strapped to their feet. But Alma had anticipated that kind of an attack, and his men sallied out to meet the enemy on skates themselves. A good many fell in that engagement."

The salesman smiled, and to drive home the feeble joke, he repeated:

"Many fell."

MONEY TO BURN.

The big touring car had just whizzed by with a roar like a gigantic rocket, and Pat and Mike turned to watch it disappear in a cloud of dust.

"Thim chug wagons must cost a hape av cash," said Mike. "The rich is fairly burnin' money."

"An' be the smell av it," sniffed Pat, "it must be thot tainted money we do be hearin' so much aboot."—[Success Magazine.

IN PERIL.

"Has Karr gotten over his automobile accident yet?"

"Almost; but he won't be out of danger till he dismisses that pretty nurse of his."

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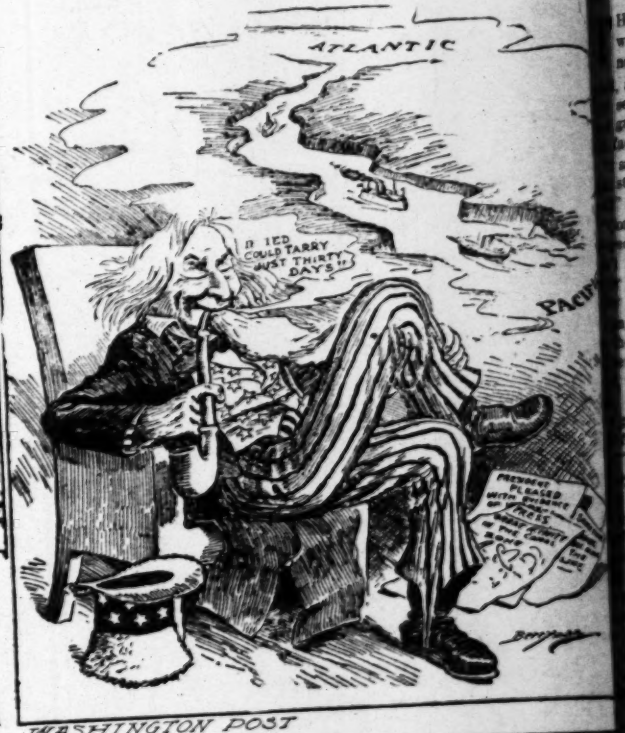
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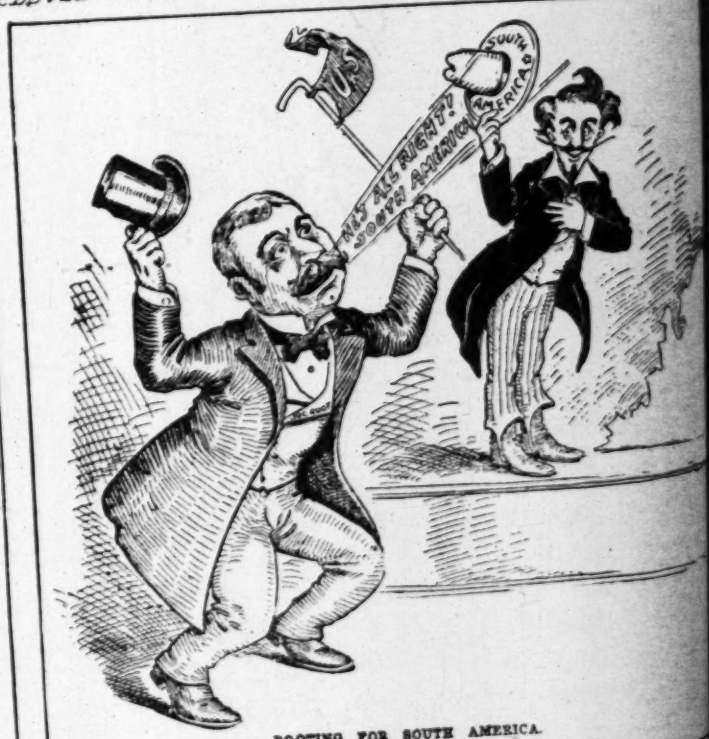
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"Why, old man," he said with quick sympathy, "what has struck you this time? You look rather knocked out."

"Come with me somewhere, so we can talk," Max answered, hurriedly. "I've got into an awful scrape, and can see no way out of it." He held up a crumpled letter in his hand, which shook perceptibly as he raised it to his brother's inspection.

Dan took the letter, but did not attempt to read it until they got clear of the crowd.

"Never mind, old chap," he murmured, sympathetically under his breath. "Maybe I can help you out some way. It has been done before, you know, at times."

"Even I do know!" Max was not devoid of gratitude for past assistance. "But really, this is the worst yet."

They passed rapidly through the throng of church people and hurried on to a sheltered corner of the park, where Max sank on a seat and glared desperately at a busy and industrious little bird which was gathering straws for the construction of its summer cottage, while Dan smoothed out the crumpled letter which his brother had handed him, and then glanced inquiringly at his averted face. Then he read the letter and the note which accompanied it. Still he said nothing, but waited for Max to speak.

"It's the whole blamed business!" Max said slowly, without looking up. "There's no way to fix it up that I can see. I made an ass of myself, as usual. Mailed the letter to Helen and Helen's to Daisy. I wrote asking Helen to marry me, but I don't think I mentioned her name at all, all the way through. That's the letter that's gone to Daisy. The fool letter I wrote to Daisy, with her name on every other line, went to Helen." Max buried his face in his hands and groaned dismally.

Dan read both letters through carefully once more, the silly, flirty letter to Daisy and Helen's reply, cold and brief and to the point.

"Daisy's letter was evidently mailed me by mistake. Perhaps it is just as well, for it shows me that I have made a mistake. Good-by.

"HELEN."

Dan sat for a moment lost in thought. There was a certain likeness and fineness about his face that was lacking in his brother's, though they were both considered good-appearing men. Still one would instinctively have taken the younger of the brothers for help in an emergency. Finally he folded both letters thoughtfully, and handed them back to Max, who glanced up at him with a sudden gleam of hope in his face.

"I'm awfully sorry," Dan said, gravely and softly, "but I can't see a thing to do but tell her the truth and take the consequences."

"Curse you!" Max said on him savagely.

"Tell her the truth? Tell Helen I have been flirting with Daisy while I was making love to her? I may be an ass, but I'm not quite as far gone as that! Why, Dan, you don't know what sort of a girl she is! She's—oh, I love her! You don't know how I love her!"

"I guess I don't!" Dan answered shortly, with a contemptuous shrug of his broad shoulders. For the first time in his life he felt an unconquerable contempt for his brother. He rose as though to shake off the past.

"Don't leave me, for heaven's sake, Dan!" Max cried. "I'll do something desperate if you do that. Curse you like to me, but don't go away!"

Dan came back and sat down.

"I don't see that there is any use saying anything. If you would you know very well what I would do. You always have things my way. What's the use talking about it?"

"Come, Dan!" Max laid his hand pleadingly on his brother's knee. "Help me out of this scrape this time, and I swear I'll do things right on the square, and I don't mean to do anything crooked, any more. It is so much easier for me to drift along without a fuss. I hate a fuss! But I've learned my lesson this time, and I'm not likely to forget it soon."

Dan laid his hand kindly on Max's shoulder. "I don't mean to be hard on you, Max!" he said. "Circumstances do things that I couldn't do to save my life. It don't seem just fair and square, but then, as I said, it does make things easier for you and bring you friends. You have two friends to my one, every time."

Max looked contemptuously at this statement.

"That might possibly be true if you count by quantity. If you got into a scrape, your friends would go without food and water to help you. Under the same circumstances mine would doubtless dodge around the corner when they saw me coming."

"They wouldn't!" Dan protested, smiling at his brother's seriousness on the subject. "If you want a thing, I'm sure! What can I do for you?"

Silence again settled down over Max.

"There's only one thing I know!" he answered, hopelessly, "unless you can say you wrote that letter to Daisy, just for a joke, by George! Do that, and you will save me. Our writing is precisely alike. It would fool you any. They'd just think it was a boy's prank. You know what it means to me! Say you'll do it, Dan!"

The old boyhood name; the unwonted tears in his brother's eyes; the lifelong loyalty which had almost faltered a few moments since, all fought against his inherent hatred of a falsehood. The fight was sharp but short. Love and loyalty triumphed in the end. Although in his carefully-worded explanation he did not actually acknowledge having written the ill-fated letter, it served the purpose, as he intended it should, to divert the blame from his brother to himself. Perhaps he felt rewarded, later, at the happy termination of his brother's love affair, at any rate he was best man at a dazzling December wedding where, in place of the conventional flower girls, there were May frost sprites who scattered snowdrops, and the whole church was a-glitter and a-glisten with fairylike frost effects, relieved by the dark green of holly leaves and brightened with the crimson berries. Her soft, shimmering gown gave to the bride an ethereal beauty of form which matched the tender look of love and confidence which seemed to have descended upon her from Paradise itself and lighted her lovely face.

Not one whit less lovely than the bride was the winsome maid of honor, Helen's dearest friend, Dorris Rhodene, and there were a number of their friends who predicted that these dear friends would some day become sisters, for Dan's devotion was no secret.

After the wedding, Dorris was a frequent visitor in Helen's cosy home, which gave Dan an opportunity that he was not slow to improve. Their friendship grew apace. Dorris grew absent-minded, and Helen noticed that she often blushed quite unnecessarily. At times she was gay, witty, and altogether bewitching, and again it was evidently with an effort that she took part in the conversation at all, much preferring to steal out into the moonlight and swing gently to and fro in the hammock, dreaming—who shall say what dreams?

All this was very unlike Dorris's usual calm self-possession, and Helen was wondering just what it might mean as she knocked softly at Dorris's door one morning during one of her frequent visits. Receiving no reply, she pushed open the door and started to cross the room, when she spied Dorris seated before the low, white-curtained window, too absorbed in her own thoughts to notice the interruption. She was never more charming than in the privacy of her own boudoir, dressed in the coolest conceivable pale-blue negligée, with her softly-rounded bare arms and throat showing the faintest tinge of pink in the firm, white flesh, her hands clasped behind her loosely-coiled hair, and her dainty-slippered feet stretched at a comfortable and graceful elevation. Helen simply adored Dorris. She revelled in her warm, clear beauty, which needed not one single careful touch of art to make it more perfect, and she thought, with a jealous twinge, of the time when a mere man would have the right to feast his eyes on Dorris's perfect grace in such a moment of careless abandon.

It showed the closeness of their friendship, that Dorris did not move as she became aware of Helen's presence, except to slip her hand confidingly into the hand of her friend as Helen drew up a low rocker and seated herself, while she held a letter aloft just out of reach of Dorris's hand.

"It's for you, Dearie, but you must promise you'll read it to me before you can have it." Helen seldom had a chance to tease Dorris, and wished to make the most of the present opportunity.

Instead of laughing, however, as her friend expected, Dorris whitened a little, and her dark eyes grew darker still in contrast with her pale face as she reached for the letter.

"He should not have written!" Dorris tried to speak coldly, but instead of anger and scorn in her eyes, there was a wistful look.

Helen rose hastily, and handed her the letter.

"I hope you didn't think I really cared, dear!" she said, with a blush and a little haughty air which she had never used with Dorris before in all their acquaintance.

Dorris rose also, and faced her in amazement.

"What do you mean, and who do you imagine wrote the letter?" she asked, in a puzzled way.

"Why, don't you suppose I know Max's writing by this time?" she answered, trying to speak lightly and telling herself that she did not care the least bit in the world.

"Max!" Dorris echoed in surprise. "I only wish it was from Max! Or rather, I wish Dan was as much like Max in other things as he is in his writing. I wish I could trust him!"

"Dorris, dear, tell me what in the world you mean!" It was Helen's turn to be surprised now.

Dorris had seated herself again listlessly, and now spoke in a hopeless sort of a tone.

"Well, you know, yourself, that if a man would do one mean thing and call it a joke, he would do another if he happened to feel like it." Suddenly she sprang up and commenced pacing the room restlessly, as she went on. "Why did you tell me about that letter he wrote another girl and signed Max's name and sent to you? I can't help what any of you say, it wasn't right to treat his brother's love for you so lightly! I can't see anything funny about it. If it had been any one else but his brother, it wouldn't have been quite so bad, but he always seems so fond of Max, and he says he is true to those he loves. He told me that only last night! And oh, I believed him just for a minute! I was so very, very happy, and then, all at once I remembered about that letter, and I turned numb all over. I said I wished I could believe that. It hurt me to say it to him, but I had to tell him. 'Tell me what you mean, please,' he said, and his voice sounded hurt as though I had stabbed him with a dagger, but the tenderness of it broke my heart. 'I mean the letter you wrote and sent to Helen,' I said. 'Why did you do it? You knew Max loved her, and you pretend to care for your brother so much. They laugh and say it was a boy's prank, but it nearly spoiled their lives! It wasn't a joke, it was almost a tragedy. And then you say you are true to those you love! Why don't you answer me?' I said. I felt as though it was all a desperate mistake. It was so hard not to trust him. But he only said: 'I have nothing to say, Dorris;' and he went away.

As Dorris ceased speaking, she sank beside Helen, who was sobbing as though her heart would break, and took her in her arms.

"Oh, Dorris," Helen sobbed, "why did I tell you?"

"Never mind, dear! I'd really rather know! I didn't mean quite what I said!" Dorris patted her lovingly. "Don't cry so!"

Gradually the sobbing grew more subdued. Dorris smiled to herself, a sudden, half-bitter smile that it should be she who was comforting Helen, instead of being comforted.

"Hold me tight in your arms just a minute longer," Helen begged. "I want to tell you something I never meant to tell any one, but I don't want you to suffer as I have suffered. Max sometimes tells what is not true. It doesn't make any difference in my love for him—I mean I love him in spite of it; yet it hurts every time he does it and, while I have never known Dan to do anything of the kind, I wouldn't want the girl I love better than my life to marry a man she couldn't trust with all her soul!"

"Thank you, dear," Dorris said, brokenly.

Helen kissed her, and left the room, and Dorris rose slowly. All her fierce passion had died out, but she opened the note with trembling fingers, and with blurred eyes she read the message.

"Dear Little Girl: What I said last night was true, but until you can believe in me in spite of what any one says, I will not ask for your love, or even for your friendship. Can't you guess what I must never tell even you?

"God bless you always! Good-by!

"DAN."

"P. S.—You need not be afraid of meeting me. I leave the city at 10:30."

All at once she knew what he had done. He had not written that letter. He had let Helen think so to shield his brother. "True to those he loved?" Ah yes, she knew, now, that he was true to the very verge of falsehood! Why had she ever doubted? It had been a battle between reason and intuition, between her brain and her heart. Why had she not trusted her own intuition, instead of listening to the cold reasoning of her brain?

She seized the letter and kissed it, and as she did so, her eyes caught the words: "I leave at 10:30." In an instant she had snatched her watch from the dresser. It was twenty-five minutes to 11! Oh, she couldn't let him go like that, thinking that she didn't trust him! Then she remembered that her watch was fast. She slipped down the broad stairway and glanced at the big clock in the hall. It was 10:27. Three minutes! What could she do in three minutes? Oh, yes! the telephone!

"Hello!"

"Hello! Give me the Union depot, please!"

"Hello! Is this the Union depot?"

"No, this is Blair's drug store."

"Central, hurry and give me the Union depot. Please be quick!"

"Union depot!"

"Please have some one find Dan Martin. It's very important!"

"Yes'm. What train was he going on?"

"Oh, I don't know! Yes, it's the one leaving at 10:30."

"But there are two trains that leave at 10:30, and it's 10:28 now."

"Try them both, can't you?"

"All right! I'll send a boy through both. Tell him it's important?"

"Oh yes, and please hurry!"

Oh, the triple torture of waiting and hoping and fearing! At first the clock raced through the seconds too fast, and she wished it would stop and give them time to find him. Then it seemed to drag interminably, as she watched and listened. She imagined she could hear the train pulling out. The last moment was gone! They had failed to find him! She would wait one more minute. But she had to catch at a chair to steady herself. It was no use! Reluctantly she started to hang the receiver up.

"Hello!" Dan's voice came steady and clear over the wire.

Dorris trembled so she could scarcely speak.

"Oh, Dan! It's Dorris! I want you!" she managed to say.

The receiver at the other end of the line was slammed into place, and she could just imagine him striding through the depot. She sank on the lower step of the broad stairway, and waited. She laughed, and then she cried and laughed again. She would not even go up to her room to change her dress, but waited breathless, with her great dark eyes fixed on the open door and the color coming and going in her cheeks.

When she saw him coming up the walk with great, swinging strides, every nerve in her body tingled with a new, rapturous life, which seemed to bear her to him in spirit while she still sat motionless on the stair. There was no one about, and she called his name softly through the open door.

"Dan!"

The look in his eyes, as he caught sight of her, lit his face with a holy flame of love, and Dorris, adorable, irresistible, glided into his arms without another word.

But Helen never guessed who wrote the letter.

BOB WHITE.

WHEN DOGS WERE COOKS.

The turkey, roasting before the open fire, revolved slowly and regularly on the spit. An antiquary, regarding it, said:

"There was a time when dogs did our roasting for us—at least they kept the meat turning, so it would not burn. 'Spit dogs' they were called, and we call their descendants 'spitz' to this day.

"Spit dogs were trained to turn the spits on which roasted chickens, beef, ducks and turkeys. The little fellows did their work well. They were never known to let a fowl burn or to snatch a mouthful or two from it.

"As late as 1816 spit dogs were employed in the old Philadelphia inns on Second and Third streets."

The House Beautiful—Its Flower Garden and Grounds.

THE GLADIOLUS.

BEST OF ALL FOR FURNISHING CUT FLOWERS IN SUMMER AND FALL.

By Ernest Braunton.

IT will soon be time to plant spring and summer flowering bulbs; and of the great array that it is possible to marshal, none will prove a better choice than Gladiolus. It is, by all odds, the best plant we have for furnishing cut flowers from the open ground during the summer and fall months. It commences to bloom about the first of July and continues until November. It is just beginning to be grown extensively for cut flowers for market, and it has undoubtedly a great future. No flower blooms in water better than the Gladiolus. Indeed, it does better in water than on the plant. It is apt to wilt in the hottest part of the day if left on the plant, but if put in water it reaches great perfection.

The best soil for the Gladiolus is a sandy loam, containing a trace of clay, but only enough to assist in retaining moisture. Careful preparation of the soil is preferable, and fertilizing should be given with thoroughly rotted manure, and care should be exercised that the bulbs do not come in contact with it. Careful selection of soil best adapted to the different strains is most important, and the correct amount of proper food to use, and shallow or deep cultivation are among the many details which enable the grower to produce strong, healthy bulbs that will withstand the climatic conditions under which they must be planted. A thousand first-size bulbs will produce over two thousand spikes; of second size, say, 1500; of third size, say, 1000—4500 in all—and as many bulbs which should, under first-class conditions, be of first size. By planting the three sizes at the same time, one gets a succession of bloom, the large bulbs blooming first and the small ones last.

No particular skill is required, and the bulbs can be put into the ground from now to February and March, or later for late flowering. If for cutting, plant in rows three feet apart, and twice the diameter of the bulbs apart in the row, covering from four to six inches in depth. Cutting the spikes as soon as the first flower opens prevents the bulb from being exhausted by producing seed. It also prevents damage from blowing over, and does away with the necessity of support. We get better results from the same amount than is the case in the Eastern States, for most of the sorts come from climes similar to ours. They are native of Central Europe, the Mediterranean region, West Asia, and Africa. The headquarters of the genus are, however, in South Africa. The different species are too numerous to mention. Most of them produce very small flowers compared with the modern hybrids, and few of them are of much value to the successful hybridizer of today. No risk is run, however, in buying the bulbs from any responsible dealer, for all in cultivation are worthy of a place, though some are better than others.

The Mexican Poppy.

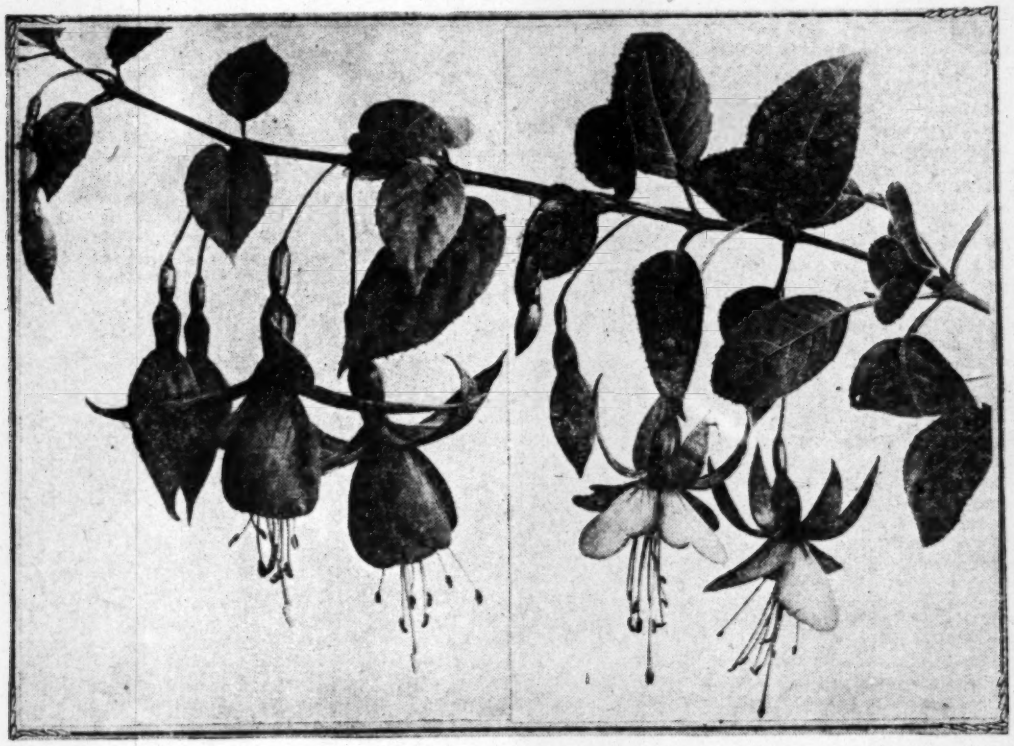
Hunnemannia fumariaefolia for cutting beats all other members of the poppy family. Seed pods should be gathered and laid away in a cool dry place for sowing in early spring and the vacant spots in the garden sown with them. The only difficulty attending the cultivation of this poppy is the seeding stage. The young plants are difficult to transfer from the seed pan to small pots so that in our land they should be sown just where they are to grow. The flowers resemble those of the Eschscholtzias, to which genus it is closely allied; but there is much more substance to the flowers of the Hunnemannia and also to the flower stems. They can be cut and kept in excellent condition for several days. It stands the winters in all parts of California without the slightest harm from cold.

Proper Planting of Clematis.

Careless planters often cause the death of many clematis by not spreading the roots. The roots are generally very numerous and fleshy, and should be so disposed that all come in direct contact with the soil which must be well settled all around them. A good plan is to use sand to cover the roots, as it is easily worked in among them, and if this is not done will close in of its own volition. It is also best not to plant them until the coldest weather is past, or until the frosts are just over. This is quite necessary in California, where we have to plant clematis on the north side of buildings; just where the roots are most apt to rot during a long wet winter, though since our nurserymen have grafted them on native stock we hear no complaints of winter rot. The above admonition about getting the soil thoroughly worked in among the roots will, of course, hold good with all plants.

For Saline and Alkali Lands.

Melaeuca leucadendron, the paper-barked Tea Tree, is a large tree eighty feet high and four feet in diameter; fine for planting in low places; will grow on tidal lands and salty swamps where no eucalypt will live—a handsome tree for seaside streets. Young leaves bruised in water and drunk for colds, general sickness, and especially headaches—hence the common name of "Tea Tree." This tree has been in California nurseries in limited quantities for many years, but is not as yet appreciated, though its many good points would recommend it for very general planting.



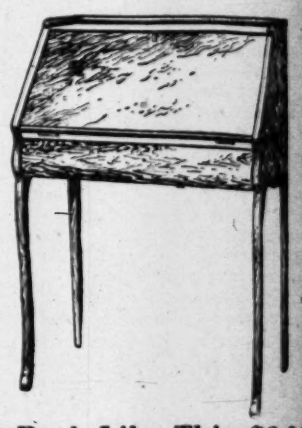
TYPES OF FUSCHIAS.

The Cocoanut Palm.

An investigation was inaugurated by the Horticultural Department in the Philippines to determine, through a study of physiology of the cocoanut palm, results that would be available for improving existing methods of the cultivation of the plant. The investigations are reported upon in the following order. The root, its structure of growth, and the absorption of water; the leaf, its structure, the activity of the stomata, and transpiration; with final conclusions as to the fitness of the plant for its characteristic habitat and suggestions as to its most advantageous cultivation.

Among the practical conclusions, the author states that a considerable supply of water must constantly be at the disposal of the tree, or it will protect itself against injurious desiccation by a partial suspense of its vitality. The quantity of mineral food which the tree takes is roughly proportional to the amount of water which it absorbs, and by increasing the plants transpiration the same results are obtained as would follow the application of fertilizers to the ground. The amount of transpiration can be increased either by increasing the amount of water at the disposal of the roots or by improving the conditions for its evaporation from the leaves. The transpiration of the cocoanut is accelerated by the action of the wind, and to still a greater extent by increase of illumination. In order to secure increased yield, the author suggests better cultural methods and improvement through the selection of the seed used in planting.

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Time, which levels all things in a most wondrous manner, has vindicated the claims of its few stanch friends that it would yet prove the most valuable of all the city's holdings, and folks are beginning to sit up and take notice. Little by little the park has been improved without destruction of any of its great natural beauty, principally by the building of roads and paths, until now nearly all parts are available to the sightseer without enduring long walks through underbrush or climbs over never-ending piles of rocks.

There are, of course, a few who continue to proclaim the fancied worthlessness of Griffith Park, and will continue to do so to the end of time; but no one not a confirmed pessimist could have watched the development of the past two years and the ever and rapidly increasing number of visitors without becoming enthused over the possibilities certain to be realized here at no distant date, of having one of the grandest parks, of the most varied and beautiful topography, that the world has seen. It is barely possible, in fact quite probable, that for natural beauty the land is unexcelled for park purposes. All Beauty to them represents cash, and each year they spend immense sums calling attention to the attractions of the sections through which they pass. If people choose a line of travel because of its natural and acquired beauties, how much more eagerly will they seek such a place for residence. That both are eagerly sought for is undisputed. Landscape beauty is capital, whether it lies in private or public property. If any exceptional advantage accrues to the public, it comes from the City Beautiful rather than from private improvements.

Trees Bring Health.

Street trees add greatly to the healthfulness of any city by cooling and purifying the air; the foliage evaporates large quantities of water, and the reduction of temperature in this way is greatest during the hottest and dryest weather. The foliage also absorbs impure and therefore harmful gases. Trees also promote circulation of air, due principally to unequal temperature.

Los Angeles Plaza.

The people of Los Angeles, in common with all the English-speaking races, are strongly imbued with a love for public parks. When the City of Mexico was a Mexican pueblo, only the plaza admitted to the designation of a park. It was fashioned, not after the English idea, but from the Spanish. Its designs was more of a promenade than a park; more of a thoroughfare than recreation grounds. It was under the Anglo-Saxon régime that even this small area of surface came to take on the distinct characteristic of a park; the only



STREET PALMS AT ANAHEIM.

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Increase Value.

Beautiful landscapes prove a strong attraction to travel, and the beauty of city and country outside the city limits is a valuable asset in which all are interested. It is not mere sentiment that prompts the railroads to advertise the attractions along their lines.

Bamboo Hedges.

Of late years the demand for bamboos to be used for hedges and screens, mostly between city lots, is constantly increasing, as no better plant can be found for such purpose. The only drawback is that the varieties generally employed, Chinese and Japanese Phyllostachys, have a tendency to send out runners in every direction, which in many cases soon become a positive nuisance. There are also two species of arundinaria, from the Himalayas (A. Falcata and A. Falconeri.) which always grow compact and in clumps, but, on account of not being easily propagated, they have always remained scarce and too high priced for general use. We have been fortunate to obtain from Darjeeling, 7000 feet altitude in the Himalayas, a new species, Arundinaria Hookeraiana, which is much superior to the above named because it grows much more rapidly and has richer foliage, which keeps better in winter. Those who have tried it claim many points of superiority for this plant for use as a hedge.

The Douglas Spruce.

It is rather strange but true that many of the very best trees and plants are unappreciated, in their natural home, and a very marked case of such inference is that of the Douglas spruce, Pseudo-tsuga Douglasii. (The local one seems properly to be P. Macrocarpa.) In the Eastern States the Rocky Mountain variety is everywhere grown, and our own California is common throughout the South, not being hardy in the North. On the other hand, the one chiefly grown in England, and very extensively grown, is that from the Pacific Coast. It is found everywhere in abundance throughout this State.

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AND THE BOY WHO BROUGHT THE ONE GIRL TO HIM.

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WARREN SYKES, American millionaire, globe trotter, high-class sport, owner of four of the largest newspapers in the world, and the intimate of kings, lords and ladies in all the courts of Europe, had taken a sudden and unaccountable notion to go South—from New York via the Mallory line to Key West, thence, by fruit steamer, to Havana. The idea was prompted by a desperate desire to escape, at least for one short weeek, from the glare of public notice in which he was constantly basking. If he gave a large dinner to notables in Paris, if he ordered a new yacht, if he suddenly cabled home to have all the reporters on the daily discharged at once, if he merely drank ice water instead of champagne, the incident was heralded in all the newspapers in all the lands as the most interesting piece of news outside the diplomatic corps. Warren Sykes was never allowed to escape from the public's observation, and he repaid its attention with interest; for he was always sure to achieve some remarkable and unexpected feat of social skill just when the public had begun to think him an ordinary man. However, there was one interesting performance with which Warren Sykes had never chosen to enliven the public, and that was marriage. Warren Sykes was a hopeless bachelor. He had been angled for in all the drawing-rooms of all the societies of all the countries that he had visited; had been discussed and weighed in the private offices of diplomats and financiers, anxious to make an alliance with an American billionaire. With consummate skill he had been able to evade them all. He sailed the calm sea of personal comfort without the shadow or savor of even a love affair hanging to him.

He had sailed many seas for many years. As he remarked to a group of disheveled half-sick women in the steamer saloon: "I've traveled in English ships, French ships, Dutch ships, Swedish ships, Chinese ships, African ships—but they all speak the same language when it comes to being seasick. They all say 'Oh!—oh—ow—ow—ow!'" He groaned long and feelingly, to the immense disgust of the unhappy ladies, and limped out on his stick to the deck.

It was the second day out, and Warren Sykes was enjoying the unusual experience of being among people who did not know who he was. His friends and the public, who saw him usuallly as a morose, indifferent man, subject to fits of caprice and sudden anger, followed by wild spells of lavish and foolish generosity, would not have recognized the bland, jovial, talkative fellow who kept the entire ship's company alive and delighted with his witty remarks, his stories, his tricks and stunts of all kinds. He went from group to group, and consorted with all classes. Among a crowd of college boys just out from Sheffield, he was the joker and best fellow. They hung on to him devotedly, as young men will to a man older and cleverer than they. With another group of men and women—shop girls on a summer's vacation, and drummers with time to spare going to Texas—he made himself most agreeable, inaugurating games, lending books, exchanging repartee, even descending to light flirtation. From one company to another he fitted, happy and gracious, leaving behind always an air of mystery and interest in his personality. Who was the well-dressed stranger, and what was his business in traveling on a slow tub of a boat to regions remote from the earth?

To all on board "the man in the checked suit" was the main object of speculation. Yet he never revealed aught for a clue, though one girl noted with a smile that, when the gay crowd of drummers and shop girls gathered in the bow for a snap-shot group, he escaped with alacrity.

The only other person not of the merry-makers was this girl. She sat apart during the first two days of the voyage. It was her first sea trip, and she was beginning to feel desperately lonesome. The women aboard were manifestly not "her kind," and she withdrew herself a little haughtily from their amusements. On the evening of the second day out, one of the college boys approached and introduced himself. "I'm Worth Trask, from El Paso," he said, "and the captain told me you were from San Antonio. I thought you must know some people that I know there. Do you know the Van Tynes?"

"Of course," said the girl delightedly. "Mary Van Tyne is one of my best friends. I'm so glad to meet you, Mr. Trask. Won't you sit down?"

The boy sat down beside her with the trace of a flush on his handsome face, and glanced with a smile of triumph and the faintest suggestion of a wink at the group across the deck, where sat his college friends and Warren Sykes. Some hours later, when they had become better acquainted, he told the girl that he had spoken to her on a wager. "The other fellows were afraid to," he admitted; "you were so dignified and so cold."

The girl laughed. "I'm glad you did," she said. "I was just beginning to think I couldn't stand the interminable silence much longer. I haven't spoken to a soul on board except that man in the checked suit. He is very pleasant and entertaining. Who is he?"

"My stateroom mate," replied the boy. "He's lots of fun. But he's a queer fellow—close-mouthed about himself. He has traveled a good deal, though. Can tell the dandiest tales about the inhabitants of the South Sea Islands. You ought to see his luggage. He's a swell. Has his valet with him, too."

The girl looked over at Sykes and caught the eyes of the man in the checked suit fixed upon her. They were good eyes—blue, keen, close together over a large nose. A light mustache drooped over the mouth, while the sharp, delicate-looking chin moved ever as if seeking to repress a smile. He might have been 32 or 33 years old; he might have been 45—one was undecided which; but on the days when rheumatism kept him to his room his face showed lined with pain, and one was inclined to the latter age.

"He seems to be creating more interest than any one on board," said the girl, with a half smile of amusement.

"He—and yourself," answered the boy.

"I! Why, what is there unusual about me?"

"You don't associate with the other people—you haven't told them all your business—your past and future history—in other words, you aren't an open book. Naturally, you pique their curiosity."

"And has every one else on board except myself and the checked-suit man related his or her biography?"

"Pretty much so. They usually do aboard ship, you know, especially on a slow tub like this, when there is a small crowd and nothing else to do."

"How funny people are!" she said. "It reminds me of the time I went to a country town to hunt for a certain plant in botany. I stayed two weeks and never informed the natives why I had come, and they resented it as a personal insult, and said all manner of hateful things about me."

"Why didn't you tell them?" asked the boy, scanning the girl's face with frank amazement.

"Why should I? They wouldn't have understood any better, and would probably have thought me an escaped lunatic. Young girls in small country towns—in the North or South—seldom go straying off solitary and alone after botanical specimens."

The boy was interested, slightly astonished, a little awed. "Are you a scientist?" he asked reverently.

"No, not now." She smiled at the impression she had created. "I thought I was once. I'm a medical student. I've just finished my senior year at the New York Medical School. I'm coming down here to study yellow fever."

"Oh! I thought you were coming home."

"To San Antonio? Not yet. I've my name to make. You see, I secured this appointment—it's really a government appointment through the New York college—to investigate the yellow fever germ, with a view to exterminating the disease in the United States. I shall have a year in Cuba and a year in Mexico."

"By Jove! You're a stunner!" exclaimed the boy in honest admiration. "But you're awfully young to be doing this sort of thing—and—and—too——" He stopped abruptly, blushing furiously. The girl thought best to interrupt.

"I have cousins in Cuba, with whom I shall stay while there. And in Mexico I shall be in the city of Monterey most of the time. So I shall be quite safe." She smiled calmly into the boy's eyes. "And yourself?" she asked. "What of you?"

"Oh, I? I'm going home. This is just my junior year, you know, in Shef. But those fellows over there—all of them—are going down into Mexico—way down into Durango, where it's beastly hot and awfully dangerous, to help build a new spur on the Mexican Central. They're awfully interesting fellows—wouldn't you like to meet them?"

"Yes, indeed—of course," the girl assented cheerfully, and young Trask lost no time in bringing the bunch over, one at a time, and giving them a formal introduction.

Mr. Warren Sykes allowed himself to be introduced, while he laughingly contended that he ought to be allowed first place, since he was the oldest acquaintance.

"I consider that I kept Miss Wallace from getting seasick by telling her interesting stories the first night—did I not, Miss Wallace?"

"Indeed you did, Mr. Sykes. I was so busy all night, working out that puzzle of the Hindoo and the disappearing robe, that I quite forgot to be worried by the pound of the engine, or even those colored glasses over the table in the dining-room—oh, those hideous green and yellow things! Don't you wish they'd dispense with them! How they wobble and swim before your eyes!"

A shout went up from the company. "I'll bet you were seasick, Miss Wallace. That's why you've been so dignified—you didn't feel well."

"People aren't usually dignified when they are seasick," answered the girl promptly. "At least, that hasn't been my observation." She surveyed the company with a smile. "I didn't see any of you on deck the first day out, except Mr. Sykes."

"That's because we were so busy opening our steamer letters," said a curly-headed youth, who was reported engaged and desperately in love.

"I opened mine on deck and threw them overboard afterward," said little Trask with a sniff. "Say, can we mail letters at Key West?"

"Yes, but they'll be punched full of fumigation holes. The place is epidemic with yellow jack, you know. You can't send any souvenirs."

"Who cares about souvenirs? I'd like to get off and see the town, though," said Trask. "Do you leave us there, Miss Wallace?" Miss Wallace answered that she did, and little Trask regarded her with the great sorrow of a great love just dawning. Attachments are quickly formed on shipboard.

The night was coming on, and in the dusk Miss Wallace did not see the expression. She was looking at Warren Sykes, who was contemplating the huge red sun on the horizon, as it was being sucked down into the hot, oily sea. The girl's eyes followed the man's eyes, and were held, too by the glory of the sunset. Silence fell upon the company, and the witchery of a summer night on the southern sea possessed them. Gradually the group fell apart, the men straggling away, overcome by the infinite longing that the sea makes for solitude and meditation. Only Sykes and Trask lingered beside the girl. The boy had wished that the man would go, and leaned over the rail waiting, while he watched the masses of phosphorescent spray spin off from the ship and scatter into bright drops over the black sea, that undulated waveless and heavy far, far away to the west. But the older man had no intention of moving. He was filled with content, a vast content, that no experience in life—surely not his former ocean trips on great, crowded, noisy palace steamers—had been able to infuse into him. He would like to go on forever thus to eternity, with the boy and the girl beside him—the fresh, wholesome boy, clever and sweet-mannered; the girl, pretty, sensible, graceful. He snuggled into his content as a cat snuggles into warm rug before a bright fire, and dreamed.

The boy grew impatient, kicked the rail, frowned, spit into the water, and otherwise marred and jarred the quiet beauty of the scene. The man came out of his reverie to remark that it was time youngsters were in bed. The boy scowled and bit his lip. He looked at the girl, who was laughing. A momentary desire came over him to seize the man by the collar and cast him overboard into the molten lead below. A few moments, however, convinced him of the fruitlessness of the situation, and he retreated to the stern, where he hung over the rudder for a while, and finally took himself off to the smoking-room.

The deck was deserted save for the two. No sound broke the stillness but the regular thud, thud of the screw. Overhead the stars flamed big and bright and close enough to touch. The Scorpion sprawled its brilliant length across the southern heavens. The man was the first to speak.

"On just such a night as this I experienced the greatest grief of my life," he said, quietly, "and isn't it strange, instead of feeling again the pain, as I ought when the same chord is struck, I am feeling the utmost happiness and content? Is it a sign of callousness that a man forgets his deepest sorrows?"

The girl answered placidly, without a trace of surprise or wonder—so great is the magic of the sea that bares men's souls to a perfect understanding: "You have not forgotten. We do not forget our great sorrows. We merely grow around them. The wounds close up and leave us better men and women for having undergone the pain." Her voice floated out gently and soft and mingled with the calm beauty of the night.

"It was at Palm Beach," he continued, in a low voice, gazing absently before him, "eleven—twelve—thirteen years ago. We were on the water in a small sailing yacht, one of those narrow-beamed little race boats that turn over with a breath if they are not handled right. She was sitting on the rail holding on to the ropes at the side and laughing. I was beside her, and teasing her by pretending to fall over and catching myself just in time. But I tried it once too often. 'Here I go!' I cried suddenly, and sprawled over the side. With a scream—she thought I had really fallen—she let go and snatched at me to save me. At that moment the boat lunged, and before I could move she was overboard. A gust of wind caught the sail and drove us thirty feet ahead. The night was pitch black—like tonight—except for the stars, and the water was ink. One of the sailors jumped over after me, and together we struck out for the place where she had gone down. For hours we hunted—oh, God, the agony!—and we did not find her. . . . They hauled me out of the water—the two sailors—but first they had to stun me with a boat hook. Then they took me to shore. I must have wandered about in the brush all night, utterly mad, though I remember nothing, except that in the morning, a little girl—a child of nine or ten—took me by the hand and led me to the hotel. And the baby tried to comfort me. 'I remember she said, 'Don't cry, big man,' with as much womanly pity as if she had been talking to a little boy brother. I've often wondered what ever became of the child. Sometimes I think I'd like to thank her for——"

"For saving your life," interposed the girl, solemnly. "You were standing on the tip end of the board landing with four iron boat hooks tied to your feet when we found you, and you begged her piteously to let them go. One did stay; you dragged it after you through the sand to the hotel; and when the men saw it they smiled, stood and patted the little girl on the head and said, 'You saved his life, sissy; now run tell Mrs. Lord we've found him—she'll know what you mean—just those words, we've found him.'"

The man raised his head and looked at the girl long and tenderly. "You?" he said. And then again, more softly—"You?" After a long pause he continued: "I remember now; you were the little girl who lived in the white house across from the hotel. You used to play with the small son of the major because he called you 'little rebel,' and your father had been a general in the Confederate army. You wore your hair in two red pig-tails—it was red then," he laughed—"it's darker now, isn't it?"

"Shall I go on with the reminiscences?" she asked. "You were the young man who wore such loud clothes that the boys said the hotel needn't keep a bar who bought so many polo horses and rode them so hard that they scarcely lived a week; who, one time, drew a check on the bank for $40,000 and spent it the next night on a dinner dance at which the favors were diamond bracelets for the ladies and gold watches for the men——"

"Oh, don't—please don't!" he pleaded. "You are too hard on me. I am not such a fool now—believe me. That night made the difference. It sobered me. You are right, I shall never forget it. It left me with something else, too, that will not go from me—this rheumatism." He passed his hand stiffly over his thigh. "The chill that got into my blood that night has stayed."

"You suffer much from it?"

"So itnensely at times that I get superstitious and fancy it comes upon me for atonement. But, pshaw, nonsense—I'm getting silly—isn't it a glorious night?" He sprang briskly from his steamer chair and shook himself as if to get rid of melancholy recollections.

"Will you walk?"

"No, thank you. I think I will retire; it is getting late. We shall have a fine day for the Florida coast, and I want to be up early."

"You love to think of your life there?"

"Oh—yes."

He held out his hand to retain her as she was going away. "You have not let me thank you," he said, referring to the subject reluctantly. "Was there anything else to thank her than the depth of my gratitude that had happened that caused him to desert a former relation? "These long deferred things are continued. "The first five years, I assure you, is the only thing but thankful." He turned his head and spoke in a very low tone. "You know I have cared much—I have never loved any other woman. But now—will you take it?" He turned his face to her with both hands outstretched. She put her hands in them and he clasped them warmly, looking deep into her eyes, for she was as tall as he.

"The general's daughter!" he said with a pleasant smile. "Ah! why didn't I meet you six years ago?"

"Aren't you glad to know me now?" she asked with some amazement.

"Oh, yes—yes indeed," he hastened to add, "only counting six years lost." He watched her walk briskly down the deck and disappear in the companion. Then he went to the smoking-room, where he found little Trask looking the picture of despair. He sat there with his head pulled down between his shoulders, eyes staring straight ahead, his arms hanging over the sides of the chair, and his feet sprawled in front of him. Sykes put his hand on the boy's shoulder.

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"That's it exactly. And I want to get on the best."

"And catch the yellow fever and be quarantined a few days."

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"Nobody but the lady, sir."

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"My man's sick and says he can't come."

"Is that all? Why, I'll look after you, old man. I'm a masseur—football experience, you know. Go tell James—Jack—whatever his name is—to stay in bed. I'll tend to the gentleman."

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"Here! Come back, you young cub. Wait a minute!" But the boy was out of hearing and speeding on his way.

Sykes was lying in a knotted heap, his face showing the agony of his suffering, when the girl entered calmly, her eyes full of anxious pity. She adjusted her instrument, measured the dose carefully, and bade Trask roll up the sleeve. Then she leaned over and swiftly and surely thrust the needle into the skin.

"I'm not giving you morphine. It is only chloral." She answered the question in the man's eyes. "In just a minute you will be easier. Afterward, Mr. Trask must follow my directions." She turned to the boy and instructed him about the rubbing and the hot applications. Fainter and fainter came the voice to the man. He was conscious of the hateful phrase, "woman doctor," surging through his brain. Then the bright glow of her hair—of "the general's daughter"—faded from his sight and he slept.

It was not till the morning of the fourth day, when the steamer was docking at Key West, that Sykes came again on deck. The passengers gathered in the bow observing the comical actions of a group of pickaninnies, who were diving into the clear water for coins thrown from the ship. Trask was nowhere to be seen. Miss Wallace and Sykes stood together talking in low tones.

"Only four days," he said, "and I lost one yesterday—what did you do?"

"Mr. Trask and I sat all alone admiring the beautiful vari-colored water along the coast, and picking out the hotels through the glass, and wishing very much that you could enjoy it with us."

"Little Trask did? I doubt it. For him the day was extremely happy as it was, I fancy."

The girl laughed. "He said he wished something would happen to get him docked at Key West. He doesn't want to go on."

"Without you, he means," added Sykes.

The gangway had been lowered, the great hole into the freight opened, and the squeak of pulleys, the clamor of truck and the shouts of negro foremen made the air hideous.

Suddenly, in the midst of the roar there was a muffled shout and a scurrying of feet—then a general alarm—"man hurt!" The captain and the first officer were seen hurrying below. The negro longshoremen with one accord dropped their trucks and made for the hold, falling over one another in their eagerness to see. A negro with a powerful bass voice shouted to the crowd outside: "He fell offen de deck into de hol'—he's a passenger." Then confused cries arose. "Is he dead?" "No, he ain't. Get away there! Give him air."

The passengers swarmed aft where the main opening into the hold of the ship yawned wide with a drop of forty feet to the deck reserved for the Key West freight. There in the midst of the trucks, surrounded by the pushing gangs of gaping negroes, lay the body of little Trask, apparently lifeless.

They lifted him carefully and bore him to his stateroom. There was a bad cut on his head and one arm hung limp. His college friends clustered about, scared and silent. Sykes, Miss Wallace and the captain conferred apart with grave faces.

"It is impossible for him to leave the ship," said the captain firmly. "My orders are strict to allow no one to debark at Key West except those having tickets and passports for this point. The hospitals are full of yellow fever, and it would be risking the young man's life to take him there."

"You are taking a far greater risk, sir, in keeping him away from medical attention. You are becoming personally responsible for his death," said the girl, excitedly. "You do not realize what you are doing."

"I realize that I have my orders to obey, young lady, and I repeat again—the young man cannot leave the ship."

Warren Sykes cut in with quiet authority: "I consider the boy my personal charge, captain, and I will assume all risks in the matter. I will see that he has the best attention and my guardianship until he is able to travel. This is no time to quibble over orders. We must save the boy's life. I assure you it will be all right with the company." He handed the captain his card graciously.

The captain looked at the card and his face changed. "Very well," he said, "if you are willing to assume all responsibility in the matter, Mr. Sykes, I shall be more than glad, and grateful to you."

Thus it was decided, and little Trask was conveyed as quickly as possible to the city hospital, where Miss Wallace had previously decided to stop for a week before taking her steamer to Cuba. The week was prolonged to three weeks, and Sykes and the girl met constantly at the bedside of their charge. The man learned to look forward to the daily meetings with hungry eagerness. To walk, to talk with her, was all that the day held for him. Gradually, all the rest of the world faded away into insignificance—the past and the future—there was nothing but this little tropical island and they three, sitting in the quiet sunshine.

When it was over and the boy was well enough to travel, they said good-by to him. As he stood, holding a hand of each and smiling up at them, he said: "It hurt awfully—the fall; but I'm glad it happened—I wanted to get docked, you know—and it has given me the happiest three weeks of my life." Involuntarily the eyes of the man sought those of the girl, and the words of the boy spoke through them again and were answered, and in that look the boy was forgotten altogether.

ANNETTE AUSTIN.

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THIS SERVANT QUESTION.

The proud millionaire entered his garage haughtily.

"Francois," he said, "you took out the new 60-horse power Limousine again last night without permission. I'm afraid I'll have to get another chauffeur."

"I wish you would, sir," Francois answered. "With those four big cars there's quite enough work for two of us."

Noted Woman Scientist.

ROYAL SOCIETY PRESENTS MEDAL TO A FAIR JEWESS.

From a Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Mrs. Hertha Ayrton, who is already known to some extent in America, can now claim recognition as England's foremost woman scientist. She is the first woman in the world to be awarded the Royal Society's medal for her own unaided efforts in scientific research. Madam Curie has the medal, it is true, but it was awarded to her jointly with her late husband for their renowned discovery of radium.

Oddly enough, Mrs. Ayrton is also the wife of a renowned scientist; her husband being Prof. W. E. Ayrton, the distinguished electrical engineer and inventor. She is to receive the Royal Society's coveted medal on the last day of this month, the occasion being the annual banquet of this world-famous body. It was awarded to her at a recent meeting of the society's council because of her investigations on the electric arc and also as to the nature of sand-ripples.

Mrs. Ayrton enjoys two other enviable distinctions. She is the only woman member of the Institute of Electrical Engineers, and four years ago was nominated a Fellow of the Royal Society. This was the first time the highest tribunal of English science had nominated a woman. It was such an honor that it attracted immense attention everywhere, and opinion was expressed that the election of a woman was illegal. The Royal Society thereupon took the highest judicial opinion, which was that the council had no power to elect a woman. Therefore, Mrs. Ayrton cannot put the magical letters of "F. R.S." behind her name.

She is well known in the United States, for she visited there six years ago, and at the Electrical Congress in Chicago read one of the most interesting of the papers.



MRS. HERTHA AYRTON.

At sixteen, Mrs. Ayrton had graduated and began to earn her living as a professor at Girton College, Cambridge, then in its infancy as a college for women. She was surely the youngest teacher in the history of Girton. It was there that she took up her first researches into mathematics and physics. She invented a sphymograph for recording the pulse beats, but finding something similar on the market, abandoned her's and patented a line divider—an instrument for immediately diving up a line into any number of equal parts.

For nine years Mrs. Ayrton devoted herself to her family life. Then in 1893 her husband was summoned to the United States on business. His services have often been asked as an expert by India, Japan, the United States, in fact, all parts of the world. In his absence, Mrs. Ayrton continued his work, his investigations and experiments on the electric arc. Seven years later, when his paper on the subject, read before the International Electrical Congress, was unfortunately burned in Chicago, Mrs. Ayrton surprised her husband by writing a substitute on the points he had noticed, which he declared was better than the original.

From that time on, she continued her investigations on her own account. For the past six years she has given the electric arc her continued attention. Now having completed her work and solved the knotty problems, she will publish her results in book form. It is partly for this that the Hughes medal of the Royal Society was awarded her. Her other achievement is establishing the cause and effect of sand ripples by the tides. This is invaluable in the charting, navigation, and ultimate straightening of winding rivers. It was her first hobby as a child on the seaside. Now she has a score of huge tanks, with sand and pebbly bottoms. Sets of rollers move the waters, and the looker-on can see the sand gradually forming into ripples.

Cast-Out Indian Child.

QUARREL CONCERNING THE LAND BELONGING TO A BOY.

By a Special Contributor.

PREPARING patents for the allotment of the lands of the Crow Indians that will make each owner an American citizen is bringing out some of the real bits of Indian life. Agent Reynolds must give each Indian a perfect title to his land, as, during the coming winter, all of the inherited land may be sold and it is probable it will be bought as fast as it can be had by the land company that bought the last allotment and is building a town at Fort Custer, Mont.

The bitterness over the inheritance of the lands of Bull-Looks-Around has caused the Department of the Interior much diplomatic exercise, and it is still unsettled, so far as the Indians are concerned.

Bull-Looks-Around is an old man, childless. His brother, Plenty Enemies, is also a childless old man. They are the only heirs of a family that numbered ten when the last allotment was made, so that the accumulated inheritance now amounts to some thousands of acres of valuable irrigated farm land.

Under the old usage of the Indians, all of the land would go to the little adopted son of Bull-Looks-Around, Sam Bull-Looks-Around. Under the rule of the Department of the Interior, Sam cannot inherit from his adopted father, but must be recorded with his legal father, Medicine Eagle, who wants none of him, for Sam was "cast out," according to an Indian custom, when he was born, making him no more a member of Medicine Eagle's family.

Medicine Eagle, the father of Sam, seven years ago married Elizabeth Pretty Crow, a Sioux girl, and brought her to his father's tepee, near the St. Xavier Mission. The Indian loves with all the primitive strength of a simple nature, and it was with great sorrow that Medicine Eagle, three months after marrying the little Sioux girl, went away to fulfill a contract for a season with the Wild West Show of Buffalo Bill, leaving the girl at home with his parents, who were angered that their only son had brought home, instead of one of his own people, a daughter of their inherited enemies, the Sioux.

The girl's home life was not different from what a white girl's might have been under the same conditions. When the Crows made their feasts and their festival dances, Elizabeth, as one in mourning, remained at home, sharing nothing but the work and a necessary shelter. At the end of the show season, Medicine Eagle returned to the girl. A few days later, little Sam was born.

"She has not been true," Medicine Eagle's people sneered in the presence of the girl, who could prove nothing by her weeping protesting. The baby became an occasion of family quarrels, which are a serious matter with the peace-loving Crows.

Elizabeth, as the youngest of the women, had little voice in family matters as the Indians reverence the old ones, and the grandmother ruled in the tepee, in which the family lived beside the house they must build, but will not occupy.

Medicine Eagle tried to take the part of his wife, but the family overruled him, and it was decided that the little baby must be "cast out."

This ceremony no white man has probably ever seen, for it is held in secret. The medicine man is called in and he makes powerful medicine, incantations and charms, which it is expected will cause the death of the unwanted baby. Little Sam did not die, probably because his mother managed to feed him in secret. After a week of medicine-making, had the Indians been free to follow their custom entirely, little Sam would have been rolled up in his blanket and put in his above-ground scaffold grave without waiting any longer for the medicine that ought to work. Instead, it was made known to childless families that the baby of Elizabeth would be carried out of the tepee where it was born and exposed after 9 o'clock on a given night. Any one who wanted a baby might go and take him in.

Medicine Eagle consoled the mother by promising that she should accompany him when he went again with the show, if she would learn to ride with him well enough to please the great Ogallala, Bill McCune, who signs all the Indians for the show. Ogallala accepted her, and, with Medicine Eagle, she went with the show to Europe, and, nearly two years ago, another baby was born to them in Paris, little St. Peter Pretty Crow, as he is known by the tribe, taking his name from his mother; St. Peter Medicine Eagle, as he is enrolled by Agent Reynolds.

When the first baby was carried out of tepee at night, an old man was watching. He was old and rich and childless. With him, waiting for the medicine man to come out into the night with the baby, naked in token that he had no possessions with the family that cast him out, the old woman who like Sara was childless, like Sara had gone mourning under her reproach, took him in her arms and wrapped him in her blanket. They carried him to the tepee nearly three miles away, where the family, all old people, were waiting. The old squaw displayed the little naked baby and he laughed his way into the hearts of the simple Indian folk who had no heir. Sam grew up, riding his ponies and racing and casting the arrow, till he was six, when he was taken, as all Indian children are, and sent to the government school at the agency.

When the lands were being allotted, each child in the school, in order to be included with his right family, was given the name of his own father, instead of that of his mother or his adopted father. Sam's name was changed, and he was told that he belonged to the family of Medicine Eagle, and was not the son of the mother who had loved him and petted him and brought him presents on "big Saturday," as all the children's parents did. He flew into a great rage, and wept and swore that he would have none of the lands of Medicine Eagle. He will not allow the children to call him by the new name.

Little St. Peter has been allotted only half of his father's land, Sam's share being held in trust. All the lands of Sam's adopted family—and it is one of the richest in the tribe—must go to a distant cousin who refuses to accept them, as all the tribe would look upon him as a thief. When the industrial fair of the Crows was held this fall, Sam, with the other boys, was allowed to stay with his people during the week's encampment. He went to the home of his adopted family, and none of his own people ever alluded to him, for to them he is as if he had never been.

HELEN GRAY.



St. Peter whom his family want.



Sam and his adopted father and uncle.

MEN WITH GREEN HAIR.

"Copper is scarce," said a broker, "but there is still enough of it left to turn the copper worker's hair green."

"His hair green?"

"Precisely. In those copper districts where the ore is of a low grade, it is roasted in open furnaces to refine it and make it more marketable. A gas emanates from the furnaces that turns the firemen's hair a bright green. This gas contains arsenic; it is a fine arsenic green that the firemen's hair takes on.

"So, if you ever see a man with green hair, you can say, à la Sherlock Holmes:

"'There, my dear Watson, is a copper-furnace tender.'"

HE KNEW.

"Well, madam?" inquired the floorwalker.

"I wish," she said, "to get a Christmas present for my husband."

"How long married?" the man asked.

"Eleven years," was the reply.

He pointed to the left.

"Bargains down that aisle," he said.

His Automatic Pastor.

WAMSLEY'S SCHEME FOR RELIGIOUS SERVICE ON A BUSINESS BASIS.

By Frank Crane,

Author of "A Literary Vaudeville," Etc.

"YES, sir," said the short, chunky man, as he leaned back against the gorgeous upholstery of his seat in the smoking compartment of the sleeping-car; "yes, sir, I knew you was a preacher the minute I laid eyes on you. You don't wear your collar buttoned behind, nor a black thingumbob over your shirt front, nor Presbyterian whiskers, nor a little gold cross on a black string watch chain; them's the usual marks, I know, and you hain't got any of 'em. But I knew you just the same. You can't fool J. P. Wamsley. You see there's a peculiar air about a man that's accustomed to handle any particular line of goods. You can tell it all, if you'll just notice—any of 'em—white-goods cutter, lawyer, doctor, travelin' man, politician, railroader, every one of 'em's got his sign out, and it don't take Sherlock Holmes to read it, neither. It's the same with them gospel goods. You'll excuse me, but when I saw you come in here and light a cigar, with an air of I-will-now-give-you-a-correct-imitation-of-a-human-being, I says to myself: 'There's one of my principal friends.' Murder will out, as the feller says.

"Experience, did you say? I must have had considerable experience? Well, I guess yes! Didn't you ever hear of my invention, Wamsley's Automatic Pastor, Self-feedin' Preacher and Lightning Caller? Say, that was the hottest scheme ever. I'll tell you about it.

"You see, it's this way. I'm not a church member myself—believe in it, you know, and all that sort of thing. I'm for religion strong, and when it comes to payin' right there with the goods. My wife is a member, and a good one; in fact, she's so blame good that we average up pretty well.

"Well, one day they elected me to the board of trustees at the church; because I was the heaviest payer, I suppose. I kicked some, not bein' anxious to pose as a pious individual, owin' to certain brethren in the church who had a little confidential information on J. P. that might be inclined to get funny. But they insisted, allowin' that me bein' the most prominent and successful merchant in the town, and similar rot, I ought to step up and help out the cause, and so on; so finally I gave in.

"I went to two or three of their meetin's—and, honest, they were the fiercest things ever."

The minister smiled knowingly.

"You're on, I see. Ain't those official meetin's of church the limit? Gee! Once I went—a cold winter night—waded through snow knee-deep to a giraffe—sat there two hours, while they discussed whether they'd fix the pastor's back fence or not—price $6! I didn't say anything, bein' sort o' new, you know, but I made up my mind that next time I'd turn loose on 'em, as was the last thing I did.

"I says to my wife when I got home: 'Em,' says I, 'if gittin' religion gives a man softenin' of the brain like I see it workin' on them men there tonight, I'm afraid I ain't on prayin' ground and intercedin' for as the feller says. The men in that bunch tonight are worth over $800,000, and they took $11.50 worth of time chewin' the rag over fixin' the parson's fence. I'm goin' to bed,' I says, 'and if I shouldn't wake up in the mornin', if you should miss petty in the morning, you may know his vital powers was exhausted by the laborious proceedin's of this evening'.'

"But I must get along to my story, about my automatic pastor. One day the preacher resigned—life position hectored out of him by a lot o' cheap skates whose idea of holdin' office in church consisted in cuttin' down expenses and findin' fault with the preacher because he didn't draw in sinners enough to fill the pews and pay their bills for 'em.

"When it come to selectin' a committee to get a new pastor, I butted right in. I had an idea, so—me to the front, leadin' trumps and bangin' my cards down hard on the table. Excuse my gay and festive reference to playin' cards, but what I mean is, that I thought the fullness of time had arrived, and was a-hollerin' for J. P. Wamsley.

"Well, sir, it was right then and there I invented the automatic pastor, continuous revolving hand shaker and circular jolly-hander.

"I brung it before the official brethren one night and explained its modus operandi. I had a wax figger made by the same firm that supplies me with the models for my show windows. And it was a peach, if I do say it myself. Tall, handsome figger, benevolent face, with a smile that won't come off, as the feller says, Chauncey Depew spinage in front of each ear. It was a sure-enough beauty.

"'Now,' I says to 'em, 'gentlemen, speakin' o' pastors, I got one here I want to recommend. It has one advantage anyhow; it won't cost you a cent. I'll make you a present of it, and also chip in, as heretofore, on the operatin' expenses.' That caught old Jake Hickenlooper, $100,000, an' stingier'n all git-out. He leaned over and listened, same as if he was takin' 'em right off the bat. He's a retired farmer. If you'll find me a class of men than a retired farmer moved to town, you can have my best plug hat in my store.

"'You observe,' I says, 'that he has the location of all and comes a heap cheaper than a real pastor. He is swivel-mounted; that is, the torso, so to speak, is joined onto the legs, so that the upper part of the body can revolve. This enables him to rotate freely without bustin' his pants, the vest bein' unconnected with the trousers.

"'Now, you stand this here, who we will call Deacon Henry, at the door of the church as the congregation enters, havin' previously wound him up, and then as they're turning around and givin' the glad hand and the welcome smile, and so doth his unchangin' power display itself.

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"How about callin' on the members?' inquires Andy Jackson.

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"But there's the personality of the pastor,' somebody chips up. 'It's that which attracts folks and fills the pews.'

"Personality shucks!' says I. 'Haven't we had personality enough? For every man it attracts it repels. Your last preacher was one of the best fellers that ever struck this town. He was a plum brick, and had a heap of horse sense, to boot. He could preach, too, like blazes afire. But you kicked him out because he wasn't stylish enough. You're askin' an impossibility. No man can be a student and get up the rattlin' sermons he should and put in his time trottin' around callin' on the ladies.

"Now, let's apply business sense to this problem. It's the way I run my store. Find out what the people want, and give it to 'em, is my motto. Now, people don't go nowadays to church unless there's somethin' to draw 'em. We've tried preachin', and it won't draw. They now want sociability, so let's give it to 'em strong. Concentrate attention paid to 'em. You turn my friend loose in the community, and he'll make each and every man, woman and child think they're it in less'n a month. If anybody gets disgruntled, you sic John Henry here on 'em, and you'll have 'em come right back smilin', and payin' their pew rent in advance.

"Then,' I continued, 'that ain't all. There's another thing I propose, to go along with the pastor, as a sort of side line. That's tradin' stamps. Simple, ain't it? Wonder you never thought of it yourselves, don't you? Some way with all bright ideas. People drink soda and all their lives, and along comes a genius and adds the fizz, and goes and invents a Westinghouse air brake as Newton and the apple, and Columbus and the egg.

"All you have to do is to give tradin' stamps for attendance, and your church fills right up, and John Henry and you happy. Stamps can be redeemed at any store. When stamps gets, say a parlor lamp or a masterpiece of Italian art in a gilt frame; so many more draws a cooker or an oil stove; so many more and you get a bicycle or a hair mattress or a what-not; and so on, where a hat full of 'em gets an automobile.

"Mind you when a family has a what-not in their house they ain't goin' to let a little rain keep 'em home from church. If they're all really too sick to go they'll send a substitute. And I opine these here stamps will have a powerful alleviatin' effect on Sunday-sickness.

"And then,' I went on, waxin' eloquent, and leanin' back against the wall, so I could put one hand in my vest and gesture with the other and make it more impressive—'and then,' I says, 'just think of them other churches. We won't do a thing to 'em. That Baptist pastor thinks he's a whizz because he makes 600 calls a year. You jist wait till the nigger gets to handlin' Mister Henry here around town and loadin' him up with new conversations. That Baptist gent will look like—say, that's what he'll look like. He'll think he's Togo and the Japanese fleet's after him. And them Campbellites think they done it when they got their pastor, with a voice like a Bull o' Bashan comin' at 'em. Just wait till we load a few of them extra-powerful with megaphone attachment into our pastor and give him up to 250 words a minute, and then see where is Mister Campbellite, as the feller says.

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"Nothing reached for a match.

"Will they accept your offer?" asks his companion. "I should like to know how your plan worked. It has many points in its favor, I confess."

Colonel J. P. Wamsley, as he meditatively lighted a cigar and seemed to be lovingly reviewing the scene. "They didn't. I'm kind o' sorry, too. I'd like to see the thing tried myself. But," he added, with a slow and solemn wink, "they passed a unanimous resolution callin' back the old pastor at an increased salary."

"I should say, then, that your invention was a success."

"Well, I didn't lose out on it, anyhow. I've got John Henry stuffed up with a bunch of pillows, and posin' in my show window as Bill Taft, signin' the Cuban treaty, in an elegant suit of all-wool at $11.50."

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Journey's End.

STORY OF LITTLE CURLY HEAD, THE MAN AND ONE OTHER.

By a Special Contributor.

THE train was pulling out from Ventura when Little Curly Head entered the door and walked down the aisle—a charming little miss of some six or seven years. She came slowly on past well-filled seats till she stood at the elbow of the Man.

"Please, sir, may I sit with you?" she said hesitatingly.

"Most assuredly, my little one." And as he said it he gently lifted her up beside him. She settled herself comfortably in the window corner with her face turned toward the moving landscape without. The Man soon seemed lost in troublesome thought and paid no attention to his little seatmate.

Now I was sitting next the window in the seat just behind these two, and I found that since the Man had changed to the aisle side of his seat, his face was plainly in view. It was a truly good face to look at, but I soon awoke to a realization that I had been steadily watching it for fully five minutes. I became possessed of a fear lest such an unwavering gaze might impel the Man to glance around. In nervous haste I bent over my traveling bag and found my veil. It was a tight-woven chiffon affair that I heartily disliked, and the car was miserably stuffy—yet I was thankful that I had brought it with me. As I tied it in place, I caught the glance of the old gentleman across the car, the one who had removed his coat and was fanning himself with his newspaper. That glance plainly said: "The ways of woman in hot weather are past understanding," but I smiled a ghost of a smile in his direction, and turned again to the Man in the front seat.

Something was wrong. He had Little Curly Head in his arms and was trying to comfort her. I leaned a little forward, well knowing that his voice was wonderfully sweet to hear when he was acting the part of comforter. His whole attitude reminded me painfully of a scene of a year ago, just after the first sorrow had come into my life.

"There, there, my little dear, surely you are not tired of the train so soon."

"I'll—I'll—not see Freddie for a long, long time, and I'll have to play all by myself."

"And who is Freddie, my sweet?"

"Why, my Freddie. He lives in the next yard to Aunt Nellie, and we love each other better than anything, and play together all day long."

"But surely you'll go back and see your Freddie some fine day soon."

"No, no, I'm going back home to grandma in Santa Barbara, and I won't see Freddie again." And the face of Little Curly Head went down on the broad shoulder of the Man.

"There, little girl, don't cry. I understand all about it. You see, I have to play all alone now, too, and I know how hard it is."

"You have to play all alone?" she said in a puzzled way as she raised her face from his shoulder and sat up in his arms. The idea that the Man should have to play all alone aroused her sympathy and made her forget her own trouble.

"Yes. I used to have a playmate, a lovely little girl with curly hair just like yours, but she won't play with me any more." And his wistful eyes were looking out of the window, but I was certain he saw none of the scenery. I was sure it was Santa Barbara with its moonlit drives and shady walks that held his attention.

Little Curly Head would not remain long unnoticed. "But why won't she play with you any more?" she persisted.

The Man came back with an effort. "Oh, her folks wanted her to play with another little boy, so one day she told me I would have to find some other little girl to play with." The voice still held that far-away tone.

"Well, why don't you play with that other little girl, then?" she asked.

"See here, little friend, could you ever like to play with any one so well as with Freddie?"

"No," stoutly replied the child.

"So it is with me. There will never be any one I'll want to play with again except my own little girl."

He had apparently forgotten that she was not his own little girl any more.

Little Curly Head could not resist showing more sympathetic interest. "Where are you going to play by yourself?" she inquired most earnestly.

A grim smile played over the Man's face for a moment as he said: "Oh, to Santa Barbara for several days, and then on to the Philippines. Perhaps I'll play with some little boys over there who are playing soldier."

The Man turned abruptly at the sound of the little gasp I gave right behind his ear, and I leaned forward precipitately to tie my shoestring that had not even thought of coming untied. It took me so long with that string that the conductor had called "Santa Barbara" before I raised my head. I picked up my traveling bag and rushed to the rear end of the car long before the fleshy gentleman with the newspaper had gotten into his coat.

The train had barely stopped before I was off and into the arms of Cousin Jim. I raised my veil to kiss him, but his look of surprise made me wish that I had not done so. "Why, cousin mine, what is the trouble? You have been crying, and your eyes are even now full of tears!"

I most earnestly assured him that it was all caused by a nervous headache brought on by traveling, and taking his arm, I fairly dragged him from the station, protesting meanwhile that I was all eagerness to see Cousin Alice and the babies.

That evening, at sunset, I sat in the garden. It was an evening in May in Santa Barbara—an irresistible combining of time and place for one who enjoys the beauties of a closing day. The sea breeze gently fanned the profusion of blooms as they stood golden-tipped in the slanting rays of the sun. A year ago there had been evenings and evenings like this, and I had lived in them and drunk deep of their thrilling joy. But tonight the beauty around me made me restless, and I felt that my heart was not attuned to the note of the evening. "I will walk and find other things to think about," I said, and, taking Baby May by the hand I passed through the gate and down the shady street. In front of a little house under the shadow of a great oak a child was leaning on the gate, and as I came close I stopped in surprise as I recognized Little Curly Head. Impulsively I leaned down and passionately kissed her cheek. "I cannot take the walk tonight," I said, and so we went back along the shady street and through the gate.

The next afternoon found us on the beach beyond the pleasure wharf. Cousin Alice took a nap in the shade of the bluff while the children busied themselves in the sand with their shovels. I sat a little apart under my great umbrella. There was a book in my lap, but I had forgotten it and was thinking, thinking hard and fast—thinking that next week I was to marry the one for whom my aunt had induced me to give up the chum of my childhood, girlhood, and college days. There was to be an elaborate church wedding, a social event. Everything was ready, and I had been sent away for a few days' rest.

I had been led to believe that my chum had quickly forgotten me, and I had thought that I was happy with the other man. But now I read myself so differently. I knew whom my heart wanted, but I tried not to heed its calling. To listen could only bring me hopeless anguish. "The date is set—my aunt is stern—my family pride is too strong," I repeated brokenly to myself.

Hurriedly I wiped away the tears, for some one had sat down near me on the sand. As I started to raise one corner of my umbrella I heard the voice of the Man. I shrank back and dared not peep. Soon came the prattle of Little Curly Head. Evidently he had found her on the beach and had renewed their acquaintance.

He told her story after story; of the beautiful princess who was cruel to the lonely prince, of the bewitching mermaiden who broke the heart of the sailor, of the silver fairy who teased and tormented the golden elf, and the child and I listened breathlessly.

At last he had no more stories to tell. Only then did it come to me that many minutes had passed and that Cousin Alice might soon wake and look for me. I would not dare answer her, and I was afraid to rise and walk away. Oh, if the two beside me would only leave!

Soon came the voice of Little Curly Head giving her verdict. "They were all naughty," she said, "and I hate the princess, and the mermaid, and the fairy, and your little girl."

"My little girl! Oh, so you remembered, did you? Well, you can hate all the others if you wish, but you must not hate my little girl, because, you see, I like her very much."

I was listening—not breathing—only listening.

The umbrella felt my hold relax and it flew away at the invitation of the breeze, and I was left facing the Man. He went pale with surprise and emotion. I could see that he was fighting for the self-control to treat me with formal politeness. I remembered dully that I had resolved never to speak to him again, well knowing that my strength to resist lay in fleeing from temptation. But that seemed years ago, and now I felt that I was drifting—drifting even beyond a desire to remember.

"Little Curly Head, tell the Man that I sat behind him on the train yesterday, and heard all you both said. I listened just now. Ask him if he will forgive his little girl and play with her as of old."

"But the other man?" came in incredulous tones.

"He would not want my hand without the heart I lost yesterday on the train," I murmured; and Little Curly Head must truly have marveled that these few words could so arouse the Man.

A little later he remembered that he knew my pride of old. "Ah, but your wedding next week—I am afraid your aunt and your pride will take you from me yet."

"So am I," I answered tremblingly.

For several minutes he sat in gloomy thought, then his face suddenly brightened and he whispered a plan so wild that it took my breath away. No, no, it would never do—I would not listen—but that masterful way of his—it was something new with him—it made my refusal grow weaker every time. At last it was so desperately weak that he said it was as good as a consent, and that we would take Little Curly Head and start at once to carry out that plan.

Of course the plan was all a secret, a whispered secret, too, and I hesitate about telling it. But it was responsible for the note Cousin Alice found upon awakening—a note telling her not to wait on the beach for me. Then, too, it had something to do with the impromptu wedding that afternoon in one of the city parsonages, the one in which a golden-haired little girl was the only witness other than the minister's family.

It was also responsible for the wrath of a certain aunt and the consternation of a certain bridal party and a certain circle of friends.

Then, too, it was the last link in the chain that has bound Little Curly Head to the hearts of the Man and One other ever since that day on the train.

MARTINA PATTERSON.

Good Short Stories.

BRIEF ANECDOTES GATHERED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES.

Compiled for The Times.

A Give-Away.

REAR-ADMIRAL F. W. DICKINS told in Philadelphia the other day a good story about a very rich and very economical financier.

"The old gentleman—let us call him Gobsa Golde"—he said "was making preparations for a Christmas ball some years ago, and at his wine merchant's discovered a cheap brand of champagne.

"'This,' he said, 'is a good brand of champagne. It is quite good enough for those young people who will come to my Christmas ball. They couldn't tell the difference, anyway.'

"And accordingly he ordered a dozen cases of the cheap wine.

"A day or two before Christmas, picking up his newspaper, he noticed that his wine merchant had a half-page advertisement. He ran his eye over it, and saw in big black letters the paragraph:

"'Try our celebrated champagne at $1.25 a quart, as ordered by the eminent financier, Gobsa Golde, Es., for his forthcoming Christmas ball.'"

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A Christmas Bath.

AT the world's convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in Boston, Sidney Dallas of Melbourne told a group of reporters in Tremont Temple a temperance story.

"My wife," said Mr. Dallas, "is one of the most earnest temperance workers in Australia. In the course of her missionary work she hears many a strange tale.

"A Melbourne woman told her last Christmas time how one night, during the holidays, her husband stayed out till about 3 a.m. We all know what that means, especially during the holidays, don't we?

"Well, this man, when he got home, thought that he would go boldly to the bathroom and take a bath. That would remove from his wife's mind any suspicions as to his condition. It would show her, in a word, that he was all right.

"So he undressed, filled the tub, and plunged in. Hot and enfevered as he was, he enjoyed the bath. As he splashed and scrubbed and puffed, he heard a slight noise, and, looking up, saw his wife in the doorway.

"His wife was regarding him with an expression of unspeakable contempt. He was rather amazed at that. But he said nothing. He lowered his head and went on scrubbing.

"'Well, what are you doing?' she asked.

"'Can't you see what I'm doing?' he answered. He rubbed up some more lather. 'I'm taking a bath.'

"She sniffed and said as she turned to go:

"'Why don't you take off your underclothes, then?'"

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Keen and Quick.

PIERCE JAY, the commissioner of banks of Massachusetts, at the American Bankers' Association's convention in St. Louis, advocated a better accounting system.

"But above all," said Mr. Jay, in a discussion of his idea, "we want intelligence, if embezzlement is to be thoroughly put down. Systems are good, but intelligence is better, and in cashiers and tellers and book-keepers and note clerks we want the same keen, quick intelligence that characterized old Capt. Hiram Cack of Gloucester.

"Cack lay very ill. One day he got down-hearted, feeling that his case was hopeless.

"'I fear, doctor,' he said, 'there isn't much hope for me.'

"'Oh, yes, there is,' the doctor answered. 'Three years ago I was in your condition precisely, and look at me now.'

"Cack, intelligent and alert, said quickly:

"'What doctor did you have?'"

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Auntie's Memory.

AN old colored woman down in Alabama was reported to be of great age, and was extremely proud of the distinction. The proprietor of a museum, on hearing of her, sent one of his agents to make an investigation, as she would be a valuable acquisition to his museum. The agent plied her with questions regarding her age. He asked her:

"Auntie, do you remember George Washington?"

"Does I remember George Washington? Laws a massy, mistah, I reckon I does, for I done nussed him when he was a chile."

"Well, I suppose you remember the Revolutionary War?"

"Yes, indeed, I does, honey. I stood dar lots of times an' seen de bullets flyin' round as thick as hailstones."

"Well, auntie, how about the fall of the Roman empire? Do you recollect anything about that?"

"De fact is, honey, I was pretty young about dat time, but I does 'member, now you speaks ob it, dat I did hear de white folks tell 'bout hearing som'pin' drop 'bout dat time."—[Harper's Weekly.

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On Their Last Legs.

THE late Richard Toomes, who, dying at 99, was the oldest Odd Fellow in America, used to be very proud of his great age. At the Odd Fellows' Home in Philadelphia, he liked to discuss longevity.

"I am a nonagenarian," he said one day to a visitor. "In my youth I never thought I'd become even a septuagenarian or an octogenarian.

"Speaking of octogenarians, I remember a conversation that I overheard, when I was a young man, between two little relatives of mine.

"The younger, a boy, said to his sister:

"'Mary, what is an octogenarian?'

"'Well, I don't know just what they are,' said the little girl; 'but they must be awfully sickly creatures. You never hear of 'em but what they're dying.'"

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A Large Order.

MRS. S. T. RORER, the noted cooking expert, told at a dinner in Wilmington of a young housekeeper's misadventure.

"This housekeeper," she said, "got her sister to do part of her marketing for her one Saturday morning. On the sister's return she said:

"'And Laura, did you order me a leg of lamb at the butcher's?'

"'The butcher was out of legs of lamb,' Miss Laura replied, 'and so I told him to send you up a leg of beef instead.'"

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The Ignorant Farmer.

D. H. MORRIS, the president of the Automobile Club of America, has on his handsome Long Island estate one of the finest chicken farms in the world.

At a dinner in New York Mr. Morris, in response to some compliments on the success of his farm and on his knowledge of chickens, said with a laugh:

"And yet I was as ignorant of chickens a few years ago as—as a farmer on his first visit to New York was ignorant of city ways.

"'Everything was fine,' this farmer said, when he got back home from New York. 'Everything was fine except the light. They kept the light burning in my room all night long—a thing I ain't used to, and I couldn't sleep on account of it.'

"'Well, Hi, why didn't you blow it out?' said his wife.

"'Blow it out? How could I?' said the farmer. 'The blame thing was inside a bottle.'"

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A Bad Boy in Sunday-school.

PETER C. MILLER, the Sunday-school organizer of Detroit, discussed the other day the Rev. G. W. Bailey's striking idea for a Sunday-school wherein the "saved" should be kept apart from the "unsaved" pupils.

"Mr. Bailey holds," said Mr. Miller, "that in the Sunday-school of today one bad boy is capable of demoralizing a whole class of good ones. He holds that his segregation idea, if it were put in operation, would shame the 'unsaved'—shame, that is, those who were not church members—causing them to work and strive diligently in order to become a part of the 'saved.'

"I think this idea is a good one. I have seen Sunday-schools where bad boys did a lot of harm. Anything that would lessen the bad boy's influence appeals to me.

"Speaking of bad boys and the harm they do, I remember an address that I once made in a Detroit school. I begun my address by questioning the children.

"'Children,' I said, 'as I look at your bright, happy faces this afternoon, I wonder what I can talk to you about that will interest you most. Maybe you can suggest what I should talk about. Can't one of these clean, smiling boys, one of these red-cheeked, chubby girls, tell me what to talk about?'

"There was no response.

"I pointed my finger toward a lad in a distant corner.

"'You, my child,' I said, 'you tell me what I shall say to you tonight.'

"The boy in a high, thin voice replied:

"'Say nothing and sit down.'"

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Art in Humble Things.

OSCAR S. STRAUS, the new Secretary of Commerce and Labor, is a connoisseur of pottery and porcelains.

In conversation with a reporter in New York, Mr. Straus one day praised the useful arts—wood-carving, tapestry weaving, cabinet-making, and the like.

"Machinery," he said, "has robbed us of our useful arts to a great extent. In machine-made things there can be no artistic quality, no individual expression. In hand-made things, even the humblest, there is always an opportunity for art to show itself.

"Two street sweepers were quarreling one day about their talent in street sweeping.

"'Well, Bill,' said one, 'I admit that you can clean up the middle of a street all right, but you ain't capable of doing an ornamental piece of work, like sweeping around a trolley pole.'"

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He Knew.

THE late Judge M. Russell Thayer of Philadelphia used to tell a good story about a brother jurist who was an enthusiastic golfer.

The golfing judge, according to the story, had occasion to interrogate in a criminal suit a boy witness from Bala.

"Now, my lad," he said, "I want to know if you are acquainted with the nature and significance of an oath?"

The boy, raising his brows in surprise, answered:

"Of course I am, sir. Don't I caddy for you at the country Club?"

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When You're in Rome.

AT a dinner given by Eugene Higgins on his yacht Varuna, Harry Lehr said of the burglaries in high life that have recently startled the public:

"I suppose our American morals are pretty bad. They are better than the Italian morals to be found in Rome, though.

"Watching the sunset from the Pincio one winter evening in Rome, a prince approached and invited me to dance at his palace.

"I attended the dance in the prince's grim, cold palace on the Corso, and at about 2 o'clock in the morning bade my host good-night, and went to the cloakroom for my coat and hat.

"The attendant brought me a rusty hat and an old coat with a torn lining.

"'Here,' said I, 'these are not mine. Mine are new.'

"The attendant shrugged his shoulders.

"'They are the best that are left, signor,' he said. 'The new ones were all gone three hours ago.'"

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The Right End.

ONE day Percy, aged three, was playing with the tail of a big dog.

"Look out," said a careful aunt; "he'll bite you, dear."

"Oh, no, auntie," he said. "I'se not at the bitin' end."—[Harper's Weekly.

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Self-seekers.

BERNARD K. GREEN, the well-known consulting engineer of Washington, said the other day, in a discussion of the new Pennsylvania Capitol, which he helped to build:

"The trouble with every question is that self-seeking enters into it. Were there no self-seekers, the world would be a very Utopia. But as it is——"

He smiled.

"Why, yesterday," he said, "in a talk about filtration in a café, I heard a well-dressed man say earnestly:

"'I maintain that all water used for drinking and culinary purposes should be boiled at least one hour.'

"'You are a physician, I presume?' said a thirsty man respectfully.

"'No, sir,' was the reply. 'I am a coal dealer.'"

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A Jacobs Story.

A MAGAZINE editor was talking about W. W. Jacobs, the famous humorist.

"I went abroad this summer," he said, "to try to get Mr. Jacobs to write for me; but I found that he had done all he could do for six or seven years to come.

"He is a quiet, modest chap. When I praised his wonderful skill in the writing of short stories, he said that it was only their surprises that made his stories take.

"Then, to illustrate what he meant, he told me a story wherein the surprises came fast and furious.

"He said that a lawyer, defending a man accused of housebreaking, spoke like this:

"'Your Honor, I submit that my client did not enter into the house at all. He found the parlor window open and merely inserted his right arm and removed a few trifling articles. Now, gentlemen, my client's arm is not himself, and I fail to see how you can punish the whole individual for an offence committed only by one of his limbs.'

"'That argument,' said the judge, 'is very well put. Following it logically, I sentence the defendant's arm to one year's imprisonment. He can accompany it or not, as he chooses.'

"The defendant smiled, and with his lawyer's assistance unscrewed his cork arm, and, leaving it in the dock, walked out."

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A Big Contract.

WINSTON CHURCHILL, the noted novelist, declared at a dinner in New York the difference between realism and romanticism in fiction.

"To make my meaning clearer," Mr. Churchill said, "I will take the case of a young man and a girl—two hearts.

"The young man, a romanticist, said passionately to his girl:

"'Darling, it shall be my life's one purpose to surround you with every comfort, and to anticipate and gratify your every wish.'

"The girl, a realist, smiled faintly as she answered:

"'Oh, Jack, how good of you, and all on $3 a week, too!'"

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Too Wet.

THE crew of a certain life-saving station on the New England coast has had little to do of late because of the rarity of wrecks in that immediate vicinity. Nevertheless, the crew had in the past frequently proved its bravery and efficiency.

The practice drills of the crew last summer drew much satirical comment from the people at the summer resorts near by, who looked upon such practice as an entertainment, devised for the especial entertainment.

One rainy day, at the appointed time, the crew failed to appear at practice. The summer boarders on the veranda of the hotel waited in vain for the exhibition which should vary the monotony of a dull day. Finally one of them went over to the quarters of the crew to learn the reason.

"Aren't you going to practice today?" asked he.

"Not today, sir."

"Why not?"

Then the brave life-saver, hero of many rescues in the past, made an explanatory gesture toward the sky, and said:

"What, in this rain?"—[Harper's Weekly.

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Generosity.

REBECKA, aged five, who claimed a handsome, curly-bearded young man—a neighbor—for a sweetheart, was asked by a young lady if she would not give her a claim also on the young man.

"No," said Rebecka, positively, "I want him all myself."

"But won't you give me a part of him—just a little bit?" pleaded the young lady. "You see, I have no sweetheart."

"Well," answered Rebecka, deliberating, and softened by the appeal, "you may have his whiskers."—[Harper's Weekly.

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By a Special Contri

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He stopped before a jewelry store for a lo at last went inside. When he came out beaming, and he hurried recklessly toward t

It was almost dark when he drove up to tage that nestled in the midst of the lemon was waiting for him, and came through th with the welcoming smile that had cheered years of toil and discouragement.

He climbed out of the buckboard with sur ity, considering his weight and his whitene in answer to her questioning, "Well, Bobby her plump cheek resoundingly.

She laughed, with a pleasant, deep-thro "you silly!"

"What do you think those last lemons b demanded, seating himself upon the edge o to enjoy to the full his disclosures.

"Why—I don't know;" a thrill of anxiet her voice; "I did hope there'd be enough to f off the mortgage——"

"They brought exackly $3.24 a box, and th boxes of 'em."

"You don't mean it, Bobby!" she gasped.

"I've cashed the check and paid off the mo returned.

"Oh, Bobby!" she cried; and then—being she added: "Aren't you glad, now, that you those lemon trees?"

"Yes," he admitted, "but it's been a long, very years and black scale and fumigating and and freight bills bigger than the returns——"

"Yes; and years when lemons wasn't worth cost—let alone $3," she continued.

"But they've done well, the last two years, more a-coming;" and he peered through the d faintly yellowing balls among the glossy

"And now, Becky," he turned to her, "co house and light the lamp and see what I've bro

"A bag of lemon drops," she guessed, as sh into it.

He watched with all the eagerness of a boy turned the package over and over; then she wrappings and drew out the dainty white case

"Land! what ever is it?" she cried as she fun the spring. The lid flew back suddenly, disclos and bracelet, set with a big yellow topaz.

"Oh, Bobby, Bobby! Oh, how beautiful!

boats were overturned

A Lemon Drop.

WHICH WAS THE RESULT OF A RISE IN LEMONS.

By a Special Contributor.

"So you are ready for your returns on that last shipment of lemons, Mr. Sturgeon?"

The manager of the San Limonera Fruit Exchange smiled expansively, as he asked the question.

"Yes—I thought there might be something coming to me—after the freight and commissions was paid;" and Uncle Bobby grinned responsively.

"Yes, yes,—a trifle," the manager returned, and, after rapidly whirling the leaves of a big book and making a few figures, he wrote out a check. He handed it over with a look of delighted expectancy.

The old man slowly drew out his spectacle case, untangled the bows, and mounted the glasses upon his nose, then he held the bit of paper up before his eyes. His first casual glance changed to a frowning peer and then to an incredulous stare, as he studied the figures.

"How's that, Mr. Sturgeon? how's that?" chuckled the manager.

"What did those lemons bring, anyway?" the old man demanded breathlessly.

"Three dollars and twenty-five cents a box—clear—best ones we ever made!" was the satisfied rejoinder.

"And to think of the times I've been on the p'int of diggin' them lemon trees up—root and branch!" ejaculated their owner. "If it hadn't been for Becky, I'd had those ten acres in alfalfy, or corn, or beets, or some other old thing, long ago!"

"It's mighty lucky for you that your wife hung out for the lemons," commented the manager. "A bearing lemon grove is better than a gold mine, this year!—and the prospects are even better for next season," he added.

"Well, it's Becky's doings," Sturgeon repeated. "I was plum disgusted with that lemon grove, five years ago, when we had so many backsets. I'd 'a' sold it fer 'most any price—but she wouldn't let me!"

Uncle Bobby carefully deposited the precious check in his big wallet and went outside. He hesitated, as he stood by the door, between his desire to return home and tell his wife of their good fortune and his intention, carefully planned before leaving home, of going into the city.

He and Becky had discussed the possibility of this shipment paying off the last installment on their mortgage, but they had hardly dared hope for such a piece of luck. And now the check in his pocket would not only clear the place, but leave a snug little balance to put in the bank.

"I wish Becky was with me," the husband thought, "for she says it always makes her sick to go to the city. But I reckon I better go on alone, and get the biz-ness straightened out as quick's I can."

And he boarded the next trolley car and was whizzed away. When the mortgage business was finally ended, the banks were closed. And so Uncle Bobby strolled down the street with money in his pocket.

"I'll get Becky a nice present," decided. "It's all due to her that we have that lemon orchard now. It'll make her happy to be appreciated, and that's the best thing I could do with the money."

The shop windows were bewildering. He looked critically through the glass at laces and silks and feminine gewgaws; but he did not venture within.

"She can buy her own dresses better'n I can," he finally concluded.

He stopped before a jewelry store for a long time, and at last went inside. When he came out his face was beaming, and he hurried recklessly toward the station.

It was almost dark when he drove up to the little cottage that nestled in the midst of the lemon trees. Becky was waiting for him, and came through the soft gloom with the welcoming smile that had cheered him through years of toil and discouragement.

He climbed out of the buckboard with surprising agility, considering his weight and his whitened head, and in answer to her questioning, "Well, Bobby?" he kissed her plump cheek resoundingly.

She laughed, with a pleasant, deep-throated gurgle, "You silly!"

"What do you think those last lemons brought?" he demanded, seating himself upon the edge of the porch to enjoy to the full his disclosures.

"Why—I don't know;" a thrill of anxiety came into her voice: "I did hope there'd be enough to finish paying off the mortgage——"

"They brought exackly $3.24 a box, and there was 202 boxes of 'em."

"You don't mean it, Bobby!" she gasped.

"I've cashed the check and paid off the mortgage," he continued.

"Oh, Bobby!" she cried; and then—being a woman—she added: "Aren't you glad, now, that you didn't dig up those lemon trees?"

"Yes," he admitted, "but it's been a long, hard pull—scale and fumigating and fertilizing, and bright bills bigger than the returns——"

"Yes; and years when lemons wasn't worth 3 cents a box—let alone $3," she continued.

"But they've done well, the last two years, and there's more a-coming;" and he peered through the darkness at the plenty yellowing balls among the glossy leaves.

"And now, Becky," he turned to her, "come in the house and light the lamp and see what I've brought you."

"A big of lemon drops," she guessed, as she followed him in.

He watched with all the eagerness of a boy while she turned the package over and over; then she undid the wrappings and drew out the dainty white case.

"Oh, what ever is it?" she cried as she fumbled with the spring. The lid flew back suddenly, disclosing a gold bracelet, set with a big yellow topaz.

"Oh, Bobby, Bobby! Oh, how beautiful! Why, I never had anything so beautiful, before, in my life!" Tears mingled with her laughter.

He took the bracelet from her and clasped it on her arm, which was still round and smooth, though discolored and hardened.

"There! It is a beauty, ain't it?" he cried exultantly; while she turned it about with a girlish admiration that obliterated years and wrinkles from her face.

"It was beautiful of you, Bobby, to think of it," and she kissed him tenderly. "And it was like you; you always think of me."

"You see," he confided half shamefacedly, "I never could give you anything nice enough, before, and you deserve the best there is, Becky!"

And then her glance fell from the gleaming thing on her arm to her old calico dress and gingham apron.

"But, Bobby," she asked in sudden dismay, "what'll I ever do with such a costly thing? Where'll I wear it to?"

"Wear it?" he echoed, "why, wear it anywhere." For a moment his face was crestfallen but then it cleared.

"Honey," he said, earnestly, "the thing has given us both a few moments of happiness. It's made you laugh like a girl, and your eyes are as bright as ever they was under that old Shaker bunnet, when I kissed you the first time—do you remember, eh? That's what I bought it for, and it's been well worth the money. Wear it here to home—wear it in the washtub, if you want to. It's already paid for itself!"

He went outside to take care of his horse; and his wife, before she set the bacon on the fire, lifted her arm and laid her lips to the gold bracelet.

ROSE ELLERBE.

The Man With the Ax.

SHOWING THAT COURAGE MAY BE FOUND IN BROADCLOTH.

By a Special Contributor.

"Of course Billy is tremendously nice, but——"

"My dear Avery," scolded Mrs. Teddie Benson. "don't get into the 'but' habit! It's a more complete give-away of age than white hair, and not half so becoming!"

Before tying on its nightcap, the seaside cottage was indulging in what Mrs. Teddie called the "kimono" hour; for the evenings that business kept Mr. Teddie in town the ladies, in coming home from the hotel dinner, quickly divested themselves of furbelows and formality, that they might enjoy to the full the intimate chat that two women and an open fire always revel in.

Avery clicked her rocker to a more confidential angle. "Billy is all right as far as he goes, b-u-t——" she laugh roguishly as the contraband word slipped from her lips. "You must admit, Chummie," she began again, "that he doesn't go very far."

"Six feet two in his socks," retorted Mrs. Teddie, perversely literal, "broad-shouldered, athletic and——"

"And wastes the power of his strong right arm on a golf ball!" scornfully flashed Avery. "Think what blows it could sweep with an ax!"

"My dear child, don't be absurd! Since Billy has a snug little fortune, and incidentally a budding law practice, wouldn't it be more wasteful for him to chop wood for a living than to frivol occasionally after an innocent little ball?"

"You don't understand!" A log fell apart in the fireplace, and the burst of flame illumined Avery's earnest face and the wistful depths of eyes blue as the sea. "I don't want Billy to fell forests—I only want to know that he's got wood-chopping in him!" She gave a little laugh, but there was a heartache not tucked away in its corner. "When a man had to blaze his own trail and build his own log cabin, Chummie, life was simple and straightforward. Every day duties brought out his strength—or branded him a weakling. But now! I'm tired and sick of the paper-doll type that goes no farther than good clothes and good form. And what more do I know about Billy? That he can sail a boat, run an automobile, dance, flirt—play golf."

Avery rose, scorn adding a cubit of imperiousness to her little figure, a defiant light in her blue eyes.

"I might as well tell you, Chummie, that when Billy left Sunday we said good-by for keeps. His trotting down to Seabright every few days is over. He sails day after tomorrow at noon—is going round the world by way of Japan."

The latter announcement she flung over her shoulder while crossing the room, and before Mrs. Benson could answer she flurriedly attached a forced exclamation over the loud booming of the surf.

The window sash creaked up and a soft laugh floated back to the fireplace.

"There's nothing like imagination, Chummie. The noise was only the rumble of the city express—it's stopping at the hotel station now. The ocean's as calm as a mill pond, and—listen!"

A bell clanged uproariously, and as the two women faced each other both gasped the same word—"Fire!" Then, snatching up their coats tossed on chairs, they darted from the house.

The country darkness sucking down upon them seemed impenetrable to city eyes until they were conscious of blacker blotches of men, women and children scurrying past; the instinct that guides the wings of birds leading them on into the heart of the little town.

The alarm bell had ceased, but round a nearby corner swung the important clatter of the yoke of cowbells on the new hose reel bumping over the rain-washed road, some ten pairs of hands wildly tugging at the ropes.

At last Main street stretched before them; the reflectors and transparencies hung in front of Seabright's leading saloons and dance hall, lighting up its short length, at the end of which columns of dense smoke piled heavily.

"The Rookery!" panted Mrs. Benson. "That old frame lodging-house—it will burn like kindling!"

They hastened their hurried steps.

At the beginning of the next block a clumsily-tied clothes line across street and sidewalk forced the crowd back from dangerous curiosity. Beyond the rope, old furniture and bundled treasure from the burning building blurred upon the curb, while in the middle of the street shadowy forms of volunteer firemen ran to and fro—a futile effort to unreel the hose; an excited disputing as to which of two water plugs it should be attached; a jangle of a dozen voices yelling directions and misdirections.

Avery pointed upward. A sharp-edged flame cut through the smoke.

"Why don't they hurry!" exclaimed Mrs. Benson. "It will burn to the ground before they begin!"

Out from the alley in front of the Rookery now sprang a dark figure, taller than the other shadows, an ax swung on his shoulder. The tumult of the street drowned the sound of his voice, but his gestures hinted at his quick words of command; the instant obedience of the demoralized men flashed proof of his compelling force of leadership. In one masterful moment he gathered the tangled threads of confusion into a strand of order, and having set each man about his own definite business, he led a swift climb up a ladder to the burning roof.

A downpour of blinding smoke blotted him from view of the watching crowd, until the wind rent the curtain into parted folds, revealing glimpses of darting tongues of fire and the leaping flash of an ax.

Then came a spurt, a gush of water; a steady, well-directed stream flooding out the flame. The situation was under control.

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"Lucky the chap that bossed the job through arrived when he did," said a bystander at Mrs. Teddie Benson's elbow, half an hour later as the spectators began to turn away. "Ten minutes more, and the back buildings of the drug store would have caught; there would have been explosions and——" (laughing, he snapped his fingers)——"the whole town would have gone like that."

Avery's hand trembled on Mrs. Benson's arm. "He's the kind of man that I was talking about tonight," she said in a low voice. "One who can snatch an emergency and hold it in the hollow of his hand—who can think and dare, and do! He even had an ax, Chummie!"

Mrs. Teddie answered with an indulgent smile. "Come, it's over—they're winding up the hose. Let's get back to the cottage. I'm sleepy."

"Not till he passes by," whispered Avery. "I must see him face to face."

"Romantic little goose! How disappointed you'll be when you discover Seabright's baker, butcher or candlestick maker."

"He's coming toward us now. There, in the crowd—whefe are you, Chummie?"

But Mrs. Teddie Benson's glance had outrun Avery's, and wise in her generation of understanding, she had stepped aside, her twinkling eyes preoccupied.

The man with the ax strode forward; out from the crowd to pause in front of Avery; hat in hand, a smile on the face scorched and blistered in the fight.

"Quite a little blaze," he said casually. "Glad I got down in time for the excitement."

"B-i-l-l-y!" cried Avery, both little hands impulsively outstretched.

MAY C. RINGWALT.

THE BEST CHRISTMAS GIFT.

A great many people think that because they are not able to give Christmas gifts, because they cannot give money or what it will buy, they can give nothing. How little we realize that the best thing anybody can ever give in this world is not money, not clothing, fuel, or provisions, but himself.

I know a lady who is very poor. She has no money to give to the poor at Christmas. But she goes around for days before Christmas, visiting every person she hears of being sick or crippled or unfortunate, every one who has any trouble, whether she knows him or not. And she gives out such a wealth of love, of sympathy, of encouragement, good cheer, and sunshine, that these people feel enriched for a whole year. The material things they receive are cold and unsympathetic in comparison with what this poor woman gives them. On the other hand, I know a man, wealthy but selfish, whose conscience begins to trouble him just before Christmas, and he sends out checks, coal, clothing, provisions to the poor people. Then he feels a sort of relief; he has eased his conscience, which prodded him. But he rarely, if ever, goes to see these poor people—never gives them anything of himself, his encouragement, or good cheer.

This is not the spirit of Christmas. The spirit of Christmas is the Christ spirit, the helpful spirit. It is the giving of what Christ gave. He had no money to give—He was the poorest of the poor—but did ever any Croesus have so much to give? Did any millionaire ever radiate so much power and hope to the discouraged, so much good cheer to the disheartened, or so much comfort to the sick and the sorrowing?—[O. S. Marden, in Success Magazine.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW ABOUT.

Melba keeps down her weight by taking three cold baths a day.

W. W. Jacobs can never write more than one short story a month.

The engagement ring of Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., cost $40,000.

Robert Hichens, the novelist, treasures among his relics the butt of a cigarette smoked by the ex-Empress Eugénie.

WISE JOHN.

Said a youngster whose name was John Hurd:
"It has frequently to me occurred
That my parents so keen
Might have named me John Seen.
For a child should be seen and not heard."

—[Sam S. Stinson, in Lippincott's.

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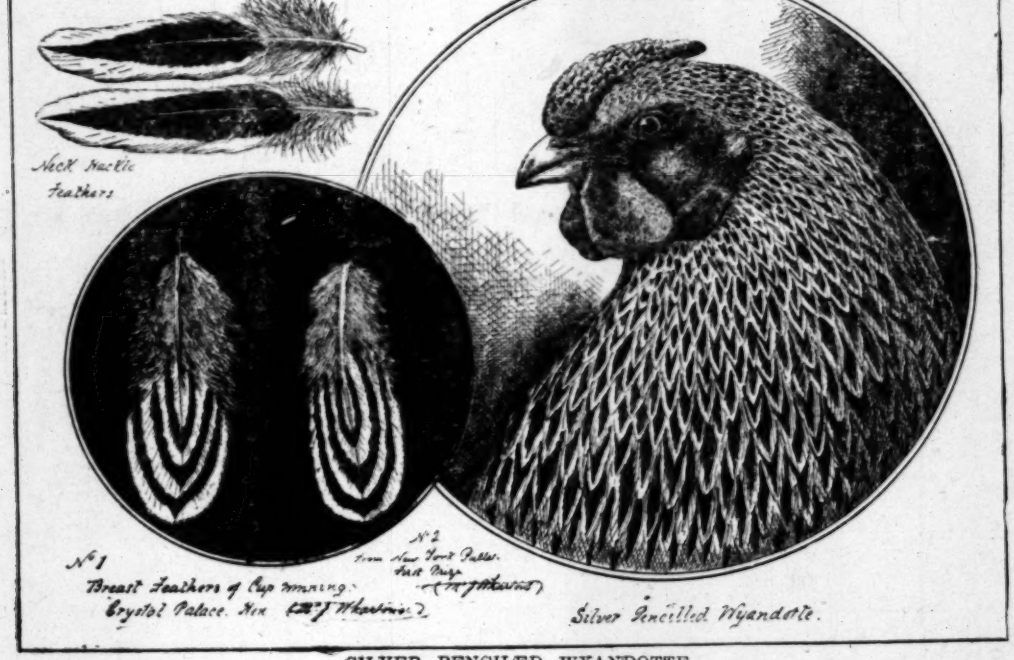
POPULAR FOWLS.

THE SILVER-PENCILED WYANDOTTES HAVE MUCH TO COMMEND THEM.

By Henry W. Kruckeberg.

NOTE.—Short articles of a practical nature are cordially solicited from breeders and fanciers, relating their experiences with poultry, giving their successes as well as failures. The writer will be glad, in so far as lies in his power, to answer inquiries of public interest bearing on any phase of an enlightened poultry culture, such as feeding and management, disease and its prevention, market conditions, fancy points, etc. The co-operation of utility breeders and fanciers is cordially solicited, to the end that the best thought and practice in an enlightened poultry culture may find a healthy expression in these columns.

AMONG Wyandotte fowls the Silver Penciled has much to commend it alike to the favor of the fancier and of the utility breeder, being handsome in appearance and a good layer of brown eggs and a desirable consideration for table purposes. And, though a comparatively new introduction, it has gained a foothold in nearly every State in the Union, and has during the past few years been a marked feature of the poultry exhibitions in this State. When bred to standard conditions it is one of the handsomest fowls we know of. The plumage on head is a silvery white, that of the neck of the same color with a distinct stripe extending through the feather, tapering to a point; again, that of the back should be of the same color—saddle silvery white, with black stripe; under color, dark slate; breast, black; body and fluff of the same color; wings, primaries black, lower edge white; wing coverts, glossy greenish black; bows silvery white; tail black; legs and thighs grayish black; beak a dark horn, shading to yellow; eyes, bright red or bay; face, wattles, ear lobes, bright red. The standard weights are cock 8½ pounds, cockerel 7½ pounds, hen 6½ pounds, pullet 5½ pounds.



SILVER PENCILED WYANDOTTE.

From Feathered World, London.

As already said, the Penciled Wyandottes are good layers and furnish a fine carcass, either as broilers, fryers or roasters. Like many of the breeds, they seem to make a strong appeal to the English fanciers and breeders, who seem to have readily done more with them than their native country. The Partridge, the Columbia and Silver Penciled, have "caught on" in good shape across the water, where their beauty and utility qualities have won the first place among the rank and file of the breeders. We doubt if any sketch of the breed ever published in this country can equal that which The Times presents to its readers, taken from the Feathered World of London. The artist has certainly "caught" all the admirable features of the variety, and offered a drawing which must make a strong appeal to every breeder of the Wyandotte fowl.

About "Best Breeds."

Relation enters more fully into the breeding of poultry than in any other industry. It is quite safe to assert that there are no "best breeds." A breed is what one makes it, and a hen what one makes her. The hen laying two hundred eggs for one man, being bought, removed to another environment and fed by other hands, may lay no better than the ordinary hen. It is a mistake to think one can buy "two-hundred-egg" hens and have a flock of them for money. All the standard-bred breeds are good in good environment. Each breed needs special attention to bring it up to best conditions. One must decide which he prefers. If he prefers an egg-laying breed, he must expect lighter table fowls. The heavy breeds, those adapted to table service, are not as a rule the best layers. A commercial poultry center is a responsible witness to certain facts. An egg-producing section on purely commercial lines breeds White Leghorns. It must be that a Leghorn has exclusive capacities as an egg producer. Commercial men are the least of the careless in observing things which make for them, and commercial centers are mute, reliable witnesses. But they deal with the average. An expert breeder of any standard breed gets expert results. If one would start an egg farm, an egg producing community ought to assure him what standard breed to start with. Petaluma, for instance, ought to speak impartially of Leghorns, of White Leghorns. An expert with Leghorns can make an egg farm most assuredly, but that is not saying it is a "best breed." It is only a best breed for an egg farm. As a table product it is far from luxury, is merely a bird bit of meat. Many a man is positive Black Minorcas are without equal as egg producers. They lay a larger egg than the Leghorn, and probably are the equal in eggs by the pound. They are a larger fowl, better for the table than Leghorns, but a most unpleasant thing to prepare on account of the black pin feathers. The black pigment-like juice in the pin feather spills and discolors the body skin, yet the breed is so grand one would not stop for this failing. The Black Langshan is a winter layer of big eggs. The White Wyandotte is a most beautiful bird, and the bred-to-lay hen often makes the two-hundred-egg record. The Orpingtons are big fowls with big egg records. Plymouth Rocks are big, heavy fowls, and he who thinks their egg records not up to modern figures has been misled. They are the best all around bird for family flocks, I quite believe, though I like a more ambitious bird. They are great eaters, but special feeding makes them the equal of the Leghorn as layers, and in the ultimate some of the best eating to be found. The Dorking is a most wonderful bird, but not much bred in this southern country. It is of the Leghorn family, but large and active. It is a great winter layer, and as a family fowl has but one failing. As an early fryer it is "nit," has no meat on it until six or eight months old. The year old fowl has no peer as a table fowl, the dark, wild looking meat being most juicy. It is the table fowl of England. It lays a big white egg and the hens lay more eggs than the pullets up to six years. They are a grand breed, but who shall say which is the best breed?

There is no best breed. One must study the environment and decide which breed best fits it, or if one is going to choose environment adapt it to the chosen breed. High flying fowls must have a wire topped yard, if in confinement. Plymouth Rocks stand confinement well and do not fly much, are too heavy. Leghorns fly like pigeons, but a commercial breeder cuts the wing flights and makes them cripples in low wire runs. The fancier shudders at cripples and likes to furnish a high run. A Dorking hen weighing eight pounds has energy enough to fly to a ten-foot shed to lay and steal a nest and breed. It is genuine fun to let one think she is stealing a march on you, to let her hatch out ten or twelve chicks on a shed roof and see her get them to terra firma. She pushes them off the roof, one by one, and they flutter down with a make-the-best-of-it hope of landing somewhere in a nice green patch. I never knew one to be injured in landing.

The breed of one's choice is how much a matter of relation. If one likes white fowls and wants a heavy one to confine in a low run, nothing can beat a White Plymouth Rock. The proper self effort can make her lay as many pounds of eggs as a Leghorn, and he can easily learn what that effort should be. If he likes black fowls for a low run, can Orpingtons be beaten? Among fanciers nervous men like slow-going big fowls, and slow-going big men like quick nervous fowls. The quick nervous fowls are supposed to be better layers, but it is only supposition. Like humanity they seldom have the flesh of the slow going. If one wants hens

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n European writer expresses the opinion tha a strain producing cockerels which crow will beget early and precocious layers.

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our Letts, proprietor of the Broadway Depa , also of the Holmby Poultry Farm at Holly has been rather fortunate in his winnings a recent poultry shows. At the San José fi ards won eleven firsts and several seconds. Bowax he won the $20 special on the best b show; ten firsts on the pigeons, and a few

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to lay two hundred eggs a year, he can buy for a big price hens which have been bred to lay, hens of any of the standard breeds, and begin scientific feeding. If he meets the requirements of the other breeder, his hens will go on laying as advertised. If they do not lay any better than ordinary hens, he must be patient until he learns to feed and house as the other man did. Caring for poultry is no light matter. Any change with hens postpones the egg output. Conformity to gearing makes any machine good, and the egg-making machine must have its gearing precisely the same each day like any other machine.

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(3) The breed and variety that strikes your fancy. Strictly speaking there are no exclusive winter layers, though it is said some breeds lay better in winter than others, but that is after all a matter of management and feeding. Hatch so that your pullets will "come in" commencing to lay in the early winter months.

(4) Arrange your trap nest so that the hen can leave it but not return to the general flock until you can give credit for one egg.

D. Bradbeer, an experienced breeder at Norwalk, Cal., writes as follows bearing on Mrs. Dr. Reed's story of a few weeks ago concerning poultry parasites: "The first is the common wood tick, the same kind of insect that causes fever in cattle (commonly called Texas fever.) To eradicate moisten four quarts of sand with coal oil, mix one-half an ounce of carbolic acid, sprinkle around the feathers. It is a thorough vermin exterminator. The second is a miniature flea. Melt one pound of vaseline and mix with one pound of coal oil, add one-half ounce of carbolic acid, stir, and when cool dip the head of the chick in the solution. This same mixture will cure scaley leg and scabby head. Spray with coal oil, or distillate on the floor, and two or three feet around the outside of the houses.

Hints on the Wing.

A European writer expresses the opinion that pullets of a strain producing cockerels which crow early in the day beget early and precocious layers.

Each town will be a lively place next January with poultry shows in the field. Besides that of the Los Angeles Poultry Association, the Breeders' Society will have a show.

Among Wyandotte breeders it is indeed a mooted question to which variety will lay the most eggs. In a recent egg-laying test in Australia, the Whites made a record of 213 eggs per hen, the Silvers under same conditions ran 202 and 204.

The Nebraska Egg Buyers' Association will in the future grade all eggs it handles, and pay according to grade. The farmers and country storekeepers will of course "take notice," and the quality of hen fruit in time will be correspondingly improved.

Don't expect to "do things" in the poultry business if you will have to take a live interest in your work. Watch what your successful competitor is doing, particularly, long about show time.

Don't negative the boy's or the girl's ambition to own a few hens. A fancy for poultry is a beautiful stimulating hobby, worthy of encouragement, and will lead young people to habits of thrift.

Familiarity with your birds makes them tame and helps you to detect the presence of disease and abnormal conditions much more readily than in flocks that are subjected to loud talking and constant fussing.

Mrs. Latta, proprietor of the Broadway Department Store, and of the Holmby Poultry Farm at Hollywood, has been rather fortunate in his winnings at two recent poultry shows. At the San José fixture, where he won eleven firsts and several seconds. While there he won the $20 special on the best bird in the show, ten firsts on the pigeons, and a few smalls

HEROES OF THE TUNNELS.

DARING DEEDS OF THE "SAND HOGS" THAT ARE UNKNOWN AND UNSUNG.

Tunnel laborers are a high grade of workmen, and among them are scores of potential heroes, although they would laugh if told so, says Arthur B. Reeve, in the World's Work for December. Every time there is a "blow-out" this fact is dramatically demonstrated. An example of this occurred last June in one of the East River tunnels. After a blast had been exploded, the thirteen men who were working 500 feet out under the river and perhaps seventy-five feet below it, hastened forward, only to be confronted by a rush of swirling water and mud. The dreaded "blow-out" had occurred. Part of the roof formed by the river bed had given away and water was rushing in while the protecting "air" was rushing out.

The lights grew dim and the tunnel filled with fog, as it always does under a "blow-out." Stumbling and groping, the men turned and rushed frantically back to the air lock. The big air lock was closed. The foreman tugged at the door, but it did not budge. The only thing left to do was to scramble up to the small emergency lock above. The men were in a panic. Action must be quick if they were to be saved. If two men got wedged in the door, big enough only for one, a precious minute might be lost, and with it the lives of all.

That was just exactly what was about to happen when the foreman seized a pick handle lying on the floor. With this weapon in his resolute hands, he lined up the panic-stricken men and made them crawl one by one through the narrow opening to safety. Then he crawled through himself, not a minute too late, for the water was already entering the lock as he banged the door leading into the tunnel. Safe in the lock, one of them not yet recovered from his fright turned on the valve so hard that they would all probably have had "the "bends" if the heroic foreman had not guarded the valve with the pick handle until he had brought the whole party out without the loss of a man.

A few days later, in another tunnel, thirty men were working out about 120 feet from the lock when a "blow-out" occurred. "Danger!" shouted some one, and the whole gang made for the air lock. They made it easily and closed the door—all except two men who had volunteered to stay and see if the hole in the river could not be stopped up. Often it is possible to plug a small hole with a coat or shirt, and the river bed will close the whole made by the "air."

CHRISTMAS IN THE FROZEN NORTH.

A universal robe of white had long covered our country-side, hiding every vestige of our rocky soil, and every trace of the great summer fishery. The mail steamer had paid its last visit for six months, and thus the last link with civilization was broken. Even the loitering sea ducks and lesser auks had left us. The iron grip of winter lay on sea and shore.

At its best, the land here scarcely suggests the word "country" to a Southerner—scarcely even the word "moors." For the rock is everywhere close to the surface, and mosses and lichens are its chief products. The larger part of the country we call "barrens." Few of the houses deserve even to be called cottages, for all are of light, rough wood. Most are of only one story, and contain but two rooms. The word "huts" would convey a more accurate idea of these humble abodes. The settlements themselves are small and scattered, and at this time the empty tilts of the summer fishermen give a still more desolate aspect to these lonely habitations.

Early in December we had been dumped from the little mail steamer on the harbor ice about half a mile from shore, and hauled up to the little Mission hospital, where we were to make our headquarters for the winter. The name of our harbor was St. Anthony. Christmas was close upon us. The prospect of enjoying the conventional pleasures of the season was not bright. Not unnaturally our thoughts went over the sea to the family gathering at home, at which our places would be vacant. We should miss the holly and mistletoe, the roast beef and plum pudding, the inevitable crackers, and the giving and receiving of presents which had always seemed essential to a full enjoyment of the Christmas holiday.

We soon found that few of the children here had ever possessed a toy; and that there was scarcely a single girl that owned a doll. Now and again one would see, nailed high up on the wall, well out of reach of the children, a flimsy, cheaply-painted doll; and the mother would explain that her "Pa had got un from a trader, sir, for 30 cents. No, us don't allow Nellie to have it, 'feared lest she might spoil un"—a fear I found to be only too well grounded, when I came to examine its anatomy more closely.

Christmas trees in plenty grew near the hospital; and we could easily arrange for a "Father Christmas." The only question was, whether our stock of toys would justify us in inviting so many children as would want to come. It is easy to satisfy children like these, however, and so we announced that we expected Santa Claus on a certain day. There was great talk about the affair. Whispers reached us that Aunt Mary thought her Joe weren't too big to come; sure, he'd be only 16. May White was only going 18, and she would so like to come. Old Daddy Gilliam would like to sit in a corner. He'd never seen a Christmas tree, and he was nigh on 80. We were obliged to yield, and with guilty consciences expected twice as many as the room would hold. All through the day before the event the Sister was busy making buns; and it was even whispered that a barrel of apples had been carried over to the "room."—[Wilfred T. Grenfell, in Putnam's

REASSURED.

"Did you hear that noise? What can it be?" demanded the janitor of the fashionable apartment house.

His wife went out into the hall and returned. "It was nothing but a rat," she said.

"Ah," sighed the janitor, greatly relieved, "I thought it was a child."—[Bohemian.



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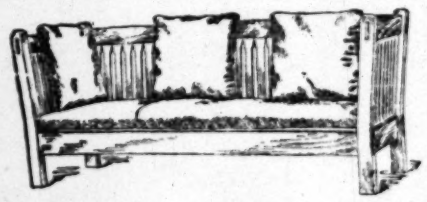
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FIELD NOTES.

Arrival of New Parasites.

WHEN State Insectarian Carnes was in Los Angeles two weeks ago he received notice of the arrival at San Francisco of another lot of trees from China, bearing several species of parasites of the purple and red scale. This lot of trees had been sent to the Orient from California several months ago. It contained plenty of these scales to be exposed to their Chinese enemies and sent back when the latter had taken hold, to multiply on the way and to be bred out at the Sacramento insectary for distribution throughout the State. Notice will be given in due time if this last attempt to establish these beneficial insects does not prove abortive. Compere writes that there are five species of parasites for the purple, and three for the red upon this shipment of trees. It is too early to base any hope whatever upon the success of this effort, and citrus fruit growers will have to be content with the assurance that these trials are still being made.

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Commercial Scalecides.

EVERY year one or more manufacturers of insecticides sends agents to Southern California with instructions to establish a depot for the remedies in Los Angeles. They have heard that our people are the greatest bug fighters in the world, and expect much revenue from the sale of these usually meritorious remedies. This is altogether legitimate and commendable, but disappointment usually follows because the eastern firms and their agents understand nothing whatever about the conditions to be encountered here. The latest agent called with an excellent preparation for destroying the San José scale. He had a bottle of "scalecide" and a bottle of water, prepared to demonstrate how well the materials emulsify when turned together. But he soon learned that there could not be enough of this scale remedy sold in a year here to pay car fare. I asked him to go out and try to find a San José scale before renting an office; to investigate the work of the parasites if he succeeded in locating the scale; to see how the growers were wedded to other remedies equally as good as his, and how thoroughly the State, the University and the horticultural officers had studied this insect and established methods of control. This straight talk induced the agent to save money and time by advising his principals that there was no field here for selling this remedy or any other for that particular pest. Free remedies and insect destroyers offered in this way are often good, and useful where there is an insect or malady to attack.

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Peach Blight Progressing.

ALL the larger peach-producing counties of California are facing a new peach disease. The malady was noticed along the Feather River twelve years ago, but it is only within the last two or three years that general alarm has been felt concerning this visitation. This disease was first described in the Netherlands in 1883, and has no doubt been gradually working westward for many years, falling with heavy destruction wherever the winter conditions were favorable to the growth of the fungus and there remaining to grow worse with each succeeding year. Following the success with peaches in Southern California in yield and profit last season the appearance of this blight here means another backset to a promising industry. Fortunately, after 12 years of location in the State this malady has not yet appeared in San Diego, Orange, Riverside, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Ventura or Santa Barbara counties. Whether this delay is caused by the isolation of our orchards from the original point of infection, or from climatic causes, or from some other cause no one knows, but it will probably break out somewhere before long and our growers will have to meet it.

The fungus causing peach blight was first described in Europe about twenty-three years ago, under the botanical name of Coryneum beyerinkii. It is a true parasite, living only on the live tissues of the host plant. The spores of this great-named fungus winter over at the base of the buds, germinates during the midwinter rains and are ready to attack the new growth as soon as it starts. Hence remedial measures must be applied from December 15 to January 1. The best remedy found so far is a strong Bordeaux mixture, using sixteen pounds of bluestone and twenty-five pounds quicklime to 100 gallons of water. The results of this application in the north, so far have been uniformly good, in many cases entirely destroying the blight. Peach growers should be ready to meet this malady should it appear in this part of the State.

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Resistant Vines.

FREDERIC T. BIOLETTI, the vine expert of the University of California, says, in referring to the use of different resistant stocks for grafting the grape:

"Many of the first resistant vineyards started in California were planted with cuttings of wild Riparia vines collected in Nebraska and other native habitats of the species. Wild vines are nearly always seedlings and, therefore, vary very much. Each vine, though of the same wild species, is in fact a different variety of the species (using the word variety in the horticultural sense). For this reason, wild vines differ greatly in many respects, and especially in the important character of vigor. Though a few of them may be sufficiently vigorous to make good grafting stock, many of them are much too weak or slender, and none of them are likely to be as good as the best-named varieties which have been selected from a vast number of seedlings on account of their exceptional vigor and the possession of the greatest number of those characteristics which are desirable in a grafting stock. Most of the earlier resistant vineyards show great variation in the vigor and bearing of the vines due to this use of wild cuttings, and none of them give as good results as they would have given if grafted on a good selected variety of stock. This variation in vigor, bearing and longevity is often found in more modern vineyards, and is due to a mixing of varieties by the nurseryman or the grower of resistant cuttings.

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Crop Estimate.

BUT one estimate of a crop in the course of a season is made by Orange Judd Farmer, but it does point out during the latter period of growth the crop possibilities as indicated by the conditional figures. Last month it was stated that the corn crop gave promise of being the largest on record and that it would probably be above 2,750,000,000 bushels. This month our correspondents, after securing results of husking in sufficient volume to warrant an estimate of the local rate of yield in each county, furnish the estimate which when consolidated into State averages show an average rate of yield for the whole corn belt of 31.1 bushels per acre, making a total crop of 2,963,000,000 bushels. The rate last year was decidedly above the average for a series of years, but it only reached 28.7 bushels.

The high rate of yield this year is reported in practically all districts where corn is an important crop, so that the bumper crop is practically universal. The crop was secured in excellent condition, frost which had at one time threatened to shorten the yield and effect the quality, holding off until the grain was thoroughly matured and gathered.

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About Fruit Boxes.

IN view of the growing scarcity of sugar pine for box shooks, fruit packers are ndeavoring to devise packeggs i nan egg crate. A ring of apples is laid against these is a special barrel in which apples are to be packed as follows, as described by the Watsonville Register:

"The apples are packed in the barrel something like eggs in an egg crate. A ring o f apples is laid against the wall of the receptacle and then a ring of pasteboard. Another ring of apples is laid and then another ring of pasteboard, until the first layer is ready. Between the apples are placed squares of pasteboard. When this is completed a disk of pasteboard is placed over the whole layer. The layer being done, the next is started. So the process of packing goes on until half the barrel is filled, when a disk of wood is nailed in. Allowing a skip of an inch of wood, another disk of wood is nailed and the process of packing apples begins over again until the top is reached. In this manner it is possible for the consignee to saw the barrel in two and sell a half barrel if he wishes.

"Apples packed in this manner are secure from vibration or secure from being jarred in the handling. The argument against the present style of box is that apples are bruised on the top row when the covers are nailed on and also that all the apples through the box are bruised when stacked one upon another or moved about in handling or loading."

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Sam's Harvest.

FOR years the agricultural production of the United States has been steadily increasing, and during the past three or four years this increase has been by leaps and bounds. Last year it was announced that our farms had yielded the almost unthinkable value of $415,000,000 as compared with $4,900,000,00 for 1904 and $4,480,000,000 for 1903. This enormous production has called forth many pessimistic statements. We have been repeatedly told that such a pace could not long be maintained, that diminished yields and agricultural depression must soon come. But the end is not yet. Farm production was thought to have reached its highest point in 1905, but this year has far eclipsed all others and rolled up a total which now promises to reach the stupendous sum of $7,000,000.—[Farming.

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Need for Rural Mounted Police.

PETTY lawlessness is too common in many rural sections, and this often results in serious crime. The local constable can seldom be notified in time to stop such depredations. In occasional townships in our Western States conditions are so serious that the selectmen or town authorities are really afraid to invoke the law against malefactors for fear that the accused will burn their buildings. At times petty crimes seem to be actually encouraged by the law here and there locally met, which obliges the town to pay the costs of criminal prosecutions.

The Pennsylvania Legislature, at its last session, provided for a rural mounted police to be under the pay, direction and jurisdiction of State authority. The result of this experiment will be watched with intense interest, and it may prove to be the simplest, cheapest and best way of dealing with the difficulty. Certainly that will be the result if the Pennsylvania constabulary prove anywhere near as efficient as is the famous northwest mounted police of Canada.

It is a fact that the family in the rural districts of the Canadian northwest lives in greater safety and security against not only petty crimes, but those of a more serious nature than is true in many parts of this country. The State of Texas has long had its famous Texas rangers or police, and is about to enlarge that body. The public and their officers in township and county should of course do their full duty in restraining crime and dealing with offenders, but certain it is that the cooperation of a rural mounted police, paid by the State, would be of great assistance. Such police need not be numerous, for the fact that they are within telephone call of every rfural home will in itself prove a terror to evil doers.—[Orange Judd Farmer.

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Dry Farming.

THE sum and substance of the dry farming proposition is to so prepare the upper eight or ten inches of the soil as to absorb and retain for the use of the plants all the moisture which falls during the season, and to use the varieties that are most drouth-resistant. There is nothing complicated about it nor is there anything mysterious. The way to prepare the land so it will hold the greatest available amount of moisture is often been described in these columns, and will be referred to again. The method is simple, and any one can adopt it. The selection of drouth-resisting varieties is also simple. There are now many classes of plants that are distinctly suited to semi-arid conditions, some of the notable being durum or macaroni wheat, Kershon oats, alfalfa, kafir corn, etc. The exercise of good common sense will accomplish great results.

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Pruning Walnut Trees.

WALNUT trees are usualy left unpruned from the time they are planted until it is necessary to trim up the lower branches that bend to the ground and interfere with cultivation. There are a few exceptions, however, where young trees have been topped and shaped during the first two or three years. There seems to be no particular advantage if there is any, judging from the appearance of young trees that have been well handled and no pruning done on them with the exception of cutting off decumbant branches that prevent proper cultivation. There is a walnut grove in La Habra Valley, however, which had part of its trees pruned while young with the idea of making the top more dense. This gave the young trees a fine appearance, but the advantage gained is a doubtful quantity.

When the tops of walnut trees begin to die, the dead branches should be removed down to the healthy wood. When old walnut trees begin to decline they seldom ever regain near their former vigor. They seem to be like the human race in that respect. The chief advantage gained by pruning out the dead and "punky" branches is in the appearance of the tree, and at the same time it has a tendency to force out new growth which will improve the circulation of sap and thus benefit the entire tree.—[J. M., in Cultivator.

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Moth Parasites.

SECRETARY JOHN ISAAC of the State Horticultural Commission is quoted as follows in relation to the parasite of the codling moth imported from Europe: "During the two years the insect has been bred by the Horticultural Commission and distributed in the different localities of the State where the codling moth has established itself, J. R. Banks of Laughlin, who received a colony of the parasites and placed them in his two-acre apple orchard, reports that his crop this year was almost entirely free from worms. Clyde M. Price, manager of the Shade farm at Anderson, had trouble with the moth last year, and since placing the parasites in the orchard he says that but few of the apples and pears have had worms in them. Like reports have been received from a large number of fruit growers over the State, and from these accounts—the first the commission has received—Mr. Isaac says he is positive that at last the true enemy to the moth has been found. In two years' time the little fly that preys upon the codling moth has saved entire orchards to the fruit men," said Mr. Isaac, but the limited number of the parasites has made it impossible to distribute them all over the fruit districts. The work up to this time has been largely of an experimental nature, but now that the full value of the insect is definitely known, it will be bred in larger numbers and placed in every orchard in the State.

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Apples.

COMPARED with a year ago the apple crop of 1906 shows excellent recovery. According to Orange Judd Farmer's report, published November 3, the commercial yield of apples is 36,120,000 barrels. This may be compared with the short crop of 1905 of less than 22,000,000 barrels. But it is less than the average of three preceding years, this being something like 45,000,000 barrels, and growers have secured some of the advantage in the way of better prices for sound stock, good enough to place in storage for winter markets. While the crop has thus been exceeded a number of times, the quality is good in important surplus States, particularly in the New England, and large quantities of apples are in cold water storage. The yield in the West and Southwest proved less than at one time appeared probable, owing to ravages of insect pests, bitter rot, etc.—[Farming.

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Potatoes Failing.

CONSUMERS of California potatoes some time that the quality of the been high. In fact there has been season that should convince potato gr cessity of producing better stock. Few ties for cooking sustain a greater loss matoes. Tubers more or less rotting fr ease must be pared to small proportion damaged fiber. California truckmen are to prevent this loss to their customers. supply was equal to the demand poor not be purchased at any price, at least ings of clean stock were ample. This dustry could be easily improved by the plest remedy—Bordeaux mixture. Thi cheap and easily made. It is coming protection against blight and is freely season to combat this most destructive potato grower. Scarcely an agricultural bulletin that has not given plain direction aration of this remedy, and every truck followed the formula and used good m creased his potato yield and the quality from 25 to 100 per cent. as compared with where no attempts were made to stay this consumers know the causes that produc pitted potatoes that are found in every m producers do not use any remedies whatev the quality of the output. Machines for rows at a time may be purchased for about It would pay the market gardeners to com chase a machine in each neighborhood dev culture.

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Planting Peas.

FROST is not so fatal to peas as to be sowing may therefore be earlier. The and cultivation are practically the same as peas require a better soil and more attenti the best peas grow tall and require wire to hold them off the ground. dwarf kind may be planted in close rows will support each other. The seed does with quite so much certainty as beans, an seems to suffer more by accidents and disea is probably the worst enemy, and is treate Bordeaux mixture. Weevil in the seed may b soaking for an hour in a solution of an ounc carbonate and a little less than a pint of amm gallons of water. If peas are wanted for se successive sowings must be made or varieties chosen.

Two distinct kinds of peas are known, sm and wrinkled seeded. The latter are earlie larger; the former sometimes have edible known as sugar peas. One pint of seed 50 feet of drill. Ready for use in fifty to n according to variety.—[California Cultivator.

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Texas Onions.

TOTAL onion shipments, in carloads, from Texas in 1906 were, approximately, 1100 ca 35,000 crates. The association shipments were 9,512, or 380,200 crates; 76 per cent. of the shipping statistics we did not give the av rate to the farmer, but deducted 12¾ cents fo the package for each 50 pounds. On th shipped we netted the grower, all expenses p 100 pounds for the naked onion f. o. b. cost; this, of course, is an average. A gre growers did better than this price, and some less. We paid the grower for 746 cars $26 which is three times as much as onion growers received in 1906 for 1132 cars.

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Agricultural Education.

TOO much stress cannot be laid on the impor of farmers sending their boys to the Agricultu schools to obtain a good education along agricultur and don't keep your boy at home when he should be at school. It is the poorest kind of economy. Work the ground if necessary, but send your boys a school. There is a woeful lack of scientific knowledge much of the farming. Your boy with a th agricultural training can, with one-half the wo double the results from your farm. Send him to and put on him taking the agricultural course. An education is one gift you can give him that he can neith squander. He will bless you to the end of h life. It is something that will affect his whole If you had a chance when you were young one. If you didn't, you know what a hand been, so send him to college, either to Be which now seems to be on the eve of having a re agricultural college, or to San Luis Obispo, where a first-class agricultural school.—[California

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Limit to Crops.

THERE is practically no limit to the crops tha produced in this most fertile section. Accordi last statistics wheat averages forty to sixty bu acre, Kafir and Egyptian corn is grown with success, and sweet potatoes and yellow yam yields are singularly profitable.

Beans, beets, cabbage and tomatoes also flourish finely under the hands of careful farmers. C

Gardening in California—Flower and Vegetable.

Potatoes Failing.

CONSUMERS of California potatoes have noticed for some time that the quality of the tubers has not been high. In fact there has been complaint this season that should convince potato growers of the necessity of producing better stock. Few other commodities for cooking sustain a greater loss than blighted tomatoes. Tubers more or less rotting from this vine disease must be pared to small proportions to remove the damaged fiber. California truckmen are not doing much to prevent this loss to their customers. If the average supply was equal to the demand poor potatoes would not be purchased at any price, at least when the offerings of clean stock were ample. This state of the industry could be easily improved by the use of the simplest remedy—Bordeaux mixture. This germicide is cheap and easily made. It is coming to be the main protection against blight and is freely used late in the season to combat this most destructive enemy of the potato grower. Scarcely an agricultural paper or potato bulletin that has not given plain directions for the preparation of this remedy, and every truckman who has followed the formula and used good material has increased his potato yield and the quality of the tubers from 25 to 100 per cent. as compared with those of fields where no attempts were made to stay this malady. Few growers know the causes that produce the scruffy, dried potatoes that are found in every market, and the producers do not use any remedies whatever to improve the quality of the output. Machines for spraying six rows at a time may be purchased for about $70 each, and it would pay the market gardeners to combine and purchase a machine in each neighborhood devoted to potato culture.

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Planting Peas.

FROST is not so fatal to peas as to beans, and the sowing may therefore be earlier. The soil, planting, and cultivation are practically the same as for beans, but peas require a better soil and more attention. Some of the best peas grow tall and require sticks or wire to hold them off the ground. The half dwarf kind may be planted in close rows so that they will support each other. The seed does not come up with quite so much certainty as beans, and the plant seems to suffer more by accidents and disease. Mildew is probably the worst enemy, and is treated with Bordeaux mixture. Weevil in the seed may be killed by soaking for an hour in a solution of an ounce of copper sulphate and a little less than a pint of ammonia to 1½ gallons of water. If peas are wanted for several weeks, successive sowings must be made or varieties judiciously chosen.

Two distinct kinds of peas are known, smooth-seeded and wrinkled seeded. The latter are earlier and last longer; the former sometimes have edible pods, and are known as sugar peas. One pint of seed will plant 100 feet of drill. Ready for use in fifty to ninety days, according to variety.—[California Cultivator.

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Onions.

TOTAL onion shipments, in carloads, from southwest Texas in 1906 were, approximately, 1100 carloads, or 880 crates. The association shipments were 746 carloads, or 280,200 crates; 76 per cent. of the total. In making statistics we did not give the average per crate to the farmer, but deducted 12¾ cents for the cost of package for each 50 pounds. On the onions that we netted the grower, all expenses paid, $1.15 per 50 pounds for the naked onion f. o. b. shipping point; this, of course, is an average. A great many have did better than this price, and some realized more. We paid the grower for 746 cars $269,000 net, which is three times as much as onion growers received last year for 1132 cars.

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Agricultural Education.

Too much stress cannot be laid on the importance of farmers sending their boys to the Agricultural College to obtain a good education along agricultural lines. To keep your boy at home when he should be at college is the poorest kind of economy. Work a little harder if necessary, but send your boys and girls to school. There is a woeful lack of scientific method in much of the farming. Your boy with a thorough agricultural training can, with one-half the work, get better results from your farm. Send him to college. Even if him taking the agricultural course. An education is the gift you can give him that he can neither lose nor squander. He will bless you to the end of his days for it. It is something that will affect his whole future life. If you had a chance when you were young, give it to him. If you didn't, you know what a handicap it was, and so send him to college, either to Berkeley, where there seems to be on the eve of having a real live agricultural college, or to San Luis Obispo, where they have a first-class agricultural school.—[California Cultivator.

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Adapted to Crops.

There is practically no limit to the crops that are grown in this most fertile section. According to statistics wheat averages forty to sixty bushels per acre. Kaffir and Egyptian corn is grown with abundant success, and sweet potatoes and yellow yams and Irish are singularly profitable.

Peas, beans, cabbage and tomatoes also flourish luxuriantly under the hands of careful farmers. Cantaloupes, fruits and berries mature so early that they reach the market in ample time to secure the highest prices.

Much of the productive power of the soil is due to the fact that there is a very rich loam underlying the surface, and this joined to the ideal weather conditions is a never-to-be-forgotten boon to the agriculturist.

Nor is the farmer altogether dependent upon the rainfall. Be it remembered that the artesian well supply is practically inexhaustible. Naturally these conditions are very encouraging to the settlers who engage in stock raising or other farm products.

The water supply is plentiful, the native grasses are very nutritious, the stock grazes all winter long without hay, grain or shelter. It follows that the number of hogs, sheep, cattle and horses raised in the country run into the thousands, and with convenient shipping facilities and a ready market prove a lucrative source of income to those who raise them.

The central location, or Corcoran, 220 miles from Los Angeles, gives an advantage to shippers of live stock and poultry which makes it a desirable shipping point.—[California Cultivator.

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Cabbage Palm.

AUSTRALIA has a type of palm that rejoices in the botanical name of Liviston Australis (Mart.,) but is commonly known as the cabbage palm, so called because the early Australian settlers used to eat the growing center or heart of the tree as a vegetable. It is really an excellent vegetable, with a peculiar walnut-like flavor, but a tree must be destroyed to supply a single dish of the so-called "cabbage." It is the most common of the Australian palms, and the only one that extends from tropical Queensland down southward into Victoria. The average height is below eighty feet, but single individuals may attain a much greater height.—[The Sphere.

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The Lantana.

THE Lantana is one of those bright ever-bloomers which always give an added attraction to both outdoor and window gardens, and will stand more abuse than almost any other flower that grows, and give you more blossoms, on an average, from one year's end to another, than anything else you can plant in the same space. And yet, many say: "I just can't make Lantanas grow," or "my Lantana won't bloom."

Well, my Lantanas always grow, and they always bloom. If I get cuttings I stick them down in the sand box for eight or ten days—at which time the roots will begin to grow—if I want them for the house or porch. I then fill a pot or keg with some poor, sandy soil, plant them and set them in the shade out of the wind for a few days, then bring them into the sunshine, and in less than two weeks they will show buds for the blossoms soon to come. If I want them outdoors I hunt the poorest spot in the yard, add a little sand and gravel—if there is not some already there—put out my plants, and the flowers are sure to reward me for my labor of love. So all you who love the Lantana remember that it loves poor, sandy, or gravelly soil, and given such will thrive in either sun or shade and give you blossoms galore.—[Virgie C. Moon, in the Gentlewoman.

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Happy Imperialists.

"EVERYBODY is jubilant and happy over the final closing of the gap in the river. We will celebrate the event in proper style soon—probably about the middle of December. It will take some time to make all the arrangements. But we will have a big time, I think.

"We are learning what we can grow to the best advantage," said Mr. Llenay, when asked about the crops, "and will soon have quite a different class of products to put upon the market. We have been growing alfalfa and hogs, and will continue to raise these crops, as they pay well. You see, we cut our alfalfa from seven to nine times a year, while in other places they cut only from three to seven times. We get from nine to twelve tons of it per acre. We raise our hogs on this alfalfa in the field, and finish them on barley, which is another staple crop with us.

"But we are finding out a number of other crops to grow. Bermuda onions is another of the crops, and this will be a big thing with us, as there is but one other place in this country where they grow anything like as well, and that is on a small strip of country in Texas. This is a crop easy to irrigate, as the fields may be flooded, and they take lots of water. We have grown enough of these to bring $200 an acre for the crop. Asparagus is another crop we can grow to perfection, and we will soon be shipping this in quantities. The farming will thus become more diversified in time, and make the community a more independent one than it is."—[Imperial Correspondence Redlands Facts.

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Philippine Pals.

IN many provinces of the Philippines the cocoanut palm is cultivated for its oil only. This, when exported to more temperate climates, forms a solid cake and is made into soap and candles, but on the islands the tropical heat keeps it in a liquid state, and it is principally used for oiling machinery, and for cooking and lighting purposes. In these regions the nightly terror is a possible earthquake, so in every habitation, large or small, a tiny light burns from nightfall to dawn. The lamp that holds this light is a glass half filled with water, on the top of which is poured a small quantity of cocoanut oil; in this floats a wick protected by a little strip of tin. The light is a mere firefly, but it is enough, and in case of alarm other lights soon make an illumination sufficient to be of service in the emergency.

The sap of the cocoanut palm tree forms a delightful beverage which is known as tuba. To procure it incisions are made high up in the flowering stalk of the tree, and underneath these cuts vessels are hung to catch the juice, just as when we gather the sap of the sugar maple in the spring. These are renewed at sunrise and set, the sap being served fresh by carriers at the houses along a regular route. A distilled cocoa wine is also made of this juice. Trees used for gathering tuba are never of any value for fruit production, as the loss of sap takes from the trees the power of bringing its fruit to any degree of maturity. Tuba gathering is in itself a dangerous occupation. The natives must climb the tall trees to place their vessels for collecting the sap and bring them down again, and a single false step would mean a fall to the ground below and almost a certainty of instant death.—[Gentlewoman.

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"Free Seed" Abuse.

THE National Grange, in session at Denver, adds its voice to the universal chorus of denunciation of the sneaking methods of Congressmen in advertising themselves at the expense of the public by the distribution of garden seeds under their franks. It is rather a petty abuse—wasting only about half a million dollars annually, we believe—and for that reason the more contemptible in the Congressmen who vote for it and practice it. We say "wasted" deliberately, for we do not believe that one package in twenty of those sent out is ever planted. In Brooklyn recently there was a bonfire of those seeds contributed by residents of that city who had received them by mail and did not know what else to do with them. We expect such waste at the hands of Representatives from the wicked city of Greater New York, but one should hope for better things from California Congressmen; and yet we venture to say that if all the Congressional garden seeds sent to this city through the mails to dwellers in flats could be collected they would in the aggregate keep several poor families warm for a long time. Nor do those sent to actual farmers in the country do much more good. They are not what are wanted or they do not come at the right time. Formerly a great part of the seeds would not grow and, although they are now rigidly inspected, their former reputation sticks by them and farmers will not plant them.

Morally, there is no difference between actual embezzlement of money for advertising purposes and brazenly "appropriating" by those who have power to steal under the forms of law. And the plunder is deliberate. For years successive Secretaries of Agriculture have denounced it. The late Secretary Morton one year refused to defile the departmental hands with the stolen property, and covered the entire appropriation back into the Treasury, for which patriotic defiance of law he was threatened with impeachment. Secretary Wilson despises the guilty Congressmen as heartily as his predecessors, but, as he is always after big appropriations for useful objects, he is careful not to enrage Congressmen by exposing them. At the last session of Congress the House Committee on Agriculture—by a majority only—struck the free-seed iniquity out of the bill, but the rascally majority of the House rallied and put it back in committee of the whole, where aye and no votes are taken. Since that, denunciation of the practice has been continuous from organized farmers throughout the country, and we are inclined to think that that particular steal will stop. At any rate, all that is necessary to end it is an aye and no vote on the paragraph in the House.—[San Francisco Chronicle.

A CURIOUS CUSTOM IN PHILADELPHIA.

The present-day parade of "Shooters," numbered now only by its thousands, is a result of slow growth. While the aforetime villages of Darby and Kensington and their ilk were separate and distinct from the greater center about which they clustered, the New Year's Day fetes were largely, if not wholly, confined each to its own bailiwick. Then the merrymakers banded themselves into local clubs, and the good American spirit of competition led their parades to stretch out little by little into the territories of their neighbors. At last, and so recently as to be remembered by most of those who now line Broad street to watch courtier and cupid, tinker and Turk, dance past like so many crazy human butterflies, these lesser processions became merged into a greater one. The one-time prizes offered by local business men's associations have been generously supplemented, if not supplanted, by cash awards totaling as high as $10,000, offered by the city councils. And these same councilmanic worthies stand for hours shivering on a reviewing stand that they may fitly decide which individuals and which clubs are to divide the financial spoils.

How they do spend the money, these New Year Shooters! Their giddy get-ups may be ever so laughable, but they represent usually hundreds and often thousands of dollars, when one reckons them up club by club. These men are earners of wages, not salaries; their homes are in the poorer parts of the city, even the slums, so nearly as Philadelphia may properly be said to hold such within her homey limits. For three hundred and sixty-four days they are used to close economy; if not actual poverty, and lo! on the three hundred and sixty-fifth they flaunt forth in a prodigal pomp which would put to shame Solomon in all his glory.—[Warwick James Price, in The World Today, for December.

Care of the Body—Suggestions for Preserving Health.

CONDUCTED BY HARRY BROOK OF THE TIMES STAFF.

PRACTICAL HYGIENE.

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Ventilation of Rooms.

F. A. BINNEY of San Diego contributes the following good suggestion on the much neglected subject of ventilating houses. Our architects have done much to make houses beautiful and convenient, but from a hygienic point of view, there is still much to be accomplished:

"No subject is more pertinent to the subject 'Care of the Body' than the ventilation of our rooms. I think it is a great reflection on the intelligence of both architects and builders that a little attention is paid to it. In fact, not one room in ten has any ventilation at all except through an open window. Now, windows are made to

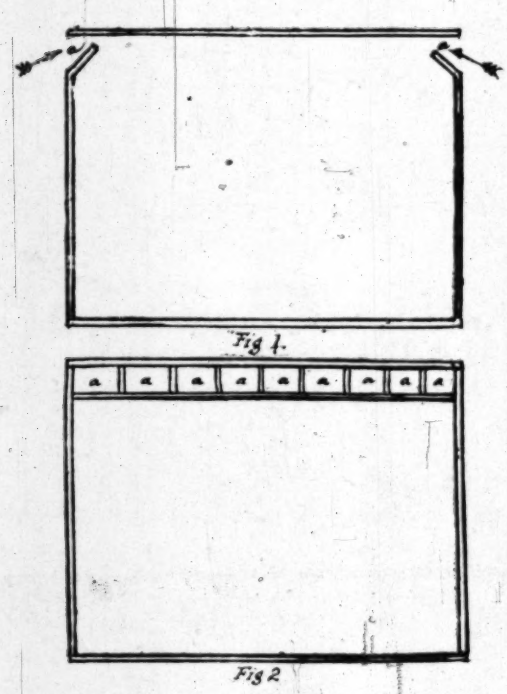


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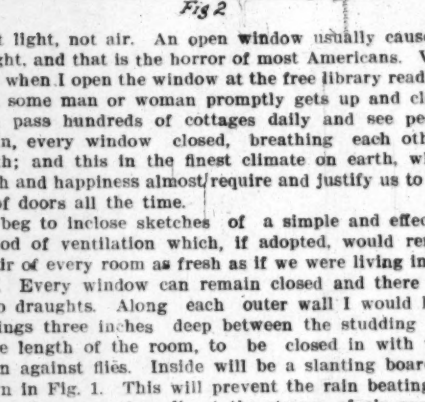


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admit light, not air. An open window usually causes a draught, and that is the horror of most Americans. Very often when I open the window at the free library reading-room some man or woman promptly gets up and closes it. I pass hundreds of cottages daily and see people within, every window closed, breathing each other's breath; and this in the finest climate on earth, where health and happiness almost require and justify us to live out of doors all the time.

"I beg to inclose sketches of a simple and effective method of ventilation which, if adopted, would render the air of every room as fresh as if we were living in the open. Every window can remain closed and there will be no draughts. Along each outer wall I would have openings three inches deep between the studding the whole length of the room, to be closed in with wire screen against flies. Inside will be a slanting board as shown in Fig. 1. This will prevent the rain beating in, and at the same time divert the stream of air upward and prevent a down draught. I shall be glad to hear of these suggestions being adopted and to hear that they are found to answer the purpose. I intend to adopt them myself in the next house I build."

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Lives Growing Shorter.

IN the Reader Magazine for November Dr. John B. Shoemaker, president of the faculty of the Medico Chirurgical College of Philadelphia had an article entitled "Why Our Lives Are Growing Shorter." He shows that contrary to the general impression, we are not living so long as our grandfathers and grandmothers did. More babies grow up nowadays than formerly, but people in later life die faster than they did. Not only this, but the decrease in longevity is progressive. He gives the following census statistics, from 1890 to 1900, and brought down to date, for all ages, from 60 up. It shows the rise in the death rate during that period:

"For people of ages from 60 to 64, 7 per cent.
"For people of ages from 65 to 69, 6½ per cent.
"For people of ages from 70 to 74, 16½ per cent.
"For people of ages from 75 to 79, 7 per cent.
"For people of ages from 80 to 84, 15 per cent.
"For people of ages from 85 to 89, 12 per cent.
"For people of ages from 90 to 94, 30½ per cent.
"For people of ages from 95 and up, 20½ per cent."

These figures are certainly significant. As the author says, they show that, notwithstanding improved medical knowledge, and the benefits of modern sanitation, people are dying earlier than our grandparents did. Sudden deaths are much more common than they were.

As to the cause—or causes—the author mentions the high pressure of modern life, with its keen competition and intense strain, as the chief cause. The conditions of luxury under which most of us live have a tendency to weaken our constitutions and impair our vitality. Our houses are overheated, and even the vehicles in which we ride are often warmed almost to suffocation. Thus we have become like hot-house plants, and easily catch cold.

Worry the author also refers to as being not only distressing, but positively dangerous. He might have added that for every one who dies from hard work, a thousand are killed by worry.

The census figures for 1900 show that people in rural districts live longer than in the cities. Dr. Shoemaker concludes his article as follows:

"We have more amusements, travel faster, are more daintily fed, wear finer clothes, and are surrounded by more comfort and luxury than any generation that has preceded us; but we pay for all these things literally with our lives, which, as if by the working out of some inexorable law of compensation, have been considerably shortened already, and seemingly show a tendency to become progressively shorter and shorter still."

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Ptomaine Poisoning.

THE recent sudden death of an esteemed and highly valued member of the editorial staff of The Times is attributed, it is said, to ptomaine poisoning following the eating of fish, at a restaurant. One frequently sees reports of deaths from this cause. For every one so reported, there are hundreds that are never heard of by the general public.

Those who eat dead things take many chances that non-flesh eaters avoid. Not the least chance is the risk of being poisoned by decomposed or decomposing animal food. Those who eat canned meat, or preserved meat in the shape of sausage, after the disclosures that have been made of late, deserve little sympathy. Ptomaine poisoning may, however, arise from the eating of animal food that is not canned, or preserved. Poisons are commonly attended by germs growing in the colon. These germs feed especially upon the fragments of meat, fish, chicken and dead bodies of various kinds. This is the common but unrecognized cause of a vast number of ailments that afflict flesh eaters.

Fish is especially subject to rapid putrefaction, owing, doubtless, to the large percentage of phosphorus which it contains. In some parts of Europe nobody would think of purchasing fish, except alive, the fish being brought to the houses in small tanks of water. It is a risky thing to eat fish, unless you are sure that it is fresh. When you do eat fish, you should choose the deep sea fish, as the cleanest. Fish that feed in shallow waters, especially shell fish, are scavengers, and therefore particularly dangerous as an article of food. A man must have a strong stomach—or a short memory—if, after he has seen several ripe corpses pulled out of a harbor, he can enjoy a dish of shrimps, or crabs.

A physician was recently quoted in these columns, on the subject of poisons in food, in which quotation he devoted most of his attention to fruits. On the contrary, fruits are the most wholesome of all foods—fruits and greens, such as salads. If people would eat freely of fresh sub-acid fruits and salads, there would be little danger of ptomaine poisoning. The wealthy class in France, who eat much meat, always have a salad with it. Indeed, everywhere in France, even among the humblest, you will invariably find two items of food at a meal—soup and salad. The acids of fruit and the organic salts in the salad tend to neutralize the evil effects that may arise from the eating of animal foods, in the formation of toxins.

It is quite true that toxins may be formed from the most wholesome kind of food—grains, or pulse, or even fruit—if the fruit does not digest in the stomach, or lies too long in the bowels, and consequently ferments. Such toxins are, however, while inconvenient and troublesome, vastly less dangerous than the virulent toxins that are formed by taking nitrogenous flesh food which often cause sudden death, in the shape of ptomaine poisoning.

In case of an attack of ptomaine poisoning, the best ready means of relief are first to cause vomiting—which may usually be done by drinking freely of warm water and putting a finger in the throat. Then take a full injection of warm water into the bowels, and drink freely of olive oil. If there is pain in the abdomen or bowels, apply hot cloths, frequently changed.

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In the Magazines.

A LARGE part of the space in the department is devoted this week to commenting upon articles on hygiene appearing in the monthly magazines for November. It is interesting and encouraging to note how increasingly popular the discussion of health and disease has become, in what our medical friends would call "lay publications." It is true that one often encounters erroneous and misleading statements in these articles. Still, it is an excellent thing to arouse public attention on the subject, and we are justified in believing that out of the multitude of counsellors much good may come.

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"Perfect Working Health."

IN the World's Work for November was an article on "Perfect Working Health" by Dr. Luther H. Gulick, president of the American Physical Education Associa-

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The November Cosmopolitan, Dr. Marguerit... tells how her health improved, as the r... ing out of doors. This treatment—the br... esh air night and day—on which there is... y, no patent—has come into great popula... as a means of curing consumption. It sho... mbered, however, that fresh air is good, n... consumption, but for everything else. One ... of this treatment is that it does not invo... , or a long journey in search of climate, ... ill do, so long as it is pure.

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tion and director of physical training in the public schools of New York City. In this article, Dr. Gulick deals with the bore of exercise, as a duty, or as a fad, the interesting games and large body movements that make for good condition, the laws of eating that modern life imposes, and the supreme value of a cheerful dinner table. The editor has previously had occasion in this department to commend the excellent hygienic advice given by this physician, and to congratulate the public schools of New York in having so sensible a man at the head of their physical training work. The article under discussion is especially praiseworthy.

The writer opens with the following truthful remark, which teachers of what our friend Warman calls "physical straining" might with advantage heed:

"Not one man in a thousand has time to keep himself in the best possible physical condition. To do so would consume the largest part of his waking day. People who write books on hygiene have a way of overlooking this."

Among other good points by Dr. Gulick are the following: Enough exercise to keep the muscles of the body firm and sensitive is what we should aim at. The kind of exercise that hits the mark is the kind a man likes for its own sake. This is in accordance with what the writer has frequently said, namely, that exercise without object, either in the shape of work or play, is of very little use. A city man with a conscience is in danger of doing too hard work with his exercise when he takes it at all. In regard to tennis, Dr. Gulick says:

"Tennis is a game that nervous, excitable, overworked people like to play. They ought to avoid it. It works them too hard, and too fast. Instead of resting them, it wears them out."

The author declares there is no better outdoor exercise for a city man than a game of golf. Rowing, paddling, swimming and tramping he also indorses.

Under the heading of "Digestion" Dr. Gulick properly calls attention to the great importance of thorough mastication. The use of "digestives," in the shape of tablets or otherwise, is strongly condemned. The natural remedy for faulty digestion, as the writer says, is often found to chew the food slower. The drinking of water, rather than to wash down solid food, is a thoroughly bad habit.

Dr. Gulick says that if a man drinks liquor at all, he should do so when he eats. This is open to question. It has been shown that the smallest amount of alcohol seriously interferes with the process of digestion. On the other hand, to take alcohol on an empty stomach is specially harmful. So there you are. The only apparent way out of the quandary is to avoid alcohol altogether. Another great aid to digestion, Dr. Gulick shows, is deep breathing. He advocates deep breathing after breakfast and lunch, as you walk on the street. Twisting the body from side to side, and bending forward the back better than swinging Indian clubs.

With regard to the suggestion that hunger is an instinct, which will tell us what to eat and drink, Dr. Gulick says: "But there are cases in which we cannot trust to our instincts without danger. The fact that an instinct has been handed down to us from prehistoric times, when men lived differently from ourselves, makes its directions occasionally out of date. It hasn't adapted itself to any of the special conditions of modern civilization. It sticks to the old rut, and calls as strongly as ever for satisfaction; but it does not speak with the same authority. Present needs may demand something quite different."

The writer shows that we are often hungry for the wrong kind of food that would only suit a body under constant exercise. He adds the truthful statement that the majority eat a much larger quantity of meat than they require, indeed, than they can get any possible good from.

The editor regrets that it is not possible to reproduce the excellent article entire. He recommends all readers of the department to get a copy of the World's Work magazine—one of the best of American magazines—for November. If you cannot get it at a book store, write for a copy, to Doubleday, Page & Co., publishers, New York. The price of the magazine is 25 cents.

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Living Out of Doors.

In the November Cosmopolitan, Dr. Marguerite Brew-ster tells how her health improved, as the result of living out of doors. This treatment—the breathing of fresh air night and day—on which there is, fortunately, no patent—has come into great popularity of late as a means of curing consumption. It should be observed, however, that fresh air is good, not only for consumption, but for everything else. One advantage of this treatment is that it does not involve expense or a long journey in search of climate, for any place, so long as it is pure.

Living out of doors, in cold weather, the body must, of course, be warmly covered. Under such circumstances, delicate consumptive women, in the East, have actually slept out of doors where the snow has drifted their bed clothing several inches deep. In fact, some of the most remarkable cures from outdoor sleeping have been effected in colder regions, like Switzerland and Canada. Cold air is more invigorating, more bracing than heating. As stated, however, any air will serve, provided it is pure. Pure air cannot be found in large cities, if you are so unfortunate as to live in a flat, you may still derive benefit from sleeping out on a porch, or otherwise—for if you close your windows you get the impure air from the outside, mixed with that is still less pure, on the inside.

Another point referred to, the writer notes the vast difference in the time of sleep required outdoors, as compared with indoors. She says that seven hours is now quite enough for her, whereas formerly she always supposed she needed nine hours. It is an undoubted fact that most of the late sleeping in the morning, indulged in by some people, is more of a stupor, due to overeating or foul air, than a wholesome sleep, and consequently is little recuperative or strengthening, as sleep should be.

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Railroad Wrecks.

THE president of a large railroad company, together with six other persons, recently met with a terrible death in a train wreck, in the Southern States. Possibly, this may lead the railroads to "sit up and take notice," in regard to the constant massacre on the rails. Many years ago, in England, where a railroad accident is more than a nine days' wonder, Punch suggested that the only way to prevent railroad accidents would be to tie a director on the front of each engine.

The most aggravating feature of it is that a large proportion of these wrecks are easily preventible. S. A. Pope, assistant general manager of the Great Western Railway, of England, after a three months' tour of railroad inspection in the United States and Canada, recently said:

"Americans are a long-suffering people. Since I have been here, ten persons have been killed in one wreck and fifty in another. It made a stir in the papers for one or two days, and then it seemed to be forgotten. Under the English system, two trains are never allowed to be in the same section at the same time."

It won't do for the railroad companies to plead that the people will have rapid transit, at whatever cost. The same argument would apply to the indiscriminate sale of poisons by druggists.

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Don't Worry.

THE editor has frequently emphasized the necessity of avoiding worry, which is, undoubtedly, one of the most fertile causes of disease. If analyzed, it will be found that another name for worry is fear. For every one that is made sick or killed by hard work, a thousand are killed by worry. An article from the Chicago Chronicle was recently printed in The Times, in which the effects of worry on the physical functions of the body were set forth. The writer said:

"One of the chief reasons why a mule can stand more work than a man is that the mule lives in the present. He never laments the past nor dreads the future. Even when he has to stand in the broiling sun six hours at a time it never occurs to him that he has been standing there a long time, and he never speculates on the probable time of relief. When comfortable in his stable he never ruminates on the hardships of the day past and never looks forward with sadness to the toils of the day coming. This is one thing in the brute creation which human beings should imitate. Substitute sparrows for mules and the principle has divine sanction. Worry is the price that human beings pay for human intelligence, and it ought to be overcome by reason. There is really no sense or reason in worry."

In Smith's Magazine for December Dr. C. A. Saleeby, a clever writer on health topics, has the second of a series of articles on "Worry, Its Consequences, Cure and Causation." He shows that worry is able to weaken the bodily defences, and consequently to make a person a more easy prey to disease. Worry about sleeping, as distinguished from worrying about one's affairs, is in itself sufficient only too often to cause a sleepless night. The case is the same with many other nervous functions as, for instance, digestion.

Dr. Saleeby takes up the question of the fear of death, which he shows has little foundation, normal death being a painless occurrence, usually preceded by gradual loss of consciousness, entailing no more suffering than going to sleep.

Referring to faith cures, Dr. Saleeby acknowledges the undoubted fact that such cures are expected. He adds, however, "these are scientific facts, as certain and as important as the infectiousness of cholera, the germ causation of tuberculosis, or the triumphs of Listerian surgery." Here Dr. Saleeby's premises are wrong. Neither cholera, nor any other disease, is infectious, as generally understood, nor are germs the cause, but an effect of tuberculosis. If deadly diseases were infectious, as the doctors teach, and if the inhaling of consumption germs could cause tuberculosis—except where the soil is prepared for them—then we should all have been very, very dead, very long ago. It is also true that antisepsis in surgery has been pushed to an absurd extent and that of late there has been a reaction.

Otherwise, Dr. Saleeby gives us some interesting suggestions in regard to this most important subject of worry, which is today, as never before, one of the greatest curses of the human race. Once more the editor would say: "Don't hurry; don't worry, keep your feet warm, and your bowels open."

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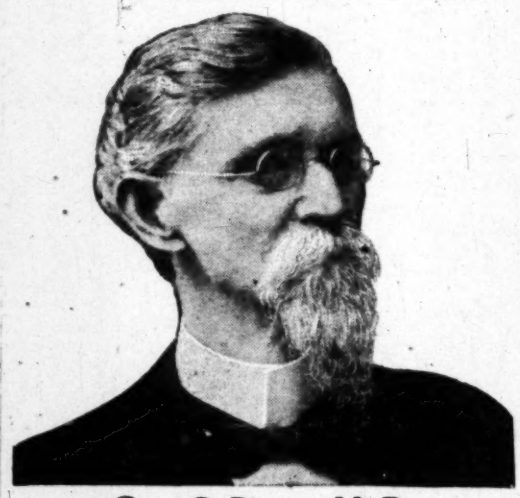
"Rubin it In.

A WEST BERKELEY correspondent, whose intentions, in regard to the English language, are doubtless honorable, sends the following communication:

"Being a reader of the Care of the Body and a broke down man, I find much help in your Value paper, the only tumbling block that I halve is, that I can not hold on to the ruls that I let down for me I get no help in my Family the all like to eat what the like, and my apetit is always good, and my will power weak so I don't make much head way, the same time I made a good deal improofment, I realy think I woudent be alive any more if I ditent inproof in my way of living never like to miss your paper it all ways keeps on rubing it in that is the only medizin what helps me."

There are many others besides this correspondent who have discovered that while the spirit is willing, the flesh is weak. Too many read every health hint, but never

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practice them. The only way to do is to keep on aiming at the goal, and not to become discouraged by failures, nor to allow one's enthusiasm to diminish. It is in this direction that the danger of taking pledges to abstain from alcohol or nicotine, or anything else of that kind, lies. When a person has taken a solemn pledge, and breaks it—as is often the case—he thinks to himself: "Well, now I have gone and done it, so I might just as well hark back to the old mode of life again. And like the hog, he returns to his wallow. Don't make any pledges at all, to yourself, or to any one else. But make up your mind to follow out a sensible mode of living, as near as you can, and to get a little nearer to it all the time.

Don't try to do too much at once, but keep it up. Meantime, the editor will "keep on rubing it in."

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Consumption and Climate.

A SAN DIEGO correspondent sends the following: "Can you advise, through the Care of the Body, what will be best to do for a mother of three children, without means to change climate (if climate is any good) who is troubled with consumption, and lives in Toledo, Ohio."

Let her live as much as possible in the open air, day and night, sleeping on a screen porch, or at least in a room with all the windows open, the body being well covered. She should not seek to go off to another climate, unless she can do so conveniently. The main thing is to get fresh, pure air, and plenty of it, with plain nourishing diet, avoiding stimulants, and eating little or no meat.

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Legalized Poisoning.

A DISPATCH from Manila announces that, as a result of experiments with cholera virus, in a prison, ten prisoners out of twenty-four who were inoculated have died. The doctor was "exonerated." Such happenings as this are usually covered up. It wouldn't do to shock the public too much, with the direct results of the profitable practice of inoculation of poison into the blood. Could the public see the indirect results of this practice, doctors would have to call on the militia to enforce their operations.

A hundred years hence, people of that day will read of such unnatural and absurd operations as the injection of filthy animal poisons into the blood of healthy people with the same astonishment, mingled with incredulity, that now attends a perusal of the medical methods of the Middle Ages, many of which, by the way, are far less dangerous than this inoculation fad.

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A Doctor on Drugs.

THE editor finds the following paragraph, under the heading "Therapeutic Hints," in the Southern California Practitioner, for November, edited by Dr. Walter Lindley:

"To sufferers from indigestion who wish to be cured, it is recommended to eat meat once a day only, chew up completely every mouthful of food, drink eight tumblers of water every day, and no intoxicants—and take as much walking exercise as possible in the open air. This advice has cured many men and women who have given it a fair trial. It is much more efficacious than too much dosing with medicines or pepsin."

Good advice, this. When medicos begin to warn people against the too frequent use of drugs, there is yet hope for the profession. Perhaps, before long, they will come out boldly, and abandon the drug superstition altogether.

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Hygienic Board.

A YOUNG woman who is a medical student in a Los Angeles college asks if the editor can recommend a home with a pleasant family, where food is served in accordance with hygienic methods. (No, the the editor cannot furnish her address.) The correspondent was recommended to insert a small advertisement in the classified columns of The Times, which would doubtless bring results. It might also be suggested that any family willing to take a boarder of this kind might also do well to advertise the fact, as there are many nowadays seeking for an opportunity to board where they will not be obliged to eat pork, meat twice a day, lard, and other unwholesome things.

There are several hygienic restaurants in Los Angeles. Perhaps a hygienic boarding-house might do well, except for the fact that almost every food reformer is cranky on some particular article of diet, so that a woman, who tried to please a crowd of them, would be in danger of going insane.

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Deep Breathing.

THE following funny inquiry comes from a Los Angeles correspondent, who lives in the General Delivery of the postoffice—or, at least, dates from there:

"I am about to leave the sunny Southern California for the cold eastern State of New York. It has been my habit to take here every morning and evening, deep breathing exercises. May I do the same in the State of New York, without incurring the danger of catching a cold by breathing in the frosty air?"

Sure! Strange as it may appear, people breathe in every country and climate of the globe, even in New Jersey! And the only proper way to breathe is to breathe deeply. That is to say, moderately deep, not overstraining yourself. Also, remember this. Natural, deep breathing must be the result of exercise that tends to bring forth such breathing. Otherwise, it is unnatural, and consequently not to be recommended. To breathe when you don't feel like it is as unnatural as to eat when you don't feel like eating, or to drink when you don't feel like drinking, or to bathe when you don't feel like bathing. Take exercise that will compel you to breathe deeply, and naturally.

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Unrecognized Insanity.

IN the Arena for November Dr. Henrik Petersen had an article on "Unrecognized Insanity a Public and Individual Danger." Dr. Petersen emphasizes a fact the editor has frequently referred to, namely, that it is as foolish to refer to a person as being "sane" or "insane" as it would be to refer to a person is being "sick" or "well," for the reason that not one person in a thousand is absolutely well or absolutely sane. There is as great a dividing line between absolute, robust physical health and chronic invalidism as there is between perfect, level-headed sanity and jabbering idiocy. Almost every one is mentally unbalanced, on some point. At the least, a man will have leaning toward a certain subject that is out of proportion to the value of such subject.

The writer shows that insanity increases at a high rate all over the civilized world. He might have added that recent reports from this and other countries are indeed alarming.

Here is a true statement, that "a cerebral mediocrity, in full enjoyment of vigorous health, and well-balanced development, brings better material to the social building than the sickly savant, or a disgruntled person of attainments."

Dr. Petersen thinks that psychical infection is possible. There is, indeed, little doubt of this. We often see such infection in wild outbreaks of religious enthusiasm.

Dr. Petersen discusses the question of whether one who has been mentally diseased should marry. This is a difficult subject, considering, as above, that there are so few people who are absolutely sane. Certainly the editor would say that it is a crime for two people who are both flighty in the upper story to contract marriage. If one is inclined to undue cerebral activity, the other should be a healthy, phlegmatic person. Dr. Petersen acknowledges the shortcomings of the medical fraternity in regard to knowledge of this important subject. He says:

"We have efficient alienists and psychologists, but as a body medical men cannot lay claim to such knowledge of mental disease that by timely detection and practical measures their services become valable."

The writer suggests that every home, rich or poor, should be open to "benevolent but strict scrutiny," for the purpose of ascertaining who are mentally unsound. It is not at all probable that the American people would ever submit to such an inquisition.

In conclusion, the writer points out the evil effect of herding a lot of mentally unbalanced people together, in sanatoria or asylums, and recommends the cottage plan, which has been introduced of late in most sanatoria, and in a few insane asylums.

Dr. Petersen might have gone further and added that the proper treatment of the insane is a subject of which the medical fraternity is as yet woefully ignorant. It is true that unfortunates who have lost their reason, are no longer chained and flogged and treated as wild beasts, as they were a few centuries ago. Still, from disclosures that occasionally crop out in the press, it is evident that the scientific treatment and cure of insanity is still an almost unoccupied field.

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Diet—Hygiene Cook Book.

A LONG BEACH correspondent sends the following inquiries:

"(1) Can you suggest where one could purchase a cook book, based on hygienic laws, as you understand them? Is the Battle Creek cook book better in that respect than most others? (2) How much food, in kind and quantity ought men who combine mental and physical labor eat? (3) Ought anaemics who are also of a neurasthenic temperament, to limit themselves to two meals a day when they feel they could relish five?"

Replies. (1) The editor knows of no cook book that fully comes up to his ideas of what a hygienic cook book should be. He has not seen the Battle Creek cook book referred to—written by Mrs. Kellogg—but it is doubtless as good as any. As frequently stated, the Battle Creek dietary, in common with almost all other vegetarian dietaries, is to some extent unbalanced, containing too large a proportion of starches and sweets, which easily tend to fermentation and gastric disturbances. A cook book that contains many excellent recipes, and may be strongly recommended is the "Mazdaznan Encyclopedia of Dietetics and Home Cook Book," by Dr. O. Z. Hanish, published by the Mazdaznan Publishing Co., Chicago. It contains recipes for dishes containing wines and liquors, but these may readily be omitted by those who do not approve of them. Many of the recipes given in magazines are ridiculous. Perhaps some of them may have been all right when they were first written but, by frequent copying and recopying they have become so muddled up as to be entirely out of proportion.

(2) About ten ounces of water-free food, of which about one and a half ounces should be proteid, the rest carbohydrates, including fat.

(3) Yes; when a person has a craving for five meals a day—unless he is recovering from a wasting disease—it is not a sign of healthy hunger, but of morbid appetite, due probably to an inflamed condition of the lining of the abdomen. In such cases, it would be well to try a short fast, lasting from three days to a week, and after that adopt the two-meal plan, eating the meals dry. An hour after rising in the morning, if there is some natural desire for food, one may consume a glass of warm milk, a glass of unfermented fruit juice, a cup of cereal coffee, a little fresh fruit, or something light, of that kind.



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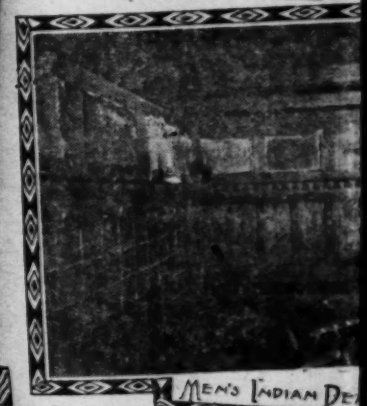
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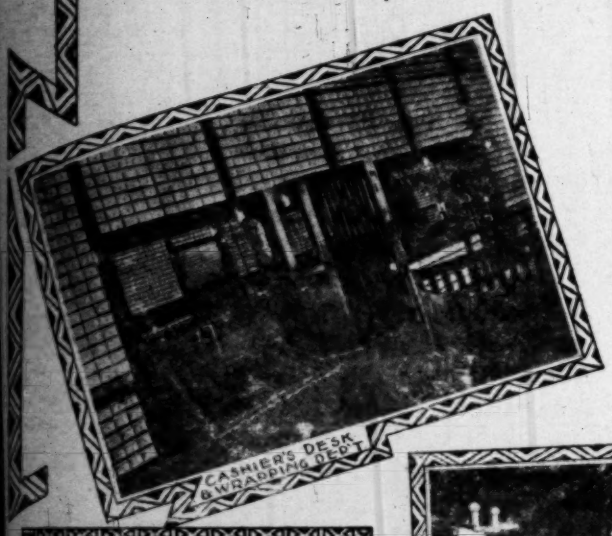
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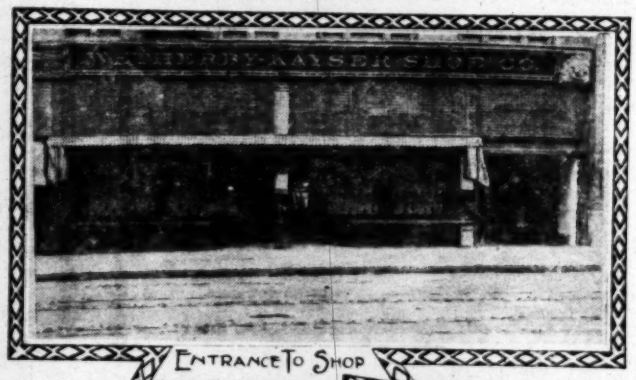
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FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; unsettled; possibly rain; fresh southerly wind.
Sunrise, 6:48; sunset, 4:44.
YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 58 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Wind 8 a.m., east; velocity, 4 miles; 5 p.m., southeast; velocity, 4 miles. At midnight the temperature was 58 deg.; hazy.
Precipitation for storm, .53 inch; season to date, 1.83 inches; to same date last season, 3.06 inches.
TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 57 deg.; foggy.
FORECAST—For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy; unsettled; probably rain; fresh southeast winds.
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SIXTY MEN DROWNED.

Boats Upset in Squall at Tokio and Many Occupants Meet Death.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
TOKIO, Dec. 9.—A number of sampans (small harbor boats) belonging to the Japanese cruiser Chitose, were upset in a squall here today while

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